

GET CONNECTED & STAY CONNECTED

WELCOME CENTER (located in our lobby by the TV monitor)

Visit the **Welcome Center** before or after the service to find information about our church, events that are going on at ESBC and materials that are available to help you and your family.

VISITOR'S GUEST CARD

Fill out the yellow card located in the back of the chair in front of you in the sanctuary and place it in the offertory basket. Or you may go online and complete the "First Time Guest Survey" located under the "**ABOUT**" tab. Someone will be in touch to find out more about you and how you can become a part of ESBC. We look forward to getting to know you!!

PRAYER INFORMATION

Copies of church prayer requests and Missionary Moments can be picked up weekly at the **Welcome Center**. Prayer requests may be submitted to the church secretary by phone or by email.

HFG INFORMATION

HFG stands for "Home Fellowship Group." Members of the church hold regular small group gatherings in their homes to discuss and reflect on the message from Sunday's service. At the **Welcome Center** you can find a list of HFG groups that meet in your neighborhood. Please join them for fun, food, fellowship and growing closer to God.

BIBLICAL COUNSELING

East Shore Biblical Counseling Ministries, LLC offers free Biblical counseling. If you or someone you know needs to talk to a counselor, please call the church secretary or go to the church website and complete a "Counseling Package" under the "Ministries" tab.

MARRIAGE RESTORATION

Keeping the Covenant is a marriage restoration ministry to love, encourage, and equip all who labor to uphold the covenant of marriage. If you are in need of this ministry, contact the church secretary.



**Glorifying God by Modeling Christ,
Extending His Love and Building His Church**

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WELCOME!

Thank you for joining East Shore Baptist Church's worship service today. We are glad you are here.

Our desire is that God would bless and direct this time together and that our worship would be in Spirit and Truth.

ABOUT THE SERVICE

MUSIC Worship is an interactive, participatory experience. We invite you to join in as we praise God through singing by following the on-screen lyrics.

OFFERING We give tithes and offerings as an act of worship, obedience, celebration, and thanksgiving to the Lord. You can give during the service or anytime via our website.

MESSAGE The teaching time seeks to communicate God's Truth in compelling, relevant ways. Feel free to take notes using the handout you received when entering the Sanctuary.

PRAYER If you need prayer, please fill out your request on the guest card and place it in the offertory basket, the wooden box outside the sanctuary or give it to one of the pastors or deacons. They are willing to pray with you.

COMMUNION We take time every other month to celebrate Communion and welcome believers in Christ to participate in this act of worship and remembrance.

NEXT STEP



Visit us on the web.

You can find staff contact information, listen to a past message, and more! Scan the QC Code to go there directly.

ESBC CHILDREN

Our children's ministries are designed to meet the spiritual and developmental needs of young children. They meet at:

- 9:30 & 10:45am Sunday morning for classes from birth through 5th grade. Your children will be called to go to class during the early portion of the service. At the end of the service you may pick them up downstairs.

- 6:30pm on Wednesday evening
The children will participate in worship through music, hear life application Bible stories and enjoy crafts, games and activities.

ESBC YOUTH

Our middle and high school students are an important part of our church.

They meet at:

- 9:30am Sunday morning in the youth room.
- 6:30pm Wednesday evening for engaging Bible study, games, and prayer.
- Throughout the year they also engage in various service opportunities and fun group activities.

CLASS INFORMATION

All of our classes are listed on the Screen at the WELCOME CENTER. You may also pick up a hardcopy there, too.

SERVE TOGETHER

Invest and engage as part of ESBC while connecting with others by serving. There are many opportunities available. You can let us know you are interested by completing the yellow guest card.

LEADERSHIP CONTACT INFORMATION

Church Secretary, Debby Glessner, 717.657.0614, esbcchurch@comcast.net

Senior Pastor, Brian Harrison, brobrian@eastshorebaptist.org

Associate Pastor, John Toone, jtoone@eastshorebaptist.org

Minister of Music, Dave Stewart, davestewart@eastshorebaptist.org

Children's Ministry, Don Good, dgood@eastshorebaptist.org

Minister of Youth, Brian Mader, bmader@eastshorebaptist.org

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General Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am – 3:00pm

EVANGELISM NOTES

Here are some examples of how East Shore Baptist Church (ESBC) members have “**SHARED THE GOSPEL**” this past week. These examples are meant to encourage **YOU** to Share the Gospel where you live, work, and play.

-One of our Youth members encouraged a peer who has no belief in God to attend church and prayed with two other friends to get involved in church.

-One member shared a challenging, yet rewarding gospel conversation with a member of the Muslim religion.

-Still another member prayed with a young man who recently suffered two strokes.

-And finally, one of our members who is fluent in sign-language used those skills to have a spiritual conversation with a deaf employee at Hersheypark.

So, what have YOU done to SHARE THE GOSPEL lately? Pray for opportunities and be ready when the Lord gives them to you!!

FINANCIAL UPDATE

GIVING LAST WEEK TOTAL	\$ 7,611.01
ONLINE GIVING FROM TOTAL	\$ 1,525.00
WEEKLY BUDGET GOAL	\$ 8,948.58



You may give in person, by scanning the QR Code to the left with your smart phone, or online.

October 2, 2016

Today's Sermon: "Unity in The Church -- Knowing What We're Here For"
by Pastor Brian Harrison

John 17:20-23 (Page 572) and Acts 4:32-33 (Page 577)

You can also take notes and engage with the message content using the hand out you received when entering the sanctuary.

Please remember to silence your cell phones during the service. Thank you!
During the service, hearing devices are available for the hearing impaired at the sound booth. If you would like to access the wireless internet service, the password is lamaGuest. Since we are videotaping the service, you may appear on the internet. If you would like to connect to DevoHub, a free devotional resource app, please see one of the pastors!

THIS WEEK

Visit the website (www.eastshorebaptist.org) for information about these events and more.

SUNDAY (10/02)

Young Adults @ The Meadows @ 3pm
Home Fellowship Groups

MONDAY (10/03)

Staff Meeting @ 3:30pm
Ladies' Bible Study @ 1pm
Leadership Meeting @ 6:30pm

TUESDAY (10/04)

Knife & Fork Club @ 5:30pm

WEDNESDAY (10/05)

Mom's Club @ 9:45am
Grandparents & Prayer @ 6:30pm
Wednesday Evening Meetings & Studies @ 6:30pm
Keystone Ministry @ 7pm

THURSDAY (10/06)

FRIDAY (10/07)

SATURDAY (10/08)

Pastor John's Class @ 10am
Worship Practice @ 9:30am
Autism Support Group @ 6:30pm

NEWS & EVENTS

KEYSTONE MINISTRY

Keystone Ministry: Gifts for Family Members – The E.S.B.C. Keystone Ministry is collecting gift items for the men of Keystone to give to their family members this Christmas. Each month we will be collecting different items. In December the men will assemble the items they have chosen and place them in gift bags to give to their families. Each gift bag will also contain a “Gospel of John” booklet that shares how to come to know Jesus as your personal Savior and Lord!

For OCTOBER, we are focusing on winter clothing accessories. Specifically, we are looking for hats, gloves, small fleece blankets for both adults and children, etc.

ESBC, you did great with supplying adult toiletries for the mothers last month. We trust you will be equally generous this month as we look to keep everybody warm for the upcoming winter. Containers for your Keystone gifts are at the end of the hallway. Thanks in advance!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Shoe boxes are on the table near the coat racks, ready for you to take home and lovingly and prayerfully fill! Each box has instructions on how to fill the box, a prayer bookmark, and a sticker just for you. Once you have filled your shoeboxes, bring them back to the church and place them under the table near the coat racks. If you don't want to shop, please consider donating money in any amount. Just put your money/check (made out to ESBC) in an envelope, designate funds to Operation Christmas Child shopping fund and place in the offering plate. Our goal is 300 boxes! Please bring in your filled boxes on or before **November 12, 2016**.

October is
Pastor Appreciation
Month

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT!

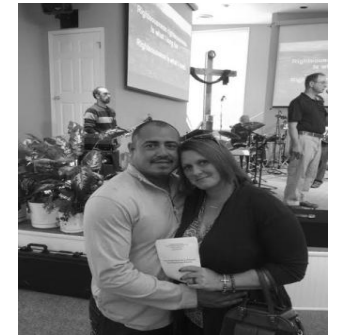
Pre-Marital Counseling Ministry

What do all of the smiling newlywed couples in these pictures have in common? They “graduated” from the Pre-Marital Counseling Ministry here at ESBC!

ESBC takes the ordinance of marriage very seriously and before a couple can be married in our church or by one of our pastors they must participate in six sessions of pre-marital counseling. These sessions are facilitated by older couples who have proven themselves to be spiritually mature. The main “curriculum” used in this counseling is God’s Holy Word, the Bible. Session topics include: the Christian Decision Making Model, the Husband’s/Wife’s Role in Marriage, Communication and Conflict in Marriage, Biblical Principles of Sex, Planning Ahead and Red Flags, Avoiding Ten Marriage Killers, and Fundamentals of a Christian Marriage.

Thank you for reading the Ministry Spotlight! For more information about this ministry, please talk to either of the pastors. Please keep this ministry in your prayers so that Christ may be at the center of every marriage at ESBC.

If you would like to see a ministry appear in the Ministry Spotlight, please contact Pastor John (717-657-0614) or email jtoone@eastshorebaptist.org.



NEWS & EVENTS CONTINUED

ED & MARY PRICE STATE MISSIONS OFFERING

We have collected \$1,405 towards our goal of \$2,000 for the state missions offering. If you would like to donate towards this annual missions offering, you will find special envelopes in the chair backs.

PRAYER TEAM

Did you know that E.S.B.C. has a prayer team that meets and prays each Sunday during the worship service? What do we pray for?...For God's Word to be shared and for hearts to be changed. We pray for people in the worship service who don't know Christ to accept Him as their Savior and Lord. We also pray for believers to grow and mature in their faith. Sign-up in the church lobby. You will only be assigned to pray about once every two months. We could especially use more men on the prayer team. Pray about it and sign up today!

JOY CLUB

Tuesday, October 4th @ 5:30pm//The Knife & Fork Club will meet at Cracker Barrel for an evening of fun, food and fellowship!

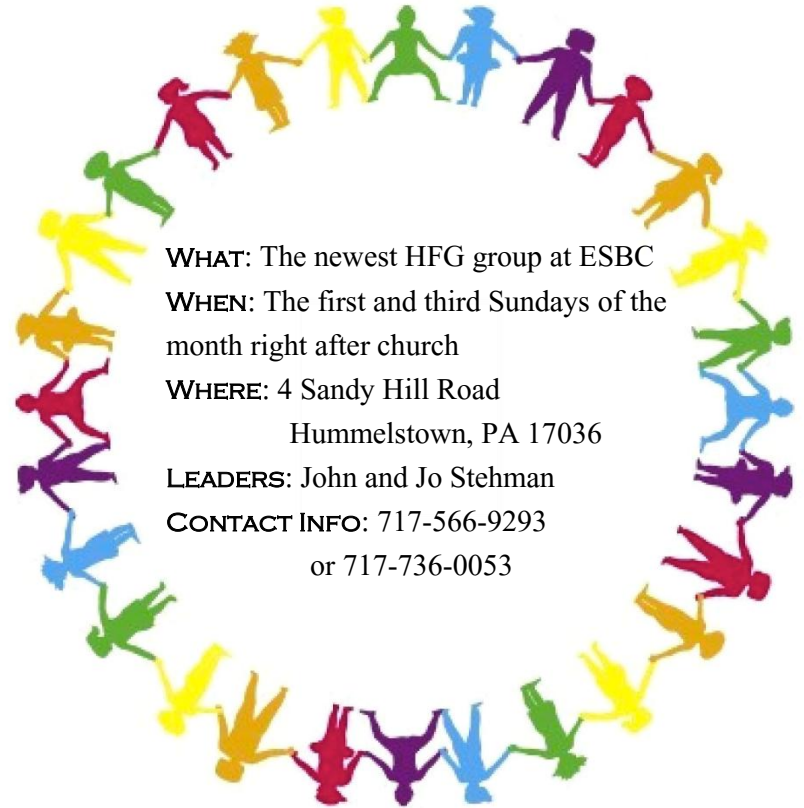
Upcoming calendar of women's events include Sunset and S'mores on Saturday, November 5th at 6pm and the annual Christmas Dinner on Friday, December 2nd at 6pm. Be watching future bulletins for more details!

URGENT!

Last chance to go to the women's retreat at the Word of Life Inn in Schroon Lake, New York. Cost for the weekend is \$250. Please see Debby today or call not later than Monday morning as the rooming list needs to be complete next week! Also, final payments for those already signed up will be due no later than next Sunday, October 9th!

ANNOUNCING THE NEWEST HFG GROUP!

Have you joined a small group yet? "Home Fellowship Groups" are a great way to get connected, share our lives together, and apply what we hear on Sunday mornings to the nitty-gritty of everyday life. We would love for you to join our group for lunch, worship, discussion, and prayer together.



WHAT: The newest HFG group at ESBC

WHEN: The first and third Sundays of the month right after church

WHERE: 4 Sandy Hill Road
Hummelstown, PA 17036

LEADERS: John and Jo Stehman

CONTACT INFO: 717-566-9293
or 717-736-0053

Our first meeting will be Sunday, October 16th!