

Weekly Connection Newsletter

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Office hours: Tues-Thurs 9am-1pm

Prayer Gatherings

Each Wednesday in person at the church office and on zoom @ 1:00 pm. Zoom meeting ID: 461 338 2306

Password: 6b0j8y. The zoom link is https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4613382306?pwd=NU5Ra25u
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Iglesia Cristiana Pastor: Rony Guerra Contact: <u>iglesiacristianasouderton@gmail.com</u>

This Sunday

Sunday School @ 9:30am Worship @ 10:30am

Iglesia Cristiana Worship @ 1:00pm

Join the livestream for either Worship service at their scheduled time:

www.soudertonbic.org/stream

www.youtube.com/@soudertonbic

Thank you for your faithful giving! Give in person at the offering box, by mail, or at our website.

Pastor KrisAnne's Korner

I'm giving this space in the newsletter to Diana Moyer this week, our Director of Family Ministries:

"Dear Pastor KrisAnne, Rob, Church Board Members and Congregation,

After much discernment, listening prayer, and processing, I have decided to resign from the position of Director of Family Ministries at Souderton BIC Church. Though my 'next step' in vocation is not clear, what has been clear is the message to "let go so my hands can be empty to receive what He has next for me". There is a season for everything, and I believe my season in this role has come to an end. Stepping out is an act of trust and faith in Who He is and what He has planned for me (and you) going forward.

I am grateful for the opportunity to serve God and all of you these past 7+ years. We've journeyed through two pastoral transitions and I was glad to fill in gaps as needed. I have had joy in providing opportunities for God to grow His people through various intergenerational activities, K-Teams, Retreats, Worship, LiT, VBS, FBE, Kingdom Kids, Disc Golf/Community events, Bible Studies, bringing RamPacks to SBIC, etc. We joined together to be creative and continue to minister and connect through Covid which took much teamwork and willingness to think outside of the box! Thank you to those who have walked alongside me in various and numerous ways. May we continue to allow God to have space to work within our hearts and minds so that we grow as disciples and overflow to those we meet as we journey forward for His Glory.

I anticipate finishing out the ministry year and completing some Kids Min/Family planning for the Fall if desired. I plan to take some time with Erin



and Mark in Illinois once the baby is born (Mark will have 2 weeks of paternal leave, then I plan to travel out). We can discuss in more detail what this looks like, and what a good 'end date' would be so all bases are covered – administratively and ministry-wise.

Many Blessings, Diana Moyer

The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. <u>Psalm 18:2</u>"

Diana's last Sunday in her role will be June 1st. We will take time to acknowledge her leadership and ministry among us on that day. Let's pray for Diana as she discerns God's call for her future. Let's pray also for our congregation as we also discern future steps for our children and youth ministries. God has all things in His Hands!

KrisAnne Swartley, Pastor

Prayer Requests:

Send any prayer requests to: Pastor KrisAnne at 215-254-8348 or <u>KrisAnne.Swartley@soudertonbic.org</u>, or your deacon.

Needs around the GLOBE

Mennonite Central Committee MEAT CANNING

will be at the Mennonite Resource Center, Hagey Road, Souderton

April 22-24, 2025!

Last year, MCC shipped 574,560 cans of meat around the globe, including Malawi, South Sudan, Ukraine, Zambia, and the U.S., including Puerto Rico. Time slots are available at the link below:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A45AC AB2CA2F8C34-54087071-mccmeat#/

If you'd like to volunteer time or donate money to the impactful work of this Christian relief organization, visit the link below:

Mennonite Central Committee:

https://mcc.org/get-involved

<u>April 3rd Benefit 5:30-8pm</u> Keystone Opportunity Center



When ladies celebrate ladies, AND show their support for our community!



Donate \$10 to KOP; Save 15% off One Regular Priced item and Enter to win a \$15 Gift Certificate

Donate \$15 to KOP; Save 15% off ALL Regular Priced items and Enter to win a \$15 Gift Certificate

Donate \$25 (or more) to KOP; Save 20% off ALL Regular Priced Items & Enter to win a \$15 Gift Certificate

Zimbabwe Missions Trip



Upcoming Fundraisers!

Love PIZZA??!
Just mention SBIC on

May 7th between 10am & 10pm at Broad Street Pizza in Souderton and 10% of all purchases will be donated to the <u>Zimbabwe Mission and</u> <u>Learning Trip!</u>

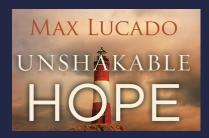


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Date TBD – stay tuned for more information

Sunday School Class

Adult Class
Unshakable
HOPE
By Max Lucado



Check out the RightNow Media QR code below for free videos

Scan the QR code to create your free account and start browsing.



*<u>The Study of Romans</u> led by Dan Zagorski *continues*

Announcements

Kenbrook Pantry Collections Are you up for a "challenge"?

Help us support Kenbrook's pantry with the following:

- 36 gallons of Bleach (sterilizing is important!)

 AND
- As many containers of drink mix <u>as possible</u>
 lemonade, pink lemonade, tea or orange drink
 no fruit punch.

Kenbrook made 1220 gallons of drink last year!

April 5th Mini-Golf Tournament PUSH THE ROCK

Mini-golf @ Putt-U in Coopersburg to benefit underserved youth in Brazil, Costa Rica, and Guatemala. Check-in begins at 9am - golfing starts at 10am. Check out the details at the link below or scan the QR code!

Tournament Link

Bridge of Hope / BuxMont GALA

<u>Help end homelessness</u> for single mothers and their children – see link below for more info:

Raising Hope Gala 2025 | Bridge of Hope - BuxMont



Raising Hope Gala

Celebrating 25 Years of God's Faithfulness!

Join us for an amazing evening including a centerpiece raffle, dinner, live auction and stories of lives transformed.

Thursday, April 10 | 6:00 PM William Penn Inn, Gwynedd, PA

All proceeds benefiting single mothers and children facing homelessness in Bucks & Montgomery Counties

Calendar:

- Sat: Atlantic Conference @ Parker Ford Church, Pottstown, PA
- Tue: Iglesia Cristiana Worship @ 6:30pm
- Wed: Prayer on Zoom or in Person @ 1pm
- **Wed:** 7:00 pm D-Group
- Thu: 7pm Worship Team practice, Iglesia Cristiana Bible Study

Upcoming Events:

- April 5: Push The Rock Mini Golf Tournament @ Putt-U
- April 10: Bridge of Hope GALA
- April 13: Palm Sunday & Baptisms
- April 17: Maundy Thursday @ Silverdale
- April 20: Easter Sunday; Sunrise Service @ 7am at Silverdale followed by breakfast. Worship @ 9:30 at Souderton BIC including reception of new Members.
- April 27: 4th Sunday Celebration –
 Potluck Breakfast @ 9am
- May 4: RamPacks Food Fest @ Pennridge High School 12-4pm
- May 7: Broad St. Pizza Fundraiser