

131st Annual Program
of
Central Manor
Camp & Bible Conference

www.centralmanorcamp.org



August 5-13, 2023

PLEASE NOTE

To maintain the unique environment at Central Manor Camp, please be aware of the following:

Golf Cart shuttle service is available for anyone needing assistance in getting around camp. The shuttle service is available by dialing 717-435-6039 from 7:30 am through 10:00 pm.

Please note where you park when entering the camp and be aware of stone walkways and walking in a wooded setting. If visiting the camp in the evening, consider bringing a flashlight to assist walking around the camp.

While driving on camp property, please be aware of people walking and proceed with caution. No vehicles are permitted in the camper and cabin areas during camp week. Please park in designated areas only.

No smoking is allowed on the camp property. No pets are permitted on the camp property.

In case of an emergency, dial 911.

PHYSICAL ADDRESS

Central Manor Camp
798 Central Manor Road
Washington Boro, PA 17582

PURPOSE

Central Manor Campmeeting was established to glorify our God and Savior Jesus Christ through the edification of believers and the salvation of the lost.

This we seek to do through the preaching and teaching of God's Word, the worship of God in sincerity and truth, and the loving fellowship of God's people in a unique campmeeting environment.

LOCATION

Central Manor Camp is located two miles south of Mountville, one/quarter mile north of Route 999, midway between Millersville and Washington Boro on Central Manor Road.

MAILING & DONATION ADDRESS

Central Manor Campmeeting
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During week of camp only!



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NEW HERE?

Welcome! We love that new people continue to join our special camp tradition. It's our hope that your experience here brings you closer to the Lord and brings you friendships that last a lifetime. This booklet contains details on our camp, including a camp schedule. Upon entering our main entrance, you can find general information posted on our bulletin board outside the dining hall (the large building to the left past the parking area). Any updates during the week of camp are posted there. Our ticket booth (the small white building beside the dining hall) can help answer any questions you may have when you arrive, or reach out to fellow campers to help find your way around. Meal tickets and snack bar tickets can be purchased at the ticket booth. Additional booklets, camp maps, and speaker resources are available in our main tabernacle. Visit us at **centralmanorcamp.org**, email us at **info@centralmanorcamp.org**, or message us on Facebook. We pray camp is a place of spiritual refreshment and renewal, as it has been for many others.

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OUR HISTORY

Shortly before the beginning of the 20th century, in an era when campmeetings were springing up in many places, our founder, Dr. I. A. MacDannald got the vision to start a campmeeting in the beautiful wooded area which we now occupy.

The Council of the Church of God at Washington Boro, of which Dr. MacDannald was pastor, agreed to cooperate if he could secure twenty tents and rent the ground. The first camp opened with nineteen tents on Thursday evening September 7, 1892.

In 1905, the Central Manor Campmeeting Association was formed. In the same year the first tabernacle - twenty feet by fifty feet, was built and action was taken to build a dining hall.

Tents were used exclusively until 1926 when three cabins were built. There are now over 210 cabins.

Our present tabernacle accommodates approximately one thousand people. The dining hall is able to seat four hundred at one meal.

The camp is incorporated and functions as a non-denominational campmeeting and Bible conference facility, where the fundamental truths of the Word of God are faithfully proclaimed.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

We Believe:

The Bible is the Word of God! It is fully inspired by God to the very words and is true in every aspect in the original writing. It is therefore the only authority for faith and practice.

God is a Triune God! There is one God existing in three personalities; the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, who are co-eternal in existence, co-equal in essence, and one in purpose.

Jesus Christ is the Only Savior of Men! By means of the incarnation, through the virgin birth, the second person of the trinity became the perfect Savior; wholly man and wholly God united in one person. The Son of God died a substitutionary death on the cross to redeem sinners, and rose bodily from the grave to give eternal life to all who believe in Him. He ascended to the right hand of the Father where he presently abides, and will come again in power and glory to receive and reward His own.

Man in his Natural State is Totally Depraved! Although created in the image of God, man by original sin has become the recipient of a sinful nature. As a result, man is sinfully enslaved in transgression, and without the provision of God's saving grace through Jesus Christ, is eternally lost.

SPEAKERS

ALAN BRUMBACK - Dr. Alan Brumback currently serves as the Lead Pastor at First Baptist Church Naples, Florida since September 2021. Previously he was the Lead Pastor at Central Church in Sanford, FL for 11 years. Dr. Brumback was ordained to the Ministry at White Oak Baptist Church, Kentucky in 2003. He graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Education from the University of Kentucky in 2006, a Master of Divinity from The Southern Baptist Theology Seminary in 2009, and a Doctor of Ministry from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in 2013. Dr. Brumback currently serves as an International Mission Board Trustee, and he also serves on the Florida Baptist Convention State Board of Missions.

LAWRENCE METZLER - Dr. Lawrence Metzler currently serves as the Lead Pastor of Grand Point Church, a multisite ministry serving the communities of Shippensburg, Chambersburg, and Greencastle in South Central Pennsylvania. GPC is also a Global Partner with several congregations in Central India. Dr. Metzler graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Pastoral Leadership from Lancaster Bible College, a Master of Theology from Dallas Seminary, and a Doctor of Ministry in Executive Leadership from Denver Seminary. Dr. Metzler held various leadership positions in the Churches of God, General Conference, but has a passion for the local church and

its transformational ministry to individuals and the collective community. Dr. Metzler grew up in Lancaster Co. PA and married Penny Schock in 1984. Penny's spiritual roots were planted at the Central Manor Church and the Central Manor Camp, where she served in dining services, music ministry, and the camp bookstore. Being married to Penny was Dr. Metzler's introduction to the Central Manor Community and the Camp, which they attended regularly while serving as an Assistant Pastor at Central Manor Church. Lawrence and Penny have been married for 39 years, have 3 adult children, and 12 grandchildren. Attending the 2023 Camp will be a homecoming/family reunion for the Metzlers.

TIM ROBINSON - Dr. Tim Robinson is Assistant Professor of Pastoral Ministries and Liaison for DTS Europe at Dallas Theological Seminary. He comes from Belfast, Northern Ireland (so listen out for his accent!), and is married to Carrie. Together they have been blessed with three children - Hannah, Abigail and Caleb. Prior to joining the faculty of DTS, Tim served for 3 years in a para-church discipleship ministry on the picturesque North Coast of Northern Ireland, and then served for 9 years as a local church Pastor in Northern Ireland's capital city, Belfast. During these years he enjoyed a weekly preaching ministry, led a movement of young adults called 'Extend,' and initiated city-wide outreach programs seeking to impact thousands of lives for Christ across Belfast. Tim and his family have re-

cently moved to Dallas, and as a member of the Pastoral Ministries Department, his deepest desire is to not only encourage students to preach God's word with truth, clarity, relevance, and interest, but also to see the hearts of those who hear God's word be formed into the likeness of Christ, for the glory of God.

KEN WHITTEN - Dr. Ken Whitten is Ginny's husband of 47 years; Dad to four adult children, Tara, Andy, Kimberly, and Philip, who all serve and follow Jesus; Poppy to 13 grandkids; and Senior Pastor of Idlewild Baptist Church in Lutz, Florida, since 1989. Key highlights of Pastor Ken's 46 years in ministry include serving as the Florida Baptist Convention President, President of the SBC Pastors' Conference, IMB Trustee, FCA National Board Member, Guidestone Board Member, Member of the Great Commission Task Force, Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Chaplain, and many other local and global SBC initiatives. As the late Pastor Adrian Rogers mentored Pastor Ken, he too enjoys mentoring up and coming pastors. The strength of Pastor Ken's ministry is Jesus and Ginny, in that order. His 33 years of ministry at Idlewild have included two campus build outs, five church plants, and a current membership of nearly 14,000. Pastor Ken is an expository Bible preacher with a busy global speaking schedule, but he is rarely out of the pulpit preaching to his flock at Idlewild.

MUSIC DIRECTOR

Dr. Bruce Gerlach serves as our Camp Music Director. He is a gifted musician with a Doctorate in Music from Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. Bruce is currently teaching music theory and composition part-time at Lancaster Bible College. His giftedness and earnest desire to involve people in worship combine to inspire great singing and meaningful worship at each of our services. Bruce has been part of camp since childhood. He and his wife, Margie, have two children and two grandchildren.

CONCERT

Tim Zimmerman and the King's Brass provide innovative worship for young and old alike through the "best in sacred brass music." By teaming together, these Christian professionals from around the United States perform their original arrangements as heard on their fifteen recordings. For forty years, The King's Brass have performed over one hundred concerts each season with three trumpets, three trombones, a tuba, keyboards, and percussion. Playing a wide variety of music from Gabrieli to hymn classics, from Handel to jazz spirituals, from Christmas carols to patriotic marches, The King's Brass uses all corners of the concert hall to lift hearts and spirits in praise.

Speaker Schedule – Main Tabernacle August 5-13, 2023

Saturday, August 5

7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson

Sunday, August 6

7:30 a.m. Family Worship

10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten

2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson

7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback

Monday, August 7

7:30 a.m. Family Worship

10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson

2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback

7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten

Tuesday, August 8

7:30 a.m. Family Worship

10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson

2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten

7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback

Wednesday, August 9

7:30 a.m. Family Worship

10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback

2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten

7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson

Thursday, August 10

- 7:30 a.m. Family Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten
- 2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson
- 7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback

Friday, August 11

- 7:30 a.m. Family Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Alan Brumback
- 2:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Tim Robinson
- 7:00 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Ken Whitten

Saturday, August 12

- 7:30 a.m. Family Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Lawrence Metzler

- 2:00 p.m. Annual Meeting of the Members and Board of Directors

- 7:00 p.m. Concert - Tim Zimmerman and the King's Brass

Sunday, August 13

- 7:30 a.m. Family Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Lawrence Metzler

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Saturday, August 5, 7:30 p.m Flinchbaugh Pavilion (through 6th Grade) – Country Con-juring Magic- With over 35 years of profes-sional magic experience, Erick Hershey blends marvelous illusions with the charm of back-porch country livin', creating a heapin' helping of rollicking fun for audiences of all ages!

9:30 AM Sunday, August 6
10:00 AM Monday through Saturday

The program will include Bible stories, music, memory work, missions and special features for each age group.

PRE-SCHOOL & ELEMENTARY

Age 3 - Karen Troop – Weaver Prayer Chapel

Age 4 - Kathy Bair – Taylor Pavilion

Age 5 & 6 – Betty Nissley

Brunner Tabernacle

Entering Grade 1 – Katie Byler

Lucas Pavilion

Entering Grade 2 – Linda Ansel

Lucas Pavilion

Entering Grade 3 – Cindy Barley

Eshelman Pavilion

Entering Grade 4 – Catie Breneman

Dining Hall

Entering Grades 5 & 6 - Terry Ortman

Ake Pavilion (Mon-Sat)

CHILDRENS CRAFTS

Monday – Friday • 2:30-3:30 PM

Age 3 – Weaver Prayer Chapel

Age 4 & 5 – Taylor Pavilion

Entering Kindergarten – Brunner Tabernacle

Entering 1st & 2nd Grade – Lucas Pavilion

Entering 3rd & 4th Grade Girls

Eshelman Pavilion

Entering 3rd & 4th Grade Boys

Flinchbaugh Pavilion

Entering 5th & 6th Grade Girls – Ake Pavilion

Entering 5th & 6th Grade Boys

Flinchbaugh Pavilion

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

7:30 PM Nightly Sunday through Friday

Parents should drop off and pick up their children
at the locations listed below.

Ages 4 & 5 – Beth Whitworth

Weaver Prayer Chapel

Entering K/1st Grade – Sarah Gerardi

Taylor Pavilion

Entering 2nd/3rd Grade – Jen Zwaska

Brunner Tabernacle

4th -6th Grade - Jeff Heiney - Lucas Pavilion

**Wednesday, August 9, 1:00 p.m. Flinchbaugh
Pavilion – Forgotten Friends Reptile Show.**

CHILDREN'S PARADE/CANDY SCRAMBLE

Saturday, August 12, 1:00 PM

Children of all ages are invited to participate. The parade begins at the playground area, includes a short walk throughout the campground, and ends at the playground with a candy scramble for ages 3 through grade 6.

Saturday, August 12, 7:00 p.m.

Flinchbaugh Pavilion (through 6th Grade)

"Ryan and Friends"

This lighthearted program combines a comedy routine and song parodies in styles ranging from country to Broadway - all featuring popular comedian, ventriloquist, musician, and all-around funny guy, Ryan and, of course, his friends.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL

Flinchbaugh Pavilion

10:00 AM Monday through Saturday

Jon Gerlach

2:30PM Monday through Thursday

Beau Walmer

7:30PM Monday through Friday

Jon Gerlach

Jon Gerlach - Jon is the High School and Young Adult Pastor at Fairview Village Church in Eagleville, PA and has been doing student ministry for over 5 years. He received his BA in Urban Ministry from Mount Vernon Nazarene University and is currently pursuing a Masters in Contextual Ministry from Northwind Seminary. He grew up going to Central Manor Camp every summer and some of his best childhood memories are playing in the creeks when they would flood and collecting monkey gold with his cousins.

Beau Walmer - Beau is the Student Ministries Director at Manor Church. Originally intending to become a professional sports broadcaster growing up, God had different plans. During college, he experienced God's call to ministry and has since been seeking to pursue Him in all that he does. He has had the privilege to serve Him in a variety of ways in camp, youth, college, and young adult ministry. He loves being a part of the process of calling and equipping students to follow Jesus Christ with their entire lives.

SUPERVISED RECREATION

Ages 6-14 years

8:30–9:30 AM

Monday through Friday at the playground area

The purpose of the recreation program is to develop attitudes and behaviors that exemplify the Lord Jesus Christ. (1Tim 4:12)

Recreation involves sporting and group games. Table and board games are available every day. Campers can also participate in an annual Camp Scavenger Hunt, Camp Olympics, and water games, on days TBA.

Encourage your children to participate. The recreation area is available for all ages except for the hours designated above.

NO RECREATION DURING ANY SERVICES

DINING HALL/SNACK BAR

Meals at the Dining Hall are served cafeteria style with the option of take-out or dine-in. You will have the option to eat in the dining hall or use the take-out line and take your food to your cabin or the outdoor dining area.

DINING COST FOR THE WEEK

Adults, 11 years thru 69 years	\$95.00
Adults, 70+ years	\$85.00
Children, 3 years thru 10 years	\$50.00
Children, under age 3 (with paying adult)	free
Breakfast	\$ 6.00
Dinner	\$10.00
Supper	\$ 8.00
Saturday, Barbecue	\$10.00

MEAL TIMES

The dining hall cafeteria-style serving lines will be open:

Breakfast	8:00 – 8:45
	dining hall cleared by 9:00
Dinner	11:45 – 1:00
	dining hall cleared by 1:30
Supper	5:00 – 6:00
	dining hall cleared by 6:30

While you can go through the serving line only one time, you will be permitted to have an extra serving when you go through the line. There will be servers available to anyone needing help carrying a tray.

The first meal served is breakfast, Sunday, August 6 from 8am-8:45am.

The final meal served is breakfast, Sunday, August 13 from 8am-8:45am.

Snack bar hours will be posted at camp.

The menu is available on the camp website and will be posted at the ticket booth.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS – OFFICERS

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- Susek Evangelistic Association. Music, missions, education. Their mission is to bring people to salvation by the pure and simple gospel. Jeremiah 29:11-13
- www.seaministries.org
tlortman@gmail.com
dorisortman@yahoo.com

Mike & Lauren Shaiebly, Papua New Guinea

- Ethnos360. They moved with their 3 children to Papua New Guinea in January 2021. Of PNG's 850 different language groups, there are still roughly 300 languages that have no scripture in their language. Their vision is to connect with one of these people groups and do both Bible translation and disciple the people and plant a church among them that has a firm foundation on scripture and the pure Gospel.
- mike_shaiebly@ntm.org
blogs.ethnos360.org/mike-shaiebly/about

Darlene Weidman, Lancaster, PA

- Wycliffe Bible Translators. Darlene's assignment as Composition Specialist involves typesetting materials that translators need in order to do their work. These materials help teams understand the language groups and their environments.
- wycliffe.org/partner/DWeidman

Ben & Krista Balke, Costa Rica

- Life Impact Ministries. Ben and Krista and their family provide care, encouragement, and coaching to missionaries, Pastors and other Christian leaders through oasis retreats in Costa Rica. Their heart is to prevent burnout among Christian leaders. Their desire is that each Christian worker who comes through their doors is supported to have a renewed strength from the Lord and continues to be effective in what God has called them to do.
- balkefamily@lifeimpact.CARE

Chris & Vickie Gerardi, Whitefield, Maine

- Maine Maritime Ministry. Chris & Vickie Gerardi at Maine Maritime Ministry share the love and Gospel of Jesus Christ along the coast of Maine and beyond. God has given us opportunities to fill pulpits of churches, some of which have not heard the Gospel in decades. The Lord has moved Amish in all around us. We share the gospel with them, and Chris is even working with a newly appointed Amish preacher to understand the Word of God. In addition, Chris is also discipling ten other men. Therefore, God is putting feet to our mission and His Word into the heart of people.
- MaineMaritimeMinistry@gmail.org

RV INFORMATION

For those desiring to stay in their recreational campers, there is a parking area on the grounds. Campsites include water and electric hook-up; a dumping station is available. Those staying in campers must register before parking their camper. Please call Jason Hean 717-672-1229 for rates and availability.

A NOTE FROM THE BOARD

Central Manor Camp provides a place where one can come and relax in the beautiful surroundings and be refreshed by the ministry of God's Word. During the week, the camp provides spiritual enrichment through programs for children, youth and adults. God has provided speakers who have dedicated their lives to the building of God's kingdom. They evidence exceptional ability in communicating His Word, and demonstrating Godly character.

The Board desires your support and involvement in this special ministry through your faithful prayer, consistent attendance at the services, contributions and cooperation. Pray with us that as God's Word is taught we may witness the salvation of souls, and the edification of God's people.

The Board of Directors at their meeting April 18, 1936, passed a resolution inviting missionaries on furlough to be guests of the Camp and Bible Conference as cottages are available. For more information please contact:

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609 Letort Rd, Washington Boro, PA 17582

717-672-1229

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MAKING YOUR WILL

If you are interested in remembering the Central Manor Camp and Bible Conference in your will, please contact the President of the Association, Mr. Bryan Gerlach, 648 Golden Eagle Way, Lancaster, PA 17601.

MAKING A CONTRIBUTION

The Association would be happy to give a receipt, upon request, for contributions made to the camp. Make your requests to Central Manor Camp, PO Box 103, Washington Boro, PA 17582.

DRESS GUIDELINES

Since it is the purpose of Central Manor Camp that Christ be glorified in all things, we ask that our campers and visitors dress in a manner that is in keeping with modesty and Christian grace.

The Board of Directors decided that for the health and safety of everyone, the camp grounds will be a smoke-free and pet-free area. Please cooperate in this matter!

All persons should be in their cottages and quiet by 11:00 PM.

FUTURE CAMP DATES

August 3-11, 2024

August 2-10, 2025

To be added to our camp mailing list, email
info@centralmanorcamp.org
or call Jason 717-672-1229.

FACILITY RESERVATIONS

Reservations for your reunion and church
picnic dates for 2024 please contact:

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