

When the leaves start changing colors, we know to anticipate Harvestfest. Whether you've been a part of Elmbrook for years or are new, you may wonder why we spend a week focusing on the world each fall.

To answer that, we have to look at the greater narrative of the Scriptures. The Bible is much more than a book of rules or a collection of stories. It is one book with one story from start to finish: the story of God intentionally working to redeem and reconcile all nations, tribes, and peoples back to Himself. From His promise to Abram in Genesis 12:3, "all peoples on earth will be blessed through you" to its fulfillment in Revelation.

THE SCRIPTURES ARE AN EPIC NARRATIVE. ONE WHERE GOD RELENTLESSLY PURSUES PEOPLE FROM EVERY NATIONALITY & ETHNICITY TODAY!

The church finds identity in God's global mission, and every follower of Jesus is invited to be a part of this mission in some way. Harvestfest is our church's time to pause and remind ourselves of this truth, celebrate what God is doing around the world, and mobilize the church body in pursuit of the lost.

I want to personally invite you to clear your calendar and engage with us this week. My prayer is that you will be inspired, motivated, and challenged as you hear from various speakers and field workers.

> I hope to see you there! Warmly.

Elmbrook Church | Pastor of Mission

## **WEEKENDS**

Opening and closing weekend worship services are held at all Elmbrook campuses during regular service times.

#### **BROOKFIELD CAMPUS:**

Saturday at 5pm | Sunday at 9 & 10:45am

**ELMBROOK EN ESPAÑOL**: Brookfield Chapel Sunday at 10:45am

> LAKE COUNTRY CAMPUS: Sunday at 10am

## **WEEKNIGHTS**

### MONDAY/TUESDAY OCTOBER 21/22

(Brookfield campus only)

#### 5-6:15PM THE DINER THE GYM

Menu on page 8

#### 5:45-6:30PM WORKSHOPS

Info on pages 5-6

## 6:40PM HARVESTFEST KIDS CHECK-IN | AMPHITHEATER

6:45-8PM

## MAIN SESSION

WORSHIP CENTER

LOBBY DISPLAYS & TRADES OF HOPE





## **OPENING WEEKEND**

OCTOBER 19/20

KEYNOTE SPEAKER MICHAEL OH

ELMBROOK EN ESPAÑOL OVIDIO OCHAETA

## **CLOSING WEEKEND**

OCTOBER 26/27

SPEAKERS: BROOKFIELD LEE HEYWARD

**LAKE COUNTRY** ANDREW JOHNSTON

ELMBROOK EN ESPAÑOL PACO COJON

## **WEEKNIGHT SESSIONS**

MONDAY

DAVID KASALI

THE SUFFERING CHURCH

#### FEATURING

JAMAL & SUSAN HASHWEH BIO & DERIDA OCHAETA MALCOLM & JULIE CLEGG

KEYNOTE SPEAKER KEYNOTE SPEAKER DAVE H.

UNREACHED\LEAST REACHED PEOPLE

#### FEATURING

DAVE & PAM L. **DUANE DIETZE BROOKE BATEMAN** 

## **SPECIAL EVENTS**

Parents join us for TASTE OF THE WORLD

FLIPSIDE | 6-8PM

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

world prepared by

Cuisine from around the FlipSide Friday is a monthly gathering for kids age 3 to fifth grade.

#### **UPSTART KITCHEN ENTREPRENEURS**

FEATURING

#### FEATURING

**ELMBROOK** FIELD WORKERS

## DRAYER & WORSHIP NIGHT | 6:45-8PM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25 | LAKE COUNTRY

# MICHAEL DH

Executive Director/CEO of the Lausanne Movement (founded in 1974 by Dr. Billy Graham and Rev. John Stott).

Michael is of Korean descent. born in America. He received his BA, MS, and PhD degrees at the University of Pennsylvania. He also completed an MDiv at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School as well as an MA in Regional Studies, East Asia. at Harvard University

He serves as Chairman of the Board of Directors for Christ Bible Institute, which he founded in 2004.

In 2007 he joined the Lausanne Board of Directors as its youngest member. He has served as Executive Director/CEO since March 2013. Michael answered the call to lead the Lausanne Movement because of a passion that he "wants the world to look different in ten years."



@ohfamily

Michael played ice hockey from age 3.

In the final game of his career, he was

(He scored the only goal in the 3-1 game).

The next day, despite the loss,

eiected from the State Semi-Finals.

his senior year-for fighting.

Michael was featured on the front of the

sports page in the local newspaper-

punching the other guy in the face.



MICHAEL YOUNG-SUK OH April 19, 1971

QUICK FACTS

Married to Pearl.

They have five kids.

The family served as missionaries in Japan for over 10 years.

Loves Hawaiian Punch.

Recently fell in love with scuba diving.

Lausanne has hosted the three largest & most globally representative gatherings of church leaders in the 2000-year history of the church, guiding the strategy for global missions.

## HARVESTFEST HIGHLIGHTS



## HARVESTFEST INTERNATIONAL DINER

MON/TUES. | 5-6:15PM | GYM

Purchase items a la carte, many with an international flair. All tickets \$1.00; menu items are 1-6 tickets each. Take your meal and enjoy one of our many workshops!

## TAKE A FIELD WORKER TO LUNCH

THURSDAY 11:30AM-1:30PM

Treat a field worker couple or individual to lunch at your favorite local restaurant! Sign up at elmbrook.org/harvestfest.

## TRADES OF HOPE

WEEKNIGHTS: BROOKFIELD | 6:15-7PM/8-8:45PM Purchase fair trade items made by artisans from around the world, empowering them through sustainable business.

WEEKENDS: LOBBIES AT BOTH CAMPUSES

## HARVESTFEST KIDS

MON/TUES. EVENINGS AT BROOKFIELD We have special activities just for kids! Check-in for Harvestfest Kids begins at 6:40pm.

#### **INFANT-2 YEARS: Nursery C200s**

For auestions or to volunteer: Emily, egunter@elmbrook.org

#### 3 YEAR-K5: Preschool B100s

For questions or to volunteer: Jewel, jrichardson@elmbrook.org

#### **GRADES 1-5: AMPHITHEATER**

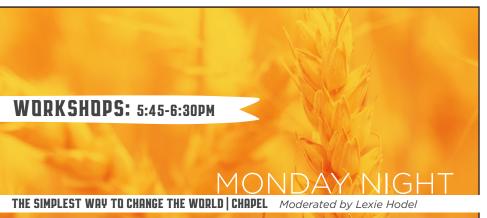
For questions or to volunteer: Andrea, ahopgood@elmbrook.org

## PRAYER & WORSHIP NIGHT

FRIDAY, OCT. 25 | 6:45-8PM | LAKE COUNTRY Do you pray for people you don't even know? Learn more about the 7,000 people groups who have yet to hear the gospel. We will worship, hear from field workers, and, most importantly, learn to pray for those who do not know of Jesus, but are dear to his heart.

## MISSION CAFE HOURS

BROOKFIELD CAMPUS ONLY Regular Weekend hours Mon/Tues. 5:30-7pm



Is hospitality a thing of the past? Jesus spent much of his time around the table sharing a meal with those who desired to know more of Him. Have you considered that extending hospitality to others can result in life changing spiritual conversations? Learn from field workers and a congregational member who regularly open their table and lives to others.

#### WHERE DO WE FIT IN FELLOWSHIP HALL EAST by Mel Lawrenz

We live today in an epic story of the growth of Christianity around the world. But how did that happen? What was so compelling about the gospel that caused millions of people to believe? And how do the different Christian traditions relate to each other? This workshop will explain the major movements within Christianity and how we fit in today.

#### MISSION UNIQUE | FELLOWSHIP HALL WEST Moderated by Jake Leigh

God has created us with a unique set of gifts and skills to be used for His purposes. Increase your passion for seeing the spread of the gospel and hear examples of how God can use seemingly ordinary gifts and skills for His amazing purposes. Meet field workers and a congregational member who have impacted Bible translation. Wisconsin athletes, and corporate America in extraordinary ways.



## FAMILY ON MISSION | CHAPEL Moderated by Julie Bayless

Is your family serving together to impact our world? Meet three Elmbrook families on mission who have served globally, in their local community, and in their home. Come away with ideas of how your family could take the next step toward serving others across the street or around the world.

## THE WORLD ON OUR DOORSTEP | FELLOWSHIP HALL EAST Moderated by Martha Basile

God continues to bring the world to Metro Milwaukee to our schools, universities, and workplaces. Learn from an Eastbrook couple who have extended the love of Jesus to international students for decades, a couple from Elmbrook who has moved into the immigrant community, and the openness that exists to engage in relationship with students on our university campuses today.

#### FINDING JESUS IN UNEXPECTED PLACES | FELLOWSHIP HALL WEST Moderated by Shannon Olson

As followers of Jesus, we are called to serve others, yet so often we see this as an end goal - a next step in our Christian walk. But what if serving others is actually the first step to encountering Jesus in a much deeper, relational way? Join us as we hear from those who have received incredible support and blessing from the very people they felt called to "serve".



# VISITING WORKERS

**Brooke Bateman David & Kristen Burson** Malcolm & Julie Clegg

**Duane Dietze** 

Josh Green

Jamal & Susan Hashweh

Dave & Rebecca H.

Sean & Jenna Kaiser

Erick & Ellisa Lettner

Dave & Pam L.

Ralph & Linda Mierow

Ovidio & Derida Ochaeta

John & Rebecca P.

Mariano & Fanny Pineda

**GLOBAL PARTNER** David & Kaswera Kasali

TOTAL NUMBER workers & mission apprentices



#### VISITING PARTNERS

#### LOCAL PARTNERS:

Hope Street | International Language Center & Tutoring (ILCT) | PRISM EDC | Safe Families | WIEA Community Warehouse

#### **GLOBAL PARTNERS**

Congo Initiative | Lausanne Movement | OM Bangladesh

## MAIN COURSE <



SAMOSA: Beef filled dough pocket served w/spiced chickpeas (d) HARISSA: Brisket sliders w/ carrot slaw or sweet potato fries (d)

FISH TACO: Battered cod, crunchy slaw, tartar sauce, served w/ corn cake

POLISH PIEROGI & KAPUSTA: Potato & cheddar dumplings, w/ sautéed cabbage

## SOUP & SALAD



TICKET TICKET TICKET TICKET CHIRC. S1 - CHIRC. S1

PAELLA: Chicken, shrimp, sausage, w/ Arborio rice (g|d)

MOROCCAN: Spiced vegetables w/ couscous

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CREAM OF MUSHROOM: French classic w/ roasted mushrooms (v|g)

MISO: Traditional Japanese miso broth, tofu, green onion chard (v|d) TICKET TICKET TICKET TICKET CONGRESS

POT STICKER: Asian veggies w/ sesame dressing, rice noodles, almonds & pot stickers (d)

CLASSIC KALE SALAD: Apple-vinaigrette, Parmesan cheese, craisins & almonds (g|d)

STRAWBERRY SPINACH SALAD: Cinnamon walnuts, feta & poppy seed dressing (gld)

TICKET TICKET TICKET

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## DESSERTS FUN FOODS

POT STICKERS: A la carte w/ dipping sauce (d)

**COOKIES: Reg or GF** MAC & CHEESE

FRIES: Add cheese (+1) add chili (+1) (q)

TEXAS CAVIAR: W/ guac & homemade tortilla chips (v|g|d)

CHICKEN NUGGETS: W/ ketchup, ranch, or bbg sauce



**CHOCOLATE CAKE:** w/raspberry drizzle

FLAN (g)

## **BEVERAGES**

LEMONADE. WATER &

**BOTTLED WATER** HOT APPLE CIDER

**CHAITEA** 



Monday & Tuesday | 5-6:15pm | Gym

(v) Vegetarian (g) Gluten Free (d) Dairy Free



(FAITH PROMISE)

## **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

With this commitment. you put seeds in the ground that will yield a harvest.

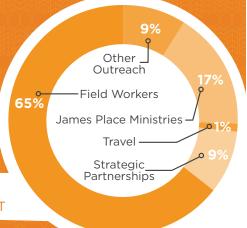
Our partners doing gospel work here and around the world will thank God for your support of the great mission Christ gave us.

To make this simpler, your HARVEST COMMITMENT (Faith Promise) is now a monthly commitment, as God provides. Commitment cards will be collected in worship services on October 26/27.

Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly. and whoever sows generously will also reap generously 2 CORINTHIANS 9:6

The Mission Leadership Team. a sub-committee of the Council of Elders made up of elders, staff, and congregrants, steward the vision, priorities, and budget of the Harvest Fund.

> HARVEST FUND 2019/2020 BUDGET



## **NEXT STEPS AFTER HARVESTFEST**

#### PRAY:

Sign up for the Field Worker Prayer email at elmbrook.org/email.

Praver for the World: second Sundays Brookfield: 10:45am-noon | Lake Country: 8:45-9:45am

All are welcome! Join us to pray for our field workers.

#### SERVE:

James Place Ministries: Elmbrook's local mission has five locations in Waukesha and Milwaukee. James Place is always looking for caring individuals to "build relationships, respond to needs & offer hope, all in the name of Jesus". elmbrook.org/jamesplace

Short-term Missions Teams: Explore the possibilities of Short-term mission teams both stateside (Disaster Response and Rebuild) or globally (Haiti, Columbia, Guatemala, Mexico).

#### EDUCATE:

Harvest Hour: third Sundays starting Nov. 17 | Brookfield: 10:45am Hear from our partners or field workers from around the world. elmbrook.org/harvesthour

Welcoming the Stranger: Starts Sunday, Nov. 3 | Brookfield: 10:45am Come discover God's heart for the immigrant as we explore what the Bible says about care for immigrants and refugees.

elmbrook.org/welcomingthestranger

Trauma Informed Care: Sundays, starting Jan. 19 | Brookfield: 10:45am This course teaches principles for serving those who have experienced psychological trauma.

elmbrook.org/trauma

Perspectives: January-May | Various locations in Waukesha & MKE This 15-week course is designed around four "perspectives" of global mission: biblical, historical, cultural and strategic. Each one highlights different aspects of God's global purpose.

perspectives.org

#### **GATHER:**

Cultivate: First Sundays | Brookfield: 12:15pm

Join other missionally minded young adults as we gather for food. fellowship and to talk with experienced mission professionals.

elmbrook.org/mission

Care Teams: Develop a relationship with one of our supported field workers—communicating, caring, and praying for their ongoing needs.

#### CONNECT:

For updates about all of our learning opportunities, serving needs and more, sign up for our mission email blast at elmbrook.org/email.





SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES

THE FIRST ELMBROOK
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**ELMBROOK'S 1ST** 

1971 MISSIONS COMMITTEE ORGANIZED

1973 EMPHASIS ON PIONEER CHURCH

ANTING & BIBLE TRANSLATION 1975 FAITH PROMISE IMPLEMENTED

SENDING FOCUS: BORANA PEOPLE OF KENYA | In 2019 these people are no longer "UNREACHED"

1982 ELMBROOK HELPED PLANT THE

HMONG ALLIANCE

🗓 LAO CHRISTIAN

1985 SENDING FOCUS: CARACAS VENEZUELA SENDING FOCUS: TAJIKISTAN

HARVESTFEST

1996 PARTNERSHIP WITH THE BIBLE LEAGUE AND AFRICA PFACE INITIATIVE

INTERNATIONAL CENTER STARTS

FROM

REACHING

PEOPLE

DIFFERENT COUNTRIES

ELMBROOK MEMBERS & SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES

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2005

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FAITH, HOPE, LIFE, IN OUR COMMUNITY

NOW 5 LOCATIONS

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FIELD WORKERS

HAVE BEEN SENT

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