

# Youth Bible School

**DATES:** November 7-13, 2022

**ELIGIBILITY:** Youth ages 16-30

**DAYTIME SESSIONS:**

**Jesus Christ—Our Living Head**

by Melvin Bricker,  
Chambersburg, PA

**Distinctive Doctrines of the Church**

by Simon Mast,  
Denver, PA

**Christian Friendship**

*God's Plan for Meeting Our Social Needs*

by Wilmer Martin,  
Myerstown, PA

**CHORUS REHEARSAL AND PROGRAM:**

Earl Fox Jonathan Oberholtzer,  
Ephrata, PA Womelsdorf, PA

**EVENING REVIVAL MEETINGS:**

by Dale Gish,  
Harmony, NC  
*and others*



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[www.ephrataministries.org](http://www.ephrataministries.org)

*Please feel free to make copies of this application for others*

## 2022 APPLICATION FORM

Youth's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Male  Female  
 First-Time Student  Returning Student  
Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_  
Church Name and Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Pastor's Name and Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please include a recent portrait or snapshot of yourself.**

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$110.00**

Payable to "Ephrata Christian Fellowship."  
*(If the fee creates a hardship for you, apply anyway. We will consider making an exception. This fee will be refunded if unable to attend.)*

The registration fee does not cover optional items, such as CDs, group pictures, etc.

If your application is accepted, we will send a confirmation by mail, or to your e-mail address, if provided. It will include a form with additional information about lodging and travel arrangements.

Please return your application by **October 15.**

**Send to:**

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400 W. Main St. Ste. 1  
Ephrata PA 17522-1760  
1-855-557-7902 or (717) 721-7775  
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**Ephrata Christian Fellowship**  
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Ephrata, PA 17522

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## PURPOSE AND MISSION

The purpose and mission of this Bible School is to provide teaching and instruction in a controlled environment to those young people who are serious about their relationship with Christ. We desire to provide an atmosphere with the least amount of distractions possible for the learning and growth of each student. We don't expect every student to have the same relationship or experience with Christ. However, we do expect each student to be willing to learn and to be compliant to the standards of the Bible School.

We will evaluate each application and send a confirmation if accepted, and if not accepted, we will send an explanation.

Registration for the students will begin at 8:00 AM Monday morning.

The schedule is full of teaching, prayer, sharing, and singing. We will have a revival service each evening except Wednesday and Saturday evening. Sunday evening will be a program with the student chorus singing.

The students will be supervised throughout each day and evening. The local church families will provide lodging for all the students.

In an effort to provide the best atmosphere for growth, development and learning we have a few guidelines we feel are pertinent to mention in this application:

1. No student may leave the premises without permission from a principal except in the evening to return to your host family.
2. Students will be expected to attend all sessions.
3. Modest attire is required that conceals the form of the body. Thus modesty without question is the expression.

a. Young Ladies:

We ask that the young ladies wear a dress or skirt without slits and a loose-fitting second layer (jumper, cape dress, vest, or something similar). We also ask that the young ladies wear their hair up and prefer they wear a head covering.

b. Young Men:

We ask that the young men do not wear T-shirts, blue jeans or any other comparable casual clothing.

4. We request that you do not use cell phones on the school grounds, except in an emergency. If you need to make a call during school hours, please obtain permission from a principal or a matron. This would include texting and any other social media activity.
5. The Bible School will plan no other extracurricular activities and we encourage students to not engage in activities that would be a distraction from the purpose of Bible School.

## 2022 QUESTIONNAIRE

### All students are required to complete this section.

We are seeking a group of young people that are minded to think spiritually and conservatively:

1. Spiritually, meaning that they are coming to this Bible School because they are interested in the things of God more than carnal or fleshly distractions. This does not mean we cannot enjoy the lighter side of things occasionally.
2. Conservatively, meaning that they are not willing to allow the changing fads of the world or culture to change their ideas, ideals or attitudes. They are willing to make practical application to Scriptural principles.

We are looking for young people that see beyond the frivolous tendency of youth, that want mature guidance, and who are willing to be taught and eager to learn.

You may feel that this is a change in the direction of our Youth Bible School...it is! We feel like we need to provide a safer, more spiritually focused atmosphere in the future than we have in the past. This is not meant to scare anyone away. It is an attempt to describe the direction we are hoping to go in the future.

Do you consider yourself to be in that group? **Please write at least one paragraph explaining your answer on a separate sheet of paper.** We will consider your answer, along with other criteria, to determine your qualification to participate in the Bible School this year. This information will be kept confidential to the Bible School administration.

This may be the last opportunity to be in the spiritual atmosphere this school desires to provide. Jesus is coming!

*Your signature below indicates that you have read and understand the Purpose and Mission of the Bible School with the guidelines and expectations as outlined above. It also indicates that you are willing to be under the authority of and take direction from the administrators, principals and matrons during the week of the Bible School. You agree to submit to their discernment and expectations in matters of question, especially concerning dress, behavior and attitude. By signing and returning this application you agree that you are serious about your relationship with and pursuit of Christ. For this we rejoice! Thank you for your commitment to Christ and for taking the time to fill out this application.*

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*Applicant's signature*

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*Parent's/guardian's signature, indicating approval of attendance (required)*

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*Relationship to student (father, mother, etc.)*