

BREESPORT BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday March 26, 2023



Join us as we welcome Pastor Onesmus Kibera from Mount Kenya Baptist Church in Nanyuki Kenya to preach the gospel and share the gospel work in East Africa. Pastor Onesmus has been the lead pastor of Mt Kenya Baptist Church since 2005. He is married to Millicent and they have two children; Tabbsyue and her husband Moses, Shadrack, and are blessed with two grandsons. They also live with their two elderly mothers.

He is the Principal of the Mount Kenya Baptist Bible College which was pioneered by Missionary Jerry Daniels. The College serves Pastors and leaders from over 160 churches of the Mt. Kenya Bible Baptist Fellowship. The Mount Kenya Baptist Church has sent out 12 national missionaries who serve in various Counties. Currently four of these missionaries serve in North Kenya.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Breesport Baptist Church exists to glorify God by making more and better disciples of Christ

NEXT STEPS

Whether you're a first time guest or a regular attender, we want you to know what your next steps are here at Breesport Baptist Church. Please visit the Welcome Center in the front foyer or the church website, if you want additional information.



Salvation - if you've never believed in Jesus for the forgiveness of your sins, that's your next step today. See pastor Doug if you have questions about this.



Baptism - if you're a Christian, but you've never been baptized, that's your next step. Please see pastor Doug today or contact him at dforman@Breesport.org.



Connect to a Life Group - our Life Groups are small gatherings of 8-12 individuals who meet for about 90 minutes each week. Contact pastor Mike at mharris@Breesport.org if you're interested.



Grow - we have lots of opportunities for you to grow in your understanding and application of the Bible to your life from Sunday School to Wednesday Evening.



Serve - there are a number of ways that you can get involved to serve others inside and outside the church. See pastor Mike if you'd like to be a part of a ministry team.



Multiply - every believer needs to be on mission all the time. If you'd like to know how you can more effectively live on mission please contact pastor Doug.



Membership - if you want to experience the fullness of what this faith community has to offer, then membership is for you.

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS 3-26-23

CONNECT:

Have you ever found yourself in a cross-cultural environment on a mission trip, a work trip, or a family trip? What surprised you about that circumstance and what was your biggest take away from it and why?

GROW:

- What part of this week's text or message stood out to you the most and why?
- The Great Commission is to glorify God by making disciples of Christ through evangelism and discipleship to the ends of the earth. What, in your mind, is harder – evangelism or discipleship and why? How are you presently involved in both?
- Statistically some 4000 local churches close every year in the U.S. and most church plants will close within five years of their founding. Why do you think that's true? Given the fact that America is the fourth largest unchurched nation on the planet, it would seem like fertile ground for church planting. What obstacles make church planting difficult? What can be done to overcome those obstacles?
- What inspires you the most about what God is doing in other places on the earth? Do you think God has moved on from the U.S. – why or why not?

SERVE:

Consider ways to serve someone in your Life Group this week or how your Life Group can serve someone else this week.

MULTIPLY:

What is one practical thing that you can do this week to be a more effective missionary where God has planted you? How can your Life Group help you in this?

NF SPRING MINISTRY CONFERENCE



ONE DAY: Sat, April 29, 2023 • 9AM-4.30PM

LOCATION: Breesport Baptist Church
1811 N Chemung Rd
Breesport NY 14816

CHILDCARE provided through age 5!

PRACTICAL WORKSHOPS

Over 25 practical workshops for workers in ministries with children, men, women, finances, youth, deacons, worship, counseling, church security, and more! (List of specific workshops will be on our website by March 2023.)

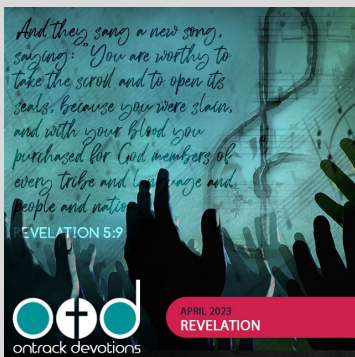
REGISTRATION COSTS

- \$25/person or \$40/married couple, postmarked by April 19 (includes lunch, training materials, and give aways!)
- \$5 more after April 19 or at the door
- Register and pay online (small additional cost) at <https://serve2023.ezregister.com/> or register by mail using the form on the website.

A Ministry of the Center for Church Advancement of the Northeast Fellowship and the Center for Rural Church Ministry

There are signup sheets on the Bulletin Board for volunteers to assist the attendees of the Ministry Training Conference.

Volunteers that work for 2 hours are eligible to attend classes for the remainder of the day at no cost. We have need of volunteers for food prep, child care, technical assistance and crowd control.



April ONTRACK Devotionals are available!

This month's adventure in Revelation gives us a great opportunity to stretch our Bible study skill muscles. The scenes, characters, and drama that unfold are rich with both details and mystery. You might wonder why the Lord penned so much detail without an absolute clarity on the events that will mark His return... an approach that has sparked much debate in the church since it was recorded by the Apostle John during his exile on Patmos in the first century AD. One thing we can be clear on... His

approach is entirely intentional, and it's our opportunity to dig for the truth in the Word He gave to us. Enjoy the journey. It's epic!

Pick up your copy at the Welcome Center or at www.breesport.org/ontrack-devotions

Ladies Renew: Meet S'more Sisters (16 and older)

When: Friday, March 31st at 6:30pm

Where: Church Fellowship Hall

This is a great opportunity to get to know our sisters in Christ in a casual and relaxed setting. We will gather around tables and enjoy some S'mores and other light snacks, all while getting to know each other through small activities. Feel free to invite family or friends and consider reaching out to someone that sits next to you in church.

Please see the sign up sheet in the hallway across from the bathrooms

LAFF DISH TO PASS LUNCHEON

Life After Forty Five

Join us April 14th at 12:30pm in the Teen Room. The Jazzy Sunshine Band will be entertaining us as we enjoy great food and fellowship!

Contact Beth Saunders for more info

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

IT IS FINISHED

7PM APRIL 7TH

Come join us in person or online in the worship of our Savior as we look at the price He paid for us on the Cross. The service will be interactive, and nursery care will be available in the ARK.

HE HIMSELF BORE OUR SINS IN HIS BODY ON THE TREE, THAT WE MIGHT DIE TO SIN AND LIVE TO RIGHTEOUSNESS. BY HIS WOUNDS YOU HAVE BEEN HEALED. 1 PETER 2:24



teen leadership conference

PRESS ON

 Teen Leadership Conference for grades 8 to 12

Knowing Christ changes your life. But it's not just a one-time thing. Following Him is a whole-life journey.

Now, you are called to PRESS ON toward the goal. No matter what you've been through, no matter what you've already accomplished, you have a next step. At TLC, you'll learn to PRESS ON in following Christ, sharing hope and making a difference in your world.

Signup sheet is on the Bulletin Board. Cost is \$100. See Pastor Andy for more info.

JULY 10-15, 2023 | Clarks Summit, PA

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAYS at 9:30 am

- ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIP in the Fellowship Hall
- LIMITLESS YOUTH
- NURSERY/ARK & IGNITE

SUNDAYS at 10:45 am

- WORSHIP SERVICE in the Worship Center
- [LIVESTREAM](#) Worship Service
- NURSERY/ARK & IGNITE

WEDNESDAYS at 7 pm

- ADVENTURE CLUB (k - 4th grade)
- LIMITLESS YOUTH (5th-12th grade)
- BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER in the Fellowship Hall

LIFE GROUPS

- Check our [website](#) for times and locations

UPCOMING EVENTS

3/28 MOM'S GROUP MEETING

every Tuesday at 10am in the nursery

3/31 LADIES RENEW

in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30pm

4/7 GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

in the Worship Center at 7:00pm

4/9 EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE

there will be no Sunday School or ABF on Easter Sunday. Worship Service begins at 10:45am

4/14 LAFF DISH TO PASS LUNCHEON

in the Teen Room at 12:30pm

4/29 SERVE BOLDLY CONFERENCE

more info and signup sheets on the Bulletin Board in the hallway

5/7 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

at 2:00pm. Make plans to attend!

Last Week's Attendance

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| Worship Service (in person) | 260 |
| LiveStream (online) | 78 |

Last Week's Giving

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| General Fund | \$28,521.98 |
| YTD Actual | \$388,337.25 |
| YTD Budget | \$374,778.00 |

CONTACT

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