



2024-2025

SPEAKER DETAILS

9/17/24 | MOYE WEST STAUFFER - "THE ME JESUS SEES" Moye is a Pediatric oncology nurse at Penn State Children's Hospital in Hershey, PA. She studied nursing at and graduated from Messiah College. She has spoken at several retreats, conferences, and led Bible studies for hundreds of women. She passionately challenges people to find their true value in Jesus and to fulfill all that God has created them to be. She and her husband Lavon have been married for 32 years, they live in Lititz, and have 3 grown sons. Moye will be sharing about how as women, we often struggle to see ourselves. The world, social media, our upbringing, and surroundings impact the lens through which we look. We must be reminded, challenged, and trained to view ourselves through the lens of Jesus. Only then, will we truly understand WHO we are and WHOSE we are.

10/2/24 | LISA LANDIS, WJTL - "DANCING IN THE RAIN" (RESCHEDULED FROM 2023) Lisa hosts the Afternoon Drive on WJTL, FM 90.3. She is also the creator of The Kids Cookie Break, winner of 8 PAB awards for 'Best Radio Show for Kids', heard Saturday mornings from 9-noon. When she's not working or zipping around in the KCB Cookie Car, you will find Lisa hanging with her husband John, most likely gardening, watching old movies, visiting favorite shops and restaurants in Lancaster, or cooking up something yummy in the kitchen. Lisa will share her story about overcoming flesh eating bacteria and finding joy in the struggles.

10/15/24 | KURT WEAVER, PA FAMILY INSTITUTE - "THE IMPORTANCE OF MAMA BEARS" Kurt is married to Renee and they have eight children together. He was a pastor for over ten years before joining PA Family Institute as their Director of the Church Ambassador Network. In nature, everyone knows to not cross a mama bear who is protecting her cubs. The same goes in our human culture, women play a significant role in the direction of society and government. Unfortunately, the family is under attack in culture and in government and school policies. Family, marriage, gender, and sexuality have all been redefines apart from God's intentions. And the downgrade of parental rights have parents, and Mamas, sitting on the side lines. So what are the mama bears supposed to do to protect the family, children, and righteousness? Make her roar heard. Join us as we discuss how to be a Godly Mama Bear who can make a difference in the world.

11/5/24 | MELANIE NOLT - "TAKING OFF THE COSTUMES: EXCHANGING THE LIES WE BELIEVE ABOUT OURSELVES FOR GOD'S TRUTH" Melanie serves in her local church as a worship leader. She recently wrote a book about her life story and how it affected every aspect of her life. She now shares her journey of how Jesus led her into truth and healing and desires to see others set free from lies as she was. Melanie will be talking about a vision that God gave her, showing her life from a spiritual perspective and where the devil had planted a lie that she believed and became her identity. She felt that she put on a costume to support the lie but she will talk about how God walked her through forgiveness and healing and ultimately, freedom. Melanie is a singer, songwriter, and author.

11/19/24 | TIM ROGERS/MEGAN SHERTZER - "BEECHDALE ROAD: WHERE MERCY IS MORE POWERFUL THAN MURDER" Tim has served as Lead Pastor at Grace Point Church of Paradise for more than 20 years. He is active in various community roles, enjoys cycling, coaching basketball, reading, and traveling with his family. He has been married to his wife, Jen, for more than 25 years, and they have three children and one dog. Tim is Justo's brother-in-law. Megan works at The Factory Ministries in Paradise as an Adult Advocate. She recently got married to her husband, Tanner, and enjoys running, traveling, reading, and spending time with family and friends. Megan is Justo's niece. The story of the mercy their family encountered when their family member kidnapped and murdered Linda Stoltzfoos in 2020 will be shared.

12/3/24 | VERNA BEILER, KEN'S GARDENS - "EMBELLISHED IN GOD'S LOVE & BEAUTY" Verna will be guiding us in designing fresh greenery arrangements, just in time for get togethers for the Christmas season.

1/7/25 | ROSANNA WITMER - "SIMPLE WELLNESS" Rosanna is married to Dean and together they have four children. They live on the same farm that she grew up on, right in Lancaster County. Rosanna enjoys raising a garden and their own meat, they dive a little deeper into homesteading each year, and she teaches a few sourdough classes around her kitchen table. Natural health, mothering intentionally, and community are all very important to her and she finds it a privilege to share a little glimpse into her life with others. She will be sharing some tips on making wellness doable for the whole family, perfect timing after the often over-indulged-in holidays!

1/21/25 | DEBBIE HOLLINGER - "IT TAKES ONLY ONE" Debbie is married to a businessman, mother of two, and grandmother of nine. She is currently and innkeeper of many guests, mostly people in missions who come to their home for short stays. Entertaining is currently her full time job. Debbie will be sharing about how our hearts often ache for a way to reach out to help someone in real need. But we ask ourselves, "what can I do?" We answer ourselves with thoughts like "I never..." or "I don't know..." or "I'm only one person, what could I possibly do?" But, it only takes one.

2/4/25 | MIKE WENGER - "WHAT MAKES A GODLY MARRIAGE: THE POWER OF CONNECTION" Mike has been married for 30 years and has two children and one grandson. Mike has a heart to serve God and others. He loves speaking, teaching, and helping people heal and live in the freedom of Christ Jesus. He will be speaking about how couples can connect mentally, emotionally, physically, and spiritually, along with sharing what can kill connection for both men and women. Mike is a licensed marriage and family therapist and also assistant director of Thrive Counseling Services in Clay.

2/18/25 | ABI DOUGHERTY - "GRIEF & BELIEF: HOW KNOWING THE MAN OF SORROWS EQUIPS US TO PROCESS OUR OWN SORROWS." Abi is a worshipper, wife, mother, writer, laughter, and coffee lover. She loves seeing women encouraged to be exactly who God has created them to be and sharing His heart for us through His word. Abi will be talking about grief and how to get acquainted with it and Jesus.

3/4/25 | BONNI GREINER - "SARAN WRAP FAITH" Bonni is the wife of Nevin, with whom she's been married to for 41 years. Together, they have 8 children and 15 grandchildren. She runs a Facebook page and blog titled "Mom By Example" where she gives practical advice for every day adventures with children. She is going to explore Joshua 23:6-11 with us and see how these verses look in our every day lives.

3/18/25 | RYAN & RACHEL HORST - "VICTORY IN JESUS" Ryan and Rachel have been married for 16 years and have 3 children. They are heavily involved in church here at Weaverland and cherish the close connection they have with their Sunday School class. They will be sharing their story and testimony of God's faithfulness through Rachel's sickness and recovery.

4/1/25 | RUTHIE DUNKLE & RACHEL GEHMAN - "GENERATIONAL RELATIONAL CONNECTIONS" Ruthie and Rachel are a mother-daughter speaking duo who love sharing the love of Christ and the truth of His Word from ages 0-100. With four decades of combined speaking experience, Ruthie and Rachel pray they bring encouragement to the weary, hope for the suffering, and Light to the lost. They will be sharing five foundational H's of hope for the generations to build upon, based on passages in Titus and Ephesians 4-6. Regardless of familial status, we'll discover how the Word of God guides us to understand our relationships in light of His mercy and grace.

4/15/25 | MARILYN MARTIN - "TRUSTING & OBEYING IN THE HARD TIMES" Marilyn is the wife of Fred, mother of two, Nana of 6, and a Kindergarten teacher. She and Fred attend church here at Weaverland. Marilyn enjoys reading, the beach, spending time with family, and travel. She is thankful for each new day and the adventure it brings. Marilyn will be showing us lessons that we can learn from the Woman of Zarephath and how we can apply them to our daily experiences.