*September*

**Sun. 11:** Fall Kick Off! 5-7pm

* Meet in Room 203 of the Church - 64 W. Chocolate Ave, Hershey
* Photo Scavenger Hunt in Downtown Hershey

**Sun. 18:** BOND 5-7pm - Creation

**Sun. 25:** BOND 5-7pm- God chooses Abram

*October*

**Sun. 2:** Trunk or Treat planning 5-7pm

**Sun. 9:** \*Small Group Serve Night 3:45-7pm

**Sun. 16:** BOND 5-7pm- Moses is Born

**Wed. 19:** \*Trunk or Treat 4:30-7pm

**Sun. 23:** \*Family Game Night 5-7pm

**Sun. 30:** BOND 5-7pm- Israel Goes Through The Red Sea

*November*

**Sun. 6:** BOND 5-7pm- David Annoited

**Sun. 13:** \*Family Night w/ Meal Prep 5-7pm

**Sun. 20:** \*Cross-Gen Meal Share 5-7pm

*December*

**Sun. 4:** BOND 5-7pm – Jesus is Promised

**Sun. 11:** BOND 5-7pm- Jesus is Born

**Sun. 18:** Christmas Party 4:30-7pm

*Sunday evening BOND gatherings or events conclude with a meal @ 6:30pm in the Social Hall. Signup here to help provide those meals!*

**BOND** – **B**uilding **O**n **N**ew **D**isciples. As a bridge from children’s ministry to youth ministry, BOND is a program just for 5th and 6th graders to make the physical and spiritual transition from childhood to adolescence. BOND has an emphasis on deepening friendships with peers, connecting with adult leaders, serving together in the community, and growing a relationship with God. During a “normal” BOND gathering on Sunday evening, students and leaders will meet in the BOND room (203) of the church for a lesson with games, activities, discussion, and a short video. BOND then joins Discovery Club (K-4th) and Youth Group (7th-12th grade) for a meal together @ 6:30pm in the Social Hall to finish the night!

**Small Group Serve Night** – We’ll join with the Youth Group as our own small group on this special night of serving our community. Everyone will meet in the church parking lot before dividing into small groups to travel to a local farm, ministry, or congregant home. Locations include Milk&Honey Farms, Hope Springs Farm, Cocoa Packs, and congregant homes who are in need of yard work. We’ll finish with dinner in the Social Hall like a normal Sunday evening. Pick-up and drop-off will be at the church.

**Trunk or Treat** – An annual community event in the Church parking lot on the night of the Hershey Halloween Parade! Decorate the trunk of a car with a fun theme and then hand out candy to kids gathering for the Parade. BOND will be planning a trunk of their own on 10/2, but if you’re going to have one as a family, we will certainly encourage the student to be a part of their family’s trunk on the event night! There’ll be a prize for the top 3 trunks! There are also opportunities to serve hot chocolate or help with kid’s activities. [Signup here](https://form.jotform.com/212366011333038) for a trunk or volunteering.

**Family Nights** – The busyness of our world sometimes keeps us from the things that are most important. As a ministry, we want to give opportunities for family BONDing, not just be another thing taking time away from you. Parents are encouraged to join us in the BOND room on these nights for a guided activity and quality time together along with the other BOND families.

**Cross-Gen Meal Share** – Cross-Gen stands for “Cross-Generational” ministry. It’s intentional intergenerational time together for building relationships and faith formation. On this night, we’ll visit with older members of our church over a meal (prepared on 11/13)