

# CMMBC NEWS

## Culture Shock...

After 14 months of isolation, we've been super busy working with people in May. Although the transition from just the two of us to hosting four groups of visitors within 2 weeks was hard, we welcomed the change. The help was desperately needed and deeply appreciated. Praise God for providing the workers.

God has been restoring Tammy's health! We travel back to UVA for her 3-month check-up in a few weeks. Her body has adjusted to the estrogen blocker (to block the estrogen fed cancer) but continues to wrestle with fluid retention (lymphedema). We thank God for the healing and your ongoing prayers.

Blessings! Joe, & Tammy

## We need some volunteers...

We are ready to host workers this summer and fall at CMMBC. If you are interested in volunteering at camp for a day or more, please contact us. We need crews to:

- replace the front porch steps at the Parsonage;
- build steps between Rec Hall and Chapel;
- set forms for a handicap parking pad at the dining hall and building a deck to connect it to the dining hall;
- continue renovation of the downstairs bedrooms in the dining hall, including carpet installation; and
- create social spaces around the splash pad with pavers, tables, and chairs, as well as other play areas and changing booths.

## Thank You! Thank You!

- Andrew & Sierra Childs worked in the background to create the camp coloring book and to identify / order materials to make the Camp in a Box truly special.
- Winnetka Covenant Church prepared craft and activity kits and a teaching DVD for grades K-5, as well as providing funds for Camp in a Box.
- Ball State University Campus House Students worked for a week at camp, helping un-winterize the splash pad, replace sand and borders in the volleyball court, creating craft kits for grades pre-K through 8, and assembling ~200 Camp in a Box, as well as helping with cleaning buildings and groundskeeping.
- Jonesville First Baptist sent several work crews to install the fence around the splash pad.
- Redeemer Covenant Church (Hamilton, OH) provided meat for the entire camp season, trusting us to distribute "extra" to area food ministries.



*Joe with workers from Jonesville First Baptist Church installing the fence around the splash pad.*

## We are hiring for the summer...

Let us know if you are looking for a job. We cannot keep up with the groundskeeping, cleaning for visitors, ongoing project work, and programming at camp. We can provide room and board, as needed. Contact us at [cmmbc1950@gmail.com](mailto:cmmbc1950@gmail.com) or 276-346-1013 if you have any questions or interest in working at CMMBC.

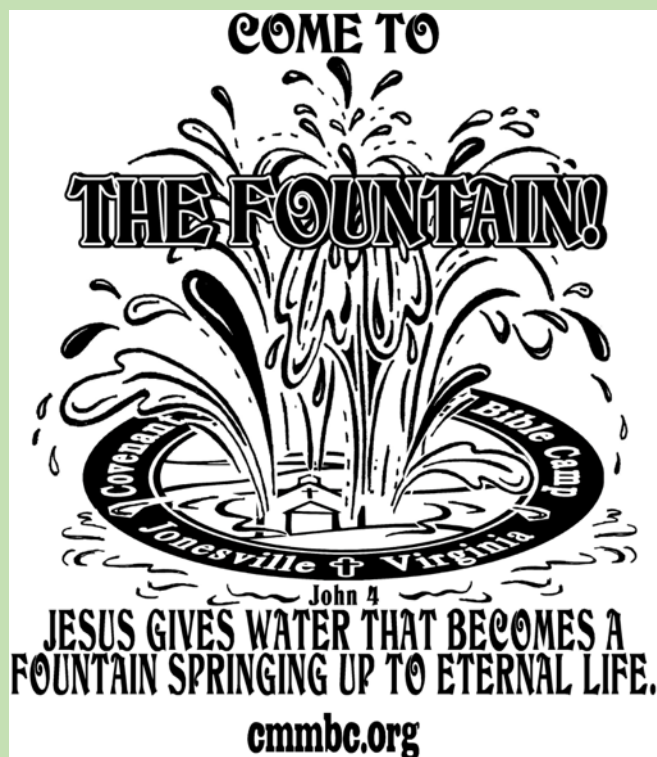


*Students from Christian Student Foundation at Ball State University (Indiana) working at the volleyball court with the new sand to get it ready to open.*

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## Summer Activities for 2021

We are excited about the summer plans at CMMBC! The splash pad is ready and the calendar is starting to fill-up with reservations for families and groups to use the splash pad this summer. By taking reservations, the staff at CMMBC can provide a safe setting for your family or group to be together at a fun place to play. We look forward to seeing you this summer!



### Ride your Bike with Joe (Entire Family)

Meet Joe at Pennington Gap Greenway Pavilion 2 (near the ball field and playground) on any Monday night in June & July from 7-8 PM for a short devotional and a bicycle ride. **FREE!** No registration is required. Just show up! Parents/guardians must attend for children under the age of 12 years. Helmets required. Let us know if you need one!

### Young Adults at CMMBC

#### High Schoolers & 2020 & 2021 Graduates

We welcome high school students and recent graduates to join us for a short Bible Study, fellowship and canteen time on any Tuesday night in June & July at camp from 7-9 PM. **FREE!** No registration is required. Bring your friends!

### Splash Time (Reservations are required.)

#### Parents/Guardians must be present.

The Splash Pad is open! We are accepting reservations for groups to use the splash pad this summer, Wednesday-Sunday in June & July. The cost is \$20 per hour or FREE with a service project at the camp.

### Camp in a Box (Pre-School – Grade 8)

We have plenty of surprises for children! You can order a **FREE!** box for your campers at [cmmbc.org](http://cmmbc.org) or by calling 276-346-1013. One free hour of splash pad use per family is included with a Camp in a Box order. Deliveries or pick-ups are being scheduled. This offer is while supplies last.

### Community Soccer Camps (Grades K-12)

**FREE!** Soccer Camps are July 26-30, 2021 at Leeman Field. Shelli Streeper is returning to lead a team from Salem Covenant Church (New Brighton, MN). We look forward to partnering with Shelli's team and the Lee County Soccer Association to kick off the fall soccer league. You can register now at [cmmbc.org](http://cmmbc.org) or by calling 276-346-1013. Updates will be communicated at [cmmbc.org](http://cmmbc.org).

### Art Camp (Grades 2-5)

Art Camp for grades 2-5 is on July 26-30, 2021 at CMMBC from 9 AM-noon. Lunch will be provided. Camper check-in will start at 8:30 AM at CMMBC. Parents or guardians must provide transportation. Pre-Registration and a paid \$10 fee are required by July 10, 2021, so that we can assure that adequate supplies are available for each camper. Space is limited. Scholarships are available upon request. You can register now at [cmmbc.org](http://cmmbc.org) or by calling 276-346-1013.