

August 4, 2019

Attendance: 54
Church: \$1901.91
Missions: \$167.09
Total: \$2069.00

Pastoral Elder Team:

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Gingrichs Mennonite Church

A Committed Community Abiding in Christ

August 11, 2019

Prelude	
Opening Worship	The Music Team
Offering and Announcements	Tom Turley
Offertory	Susan & Seth Fenstermaker
Children's Worship	Ashlea Good
Scripture	Genesis 2 & 3
Sermon	"What Voice Matters Most?" Kait Barnum
Song of Response	
Testimony, Sharing and Prayer	Tom Turley
Closing Song	

For church openings in August, please contact

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THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, Aug 14	Ladies' Bible Study	9:30-11 a.m.
	WEBS	7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Aug 15	Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.

District Picnic: August 25

Church Retreat: October 18-20

Church Office hours: Wed & Fri 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline is Friday at 1:00 p.m.

August 18, 2019

Worship Leader: Myron Miller

Music: The Music Team

Children's Worship: Ryan & Bethany Umble

Speaker: Kait Barnum

Sound: Jeff Okamoto

Fellowship Meal

Our current congregational spiritual practice is Repetition. Scripture uses repetition in story-telling, in the psalms, in feasts and festivals, repeating concepts, words, phrases, and sentences. For example, in Revelation 4:8, we are told that the four living creatures never stop saying, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come." God uses repetition to reveal, emphasize, and implant truth more and more deeply in our hearts and minds.

This week, please join together in reading and meditating on the following Scripture every day, possibly multiple times each day: Hosea 11:1-9

Consider reading the verses aloud, singing the words, thinking about it as you exercise, and/or drawing or painting the Scripture. Write down what God shows you and share it with each other on the whiteboard in the foyer on Sunday."

Announcements

Pastoral Search Committee

The Pastoral Search Committee again invites your participation in prayer and fasting as we discern the person God is calling to pastor our congregation. For the next 4 weeks, we encourage everyone to fast the supper/dinner meal each Thursday with the purpose of praying and interceding as we continue to seek God's will. The verse chosen for **this week August 15th**: When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all truth. (John 16:13)

The Pastoral Search Committee

Barry Freed, Carol Hershey, Diane Hoover, Myron Miller, & Bishop Dave Musser

Fall Retreat

Don't forget registration forms are due by September 29th so we can give Camp Hebron an accurate number of those attending.

Fellowship Meal

There will be a fellowship meal next Sunday after our worship service. Ryan and Bethany Umble will be making a Cambodian Inspired Lunch for us. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.

Some Details of the Hershey Chocolate Bike Tour

- We fed the riders (8) watermelons- and would have handed out more if we had them!
- Riders drank (7) quarts of pickle juice
- We used approximately 10 bags of ice
- Randy Felty walked 3.75 miles just filling the Gatorade coolers.
- I don't have any exact numbers yet but it looks as though we helped to raise about \$120,000 for cancer research.
- Riders were very thankful for the canopies! It was a hot one.

No Longer Alone

The No Longer Alone Family Support Group will meet August 25 at Rossmere Mennonite Church, 741 Janet Ave., Lancaster, at 3:00 P.M. Jerome S. Heisey, CTFA, Relationship Manager, Clermont Wealth Strategies will speak on Creative Approaches to Financial Planning (concerning someone with mental illness). Share and Prayer time will follow at 4:10 P.M. All are welcome.