

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 forms and more information will be available soon.

2018 Annual Conference

Cincinnati, OH – July 4-8, 2018

Duke Energy Center Theme: Living Parables

The 2018 Annual Conference will be held at Duke Energy Center in Cincinnati. Many of us see this as an event that we wouldn't miss. But many more of us have never attended an Annual Conference. If you are one of those who have never attended, now would be a great time to experience the church in a new and different way. Our sisters and brothers from all over the world will be in attendance. There are activities for all ages, the worship is fantastic, and you will have a new sense of being a part of something much larger than your local congregation. Why not make take advantage of this opportunity and plan a unique vacation in Cincinnati, OH? More for information on how to register, hotel reservations, ideas about what to do in Cincinnati, and lots of useful information can be found at www.brethren.org/ac

Bus Transportation to Annual Conference Closing Worship

The Prince of Peace Church of the Brethren will be arranging bus transportation for anyone who is interested in attending the final worship service at Annual conference on July 8. Tentative plans involve departing from Prince of Peace at 6:45 am and returning no later than 2:00. If you have never experienced a worship service at Annual conference, it is an amazing experience. The cost will be \$15 per person. The conference can't get much closer! Leave the driving to the bus driver! If you have questions, please contact the Prince of Peace Church at 937-294-0708. If you would like to reserve a spot, call the church office or email the church at popcob1956@aol.com. They will need your name, number of seats, and way to contact you either by phone or email. Payment will be due by June 22, 2018.

Summer Camp 2018

Although the summer camping season is now literally just around the corner, there is still time to register! Go to the website at sodcob.org click on "Empowering Existing Ministries" then "Camping and Retreats" for camps available and dates. Scholarships are still available. Church camp is something every child should experience!

District Board Meeting

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

Southern Ohio Disaster Ministries Update

Sewing Bee – A Sewing Bee will be held on Saturday, June 30 at 9:00 AM at Greenville COB, 421 Central Avenue. Bring your sewing machine, an extension cord, and a sack lunch. Sewers will be making bags for CWS school kits. For more information contact Barb Brower at 937-336-2442. Click Here for all the 2018 Sewing Bee dates.

July 8 – 14 Youth BDM Trip – There are several openings for youth on the July 8 - 14 BDM trip to Lumberton, NC. Youth fifteen years and older are invited to help rebuild homes damaged by Hurricane Matthew. It isn't necessary to have building skills, just a willingness to learn and serve. Transportation is provided in the BDM vans and expenses are covered. To register or for more information contact Burt Wolf at 937-287-5902 or SouthernOhioBDM@gmail.com

12th Annual Ice Cream Social – Mark your calendar for Saturday, August 4, 4:00 – 7:00 PM at Happy Corner COB. Plan to come for supper, ice cream, and fellowship. This is the major fundraiser for S. Ohio BDM and provides funds for rebuilding trips and 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. Click here for a registration/sponsorship form. All proceeds benefit S. Ohio BDM and Camping and Retreat Ministries.

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 sodcob@brethren.org before the 15th of the month.