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### 2018 Southern Ohio/Kentucky District Conference will be held

October 19 & 20 at the Salem Church of the Brethren. The theme will be "We Are All One Body". Registration is now open. You can find all registration forms on the District website.

# 2018 Annual Conference

Cincinnati, OH – July 4-8, 2018 Duke Energy Center Theme: Living Parables Please be in prayer for Annual Conference: for the business sessions, the worship sessions, and for all who are traveling.

## Summer Camp 2018

The Southern Ohio Camping Season is almost over. The only camp remaining is Quilting Camp. We anticipate that there will be lots of news of how things went over the next few weeks!!

#### **District Board Meeting**

Our next District Board Meeting will be held July 14, 2018.

#### **Southern Ohio Disaster Ministries Update**

It is with sad hearts that we share that Dick Via has gone home to be with Jesus. Please pray for Pat and their family. Dick and Pat were the coordinators of Southern Ohio BDM for many years, and have continued as active members.

**12th Annual Ice Cream Social** – Support S. Ohio BDM by attending the Ice Cream Social on Saturday, August 4, 4:00 – 7:00 PM at Happy Corner COB. Plan to come for supper, ice cream, and fellowship. All proceeds benefit the ministry of S. Ohio BDM, funding volunteers going on rebuilding trips and buying supplies for Church World Service kits.

**Golf Scramble** – On Saturday, August 11 a golf scramble will be held at Turtle Creek Golf Course located in Greenville. Now is the time to register or to become a hole sponsor. Registration/sponsorship form are available on the website. All proceeds benefit S. Ohio BDM and Camping & Retreat Ministries.

#### Kit Assemblies for Church World Service

\* School Kits - Thursday, August 23, 7:00 PM, Bullen Ultrasonics, 1301 Miller Williams Rd., Eaton

\* Hygiene Kits - Thursday, September 20, 7:00 PM, Mill Ridge Village Community Center, 1000 Mill Ridge Circle, Union

**Trip to Brethren Service Center** – Registration is now open for the October 22-26, 2018 trip to the Brethren Service Center in New Windsor, MD. Volunteers will be processing Church World Service hygiene and school kits in preparation for shipping to the point of need. Travel is available on a first come basis in the BDM vans. Others may drive on their own. Rooms have been reserved for lodging at Best Western in Westminster, MD. Volunteers cover their own expenses on this trip. Click Here for the informational brochure/registration form. Registration deadline is September 15, 2018. For more information contact Burt Wolf at 937-287-5902, email SouthernOhioBDM@gmail.com or visit the district website to download a brochure which includes more information and a registration form.

For more information on what is happening in Southern Ohio as well as more details on these events contact your church office, the Southern Ohio District (sodcob@brethren.org) visit our website: www.sodcob.org. In addition to this publication, we also email a monthly newsletter. To request a newsletter simply email your request to the same email address. If you would like to add your event to either the website, this publication, or the monthly newsletter please email your information to sod-cob@brethren.org <u>before the 15th of the month</u>.