

Sept 8, 2019

Attendance: 56
Church: \$3645.35
Missions: \$419.65
Total: \$4065.00

Pastoral Elder Team:

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Gingrichs Mennonite Church
A Committed Community Abiding in Christ

September 15, 2019

Prelude	Charlene Peachey
Opening Worship	The Music Team
Announcements and Offering	Tom Turley
Offertory	Charlene Peachey
Scripture	Ephesians 4
Sermon	“A Committed Community Abiding in Christ” Doreen Miller
Communion	
Covenant Signing	
Sending Song	The Music Team

For church openings in September, please contact
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THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, Sept 18	Ladies' Bible Study	9:30- 11a.m
Thursday, Sept 19	Elder's Meeting	8:00 a.m.
	Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.

Church Retreat: October 18-20

Church Office hours: Wed & Fri 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Bulletin Deadline is Friday at 8:00 a.m.

September 22, 2019

Praise, Thanksgiving & Worship

Worship Leader: Myron Miller

Music: The Music Team

Children's Worship: Les & Gloria Frey

Sound: Jeff Okamoto

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: Romans 12:1-10

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

Hygiene Kits

There is a box in the lobby to collect items for the hygiene kits that will be packed at Camp Hebron in October. Please help us collect the following items (we need one of each per kit): Adult sized toothbrush, bath soap bar, good quality nail clippers, dark colored hand towel, and wide toothed comb. Items should be new and in original packaging. Mennonite Central Committee provides toothpaste for the kits due to expiration date requirements.

Retreat Snacks & Activities

There are sign-up sheets on the bulletin board to bring snacks for retreat and to participate in a few organized activities, please sign up where you can, thanks, The Retreat Planners.

On the Saturday night of our Church Retreat, we are seeking camp favorites to share. Think back to being a camper as a youth. What songs did you sing? What skits did the staff perform? Those who are willing to lead us in singing an old favorite or if you have gathered together an acting troupe, contact Bill Fenstermaker via church mail box or billfenstermakerjr@gmail.com. No song is too simple, no skit too silly!

Vision Care Ethiopia

You are invited to a fund raising meal for Vision Care Ethiopia that will be held at the Meetinghouse on the Eastern Mennonite Missions campus, 53 W Brandt Blvd. Salunga, PA 17538 on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from Noon to 4 p.m.

Picnic Today

Please join us at the Hoover's Farm (400 Mount Wilson Road, Lebanon) at 5:00 this evening for a great time of food and fellowship. BBQ Chicken and drinks will be provided, please to bring a salad or dessert to share and a lawn chair if you have one.