



# BROWN CORNERS CHURCH

## August 16, 2026

For more information about BCC, check out [www.browncorners.org](http://www.browncorners.org), or visit our Welcome Center in the foyer.

WELCOME

### First Time Guests

We are glad you joined us today! We'd love to hear from you. Scan the QR code and stop by our welcome desk for your free gift!

### BCC Family & Friends

Help us keep our weekly email list up to date by scanning the check-in code.

### FIRST TIME



SCAN ME

### BCC



SCAN ME

### THIS WEEK AT BCC

#### TODAY:

- |                 |                                                           |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| 7:45am          | Prayer in the Prayer Room                                 |
| 8:30am and 11am | Worship Service                                           |
| 8:30am and 11am | BCC Kids                                                  |
|                 | 8:30am   Birth -2nd Grade (Nursery & Classes available)   |
|                 | 3rd-4th grade   Kids Sermon notes available at Check-In   |
|                 | 11am   Birth - Kindergarten (Nursery & Classes available) |
|                 | 1st-4th Grade   Kids Sermon notes available at Check-In   |
| 10am            | Summer Breakouts                                          |
|                 | Nursery - 4th Grade Classes Available                     |

NO EVENING ACTIVITIES (SUMMER BREAK)



10am Sunday Breakouts

AUGUST 16

### **Biblical Manhood**

*Steve Fair | FH*

In a culture filled with conflicting messages about masculinity, God's Word provides a clear and compelling vision for what it means to be a man. This class will explore the biblical characteristics of godly manhood and challenge men to lead, serve, and live faithfully for the glory of God.

### **Faithful Witness in a Messed Up World**

*Paul Shimmons | C7*

Sharing the hope of Christ can feel increasingly challenging in a broken and confused world. This class will equip believers to engage others with truth, grace, and compassion while remaining faithful to the gospel in everyday conversations and relationships.

### **Finishing Well**

*Jeff Thompson | R3*

Wait, what, this sounds as if I am in a race on a course. Join us as we discover that yes you are in a race, discover the goals, and just what is to be won or loss

### **The Purpose of the Church**

*Steve Evans | R5*

What did God intend the church to be, and why does it matter? This class will explore the biblical mission, purpose, and function of the local church, helping believers understand their role in God's plan and the importance of actively participating in the body of Christ.



# CHURCH IN THE PARK

THE GREAT OUTDOOR SERVICE



**AUGUST 23**

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**SHAMROCK PARK  
CLARE**



**SERVICE STARTS  
AT 10AM**



**BAPTISMS**



**LUNCH AFTER SERVICE  
(HAMBURGERS & HOT DOGS  
PROVIDED)**



**BRING A DISH TO PASS  
(PASTA, SALAD, DESSERT, ETC)**

THERE ARE A FEW ELECTRICAL OUTLETS  
AVAILABLE FOR CROCK POTS  
(BUT NOT MANY!)



**STAY AFTER LUNCH  
FROM SOME FUN!**



**KICKBALL  
COMPETITION**



**WIFFLEBALL**



**CORN HOLE  
TOURNAMENT**



**9 SQUARE**



**GAGA BALL**



**SAND  
VOLLEYBALL**



**PLAYGROUND**





# FALL

## *preview*

SUNDAY  
SERVICES

8:30AM  
11AM

AUG  
30 & SEPT  
06  
10AM 10AM

CONNECTION  
SUNDAY

SEPT  
13  
5PM

SUNDAY  
EVENING  
KICKOFF



STUDENT  
COMMUNITIES

MIDDLE SCHOOL &  
HIGH SCHOOL

OCT  
07  
6PM



# Connection SUNDAYS

AUGUST 30 & SEPTEMBER 6 | 10AM



AUGUST 30

*Volunteer* | DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES



Come and see all of our  
Discipleship Classes being offered this Fall



Check out all the ways  
you can serve



SEPTEMBER 6

*Missions* CONNECTION SUNDAY

Maher El'Hajj will be joining us  
to share about his ministry  
with Youth For Christ in Lebanon



📍 LOCATION: FELLOWSHIP HALL

REACH.

BUILD.

SEND.

# Be a **LIFESAVER**

GIVE BLOOD • SAVE LIVES

## THE FACTS



MICHIGAN NEEDS  
**620 UNITS**  
OF BLOOD EVERYDAY.



**1 BLOOD DONATION**  
CAN SAVE 3 LIVES.



**1 IN 4 WOMEN**  
GIVING BIRTH NEED  
A BLOOD DONATION.



MORE THAN **4.5 MILLION**  
PATIENTS WOULD DIE  
EACH YEAR WITHOUT  
LIFESAVING BLOOD  
TRANSFUSIONS IN THE  
US AND CANADA.



DONATING BLOOD  
**BURNS 650 CALORIES.**

## *Sign up*

AND LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE INTERESTED  
IN BEING A PART OF A BLOOD DRIVE HERE AT  
**BROWN CORNERS CHURCH.**

## *Blood Drive Dates*

NOV

**11**

FEB

**10**

**SIGN UP HERE!**



# Parent Resources

Tools to help guide your kids through biblical truths.

Parents! Do you ever feel like a referee between your children?

## SIBLING CONFLICT CHART

The heart behind our magnetic Sibling Conflict Chart is to provide both Scripture and consistency when resolving conflict between siblings.

With different sides on the double-sided chart for the one who sinned and the one who was sinned against, the chart walks through Scripture, prayer, and action to bring reconciliation and peace between siblings.



**Magnetic!**

perfect to put on your refrigerator for quick and easy use



Cost  
**\$5**

**PICK UP YOURS AT  
THE KIDS CHECK-IN  
DESK TODAY!**

| SIBLING CONFLICT Management FOR WHEN YOU HAVE SINNED AGAINST SOMEONE | Step 1 PRAY TO THINK ABOUT YOUR HEART | Step 2 EXAMINE YOUR HEART FOR SINS                                                                       | Step 3 MAKE IT RIGHT WITH OTHERS                                                                                    | Step 4 FORGIVE THE OTHER PERSON | Step 5 TRUST GOD WITH THE OUTCOME |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                                      |                                       |                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                     |                                 |                                   |
| You say something hurtful                                            | <i>Proverbs 12:18</i>                 | Pray that God would use your words to bring healing to others.                                           | Say 3 nice things to the sibling you hurt.                                                                          |                                 |                                   |
| You take, break, or ruin something                                   | <i>Matthew 7:12</i>                   | Pray that God would help you treat others the way that you would want to be treated.                     | Try to give the item back or buy them a new one. Ask if you can do extra things to earn the money to make it right. |                                 |                                   |
| You hurt someone physically                                          | <i>James 1:19-20</i>                  | Pray that God would help you learn to love others through your actions, even when you're angry.          | Apologize for your anger, help them to feel better by getting them an ice pack, cool washcloth, band aid, etc.      |                                 |                                   |
| You are dishonest                                                    | <i>Colossians 3:9-10</i>              | Pray that God would help you learn to always speak the truth, even when it's hard.                       | Tell the truth about the thing that you lied about.                                                                 |                                 |                                   |
| You are bragging or prideful                                         | <i>Proverbs 27:23</i>                 | Pray and ask the Lord to help you walk in humility.                                                      | Encourage your sibling by complimenting them.                                                                       |                                 |                                   |
| You are whining or complaining                                       | <i>Philippians 2:14</i>               | Pray that God will help you grow in joy and thankfulness.                                                | Think about how to express your feelings without whining or complaining. Write 3 things that you are thankful for.  |                                 |                                   |
| You are trying to get your sibling in trouble or being a tattletale  | <i>Matthew 18:15</i>                  | Pray that you will grow in your love for your sibling and in wisdom about handling difficult situations. | Confess your wrongdoing and apologize to your sibling and parent.                                                   |                                 |                                   |

Remember: FOR ANY CONFLICT, IF RESOLUTION CANNOT BE REACHED, TALK TO AN ADULT AND GET THEIR HELP!

Hebrews 10:24 AND LET US CONSIDER HOW TO STIR UP ONE ANOTHER TO LOVE AND GOOD WORKS.

**AUG 22**

# **MESSY GAMES**

**5PM – 8PM**



**MIDDLE SCHOOL &  
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**



**DATE:  
AUG 22**



**TIME:  
5PM – 8PM**



**LOCATION:  
BROWN CORNERS CHURCH**



**STUDENT**  
— MINISTRIES —

YOU'RE  
*invited!*



# Women's



## MINISTRY NIGHT

at

## JAY & WEBBER

## MUSEUM

*Faith. Friendship. Adventure.*



**AUGUST 17**

*Monday*



**6:00 PM**



**LIGHT DINNER**

followed by a tour  
of the museum

*led by Jeff Poet*



**MOUNTED ANIMALS**  
*from around the world*



*Location:* 3891 E Surrey Rd., Clare



# IN THEIR SHOES

THEIR SHOES MY WALK

THE CALLED  
MATTHEW

Steve Evans

## SERMON NOTES

1. Matthew Was Defined by His \_\_\_\_\_
2. Matthew Answered the \_\_\_\_\_
3. Matthew Lived Out His \_\_\_\_\_

# BE THE CHURCH

## BROWN CORNERS CHURCH

*Birthday*

10. Elias Pattullo  
15. Jane Bell  
18. Evan Lake  
19. Arlene Yost  
21. Kathie Kinzel  
23. Cynthia Luther  
23. Douglas Green  
24. Julia Shilling

*Anniversary*

10. David & Amy Allen  
11. Jim & Angie Hurst  
18. Mike & Jenny Zeilinger  
20. David & Cynthia Luther  
25. David & Leota Farrell

*Shut-In*

**William & Bertha Mae Stough**  
homebound

**Diane Butterfield**  
homebound | caring for husband

**Shelly Carter**  
homebound

## BE THE CHURCH: LIVE IT OUT

Pray for the upcoming Church in the Park  
Sunday Invite someone!

Send a note to our  
**Active Servicemen!**

**Zeilinger, Joshua Michael**  
161 Nuchols St  
Unit 7216  
Goodfellow AFB, TX 76908-3310

**CAN WE PRAY  
FOR YOU?**

OUR ELDERS ARE AVAILABLE TO  
PRAY WITH YOU AFTER BOTH  
OUR 8:30AM AND 11AM  
SERVICES!

THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE UP  
FRONT OR AT THE DOORS OR  
ASK ONE OF OUR PASTORS!



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