

April 1, 2018

**Birthdays This Week:**

Francisca Ramirez - 4/1      Shirley Stromme Schlabach - 4/6  
William Fuentes - 4/6

**Our Church:**

- Mic Miller's father is in poor health
- Will Beachy is recovering from a bad fall
- Jamie's grandmother had a bad stroke and has moved to rehab
- Pray for David Miller's granddaughter's recovery from surgery
- Please pray for Christine Nafziger, who is suffering with poor health
- Please remember Marta, who is discouraged about not getting her daughter back. Her daughter has been taken somewhere in Honduras
- Remember Juan Lainez's father Gerardo who is very sick
- Remember those in our congregation who are traveling
- Health: Dorothy Mast, Marlin Yoder, Kathie Hazlett, Tim Roth, Mary Hipp, Art Miller
- Visitation: Bernice Miller, Charlie Welder, Will Beachy, Esther Yoder, Dennis Gerber, Paul & Carol Roth, Art Miller, Larry & Jean Sheets, Paul Thomas

**Local/Community/Mennonite Church**

- Health: Barbara Schrock, Kurt Stutzman, Wendy Beutel, Ernie Hershberger

**State/Nation/World/Missions**

- Keep praying for the young people in DACA (the Dreamers) whose future in this country is so precarious
- **From Mennonite Disaster Service:** MDS has many urgent volunteer needs and several job opportunities. Please pray for those considering service with MDS and for the volunteers as they travel to and from locations, handle tools, repair and build homes and bring hope to disaster survivors.
- **From Mennonite Mission Network:** On this Easter Sunday, meditate on the words of Clarence Jordan, co-founder of Koinonia Farm in Georgia (a Mennonite Mission Network SOOP placement): "The good news of the resurrection is not [only] that we shall die and go home to be with [Jesus], but that he has risen and comes home with us, bringing all his hungry, naked, thirsty, sick prisoner brothers [and sisters] with him."

**Church Office Hours This Week:**

<b>Jamie</b>	Thurs., Fri.	9:00 am - 2:00 pm
<b>Margaret</b>	Weds., Fri.	10:00 am - 2:00 pm
<b>Treasury Work</b>	Wednesday	4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

**TODAY—April 1, 2018**

- ♦ 9:00 am - Breakfast
- ♦ 10:00 am - Worship

**Greeters:** Yormary & Deysi  
**Sound:** Bobby Hershberger  
**Toddler Care:** Beth Hershberger  
**Ushers:** Bruce Kooker  
**Flowers:** Rhoda Mast

**Sundays-At-A-Glance**

*April 8 - Ralph Reinford speaking*  
*April 15 - Jamie speaking*  
*April 22 - Jamie speaking*  
*April 29 - Eric Raber speaking, Mission Sunday, Your Coins Count*

**Upcoming Events**

April 5 **Elder's Meeting**, 6:30 pm  
April 5, 12, 19, 26 **ESL Classes** at MMC, 5:30 pm  
April 6-8 **Men's Retreat** at Camp Luz  
April 10 **Worship Planning Meeting** at MMC, 6:30 pm  
April 11 **55+ meeting** at Mrs. Yoder's, 9:00 am  
April 11 **Church Council Meeting**, at MMC, 7:00 pm  
April 13-14 **Mother-Daughter Retreat** at Camp Luz  
April 19 **Holmes County Ministerial Meeting**, noon at Jitters  
April 21 East Central Ohio Sanctuary Network Mobile **Immigration Workshop**, 1:30 pm at Oak Grove Mennonite  
April 27-28 **Father-Son Retreat** at Camp Luz

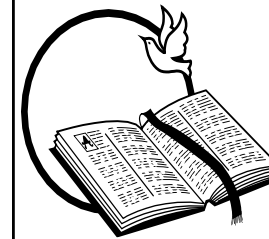
**Serving Next Sunday—April 8, 2018**

**Worship Leader:** Bruce Kooker  
**Song Leader:**  
**Prelude:**  
**Sound:** Phil Yoder

**Greeters:** Juan Lainez & Joe H-K  
**Toddler Care:** Linda Yoder  
**Ushers:** Colin & Julia Mishler  
**Flowers:** Rhoda Mast

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	<i>(audio sermons are now online under "Worship" menu)</i>	
<b>Ohio Conference</b>	<b>www.ohiomennoniteconference.org</b>	



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*Easter Sunday*

**GATHERING**

Prelude	MMC Strings
Call to Worship & Opening Prayer	Mahlon Yoder

**PRAISING**

Congregational Singing	Rhoda Mast
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**CHILDREN'S STORY**

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Scripture: John 20:1-23  
Message: *What the Resurrection Teaches Us* Jamie Rye

**RESPONDING to GOD'S WORD**

Handel's *Messiah* - "The Trumpets Shall Sound"  
DJ McFadden

Offering  
Congregational Sharing  
Announcements  
Congregational Prayer



**SENDING**

Closing Song  
Benediction

**Songbook Key**  
HWB=Hymnal Worship Book (Blue)  
PWB=Praise & Worship Book (Yellow)  
STJ=Sing The Journey (Green)  
STS=Sing The Story (Purple)  
ISB=International Songbook (White)

Sunday, April 1, 2018

John 20:1-23

*What the Resurrection Teaches Us*

Jamie Rye



**Treasurer's Report 2018**

Attendance March 25: 61

Offering March 25:

General Fund: \$2,548.63

MYF: 53.50

Ext. Missions:

Designated: 354.00

**Total Offering: \$2,956.13**

General Offering		Giving Per Sunday Avg.	
YTD Goal	\$ 46,440.00	Budget Goal	\$3,870.00
YTD Giving	<u>40,626.62</u>	Actual Avg. Giving	<u>3,385.55</u>
Over/(Under)	\$ (5,813.38)	Over/(Under)	\$ (484.45)

**Thank You From Art Miller**

"Thank you for the flower arrangement. I am really enjoying it." - Art Miller

**A Message from Zack and Rachel**

Zack and I would like to thank everyone in the congregation for their prayers while we adjust after bringing Abha home. Everything's been going very well so far. The food has been wonderful and the delightful flowers were uplifting and well received by the kiddos!

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**Camp Wanake Resurrection Egg Hunt**

Mark your calendar for the Resurrection Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 7, from 2-6 pm. Registration starts at 2:00 pm and the Hunt starts at 2:30 pm. The hunt includes prize eggs, candy and awesome prizes, like camperships for summer camp (up to \$100). Check out great activities like wagon tours of camp, pony rides, rock climbing, and more! Go to campwanake.org

**Church Council Meeting on Wednesday, April 11**

Our next Council Meeting is scheduled for April 11 at 7:00 pm.

**Serve with the Food Committee**

1. We're looking for new leaders for the Funeral Committee. As of May 1, Carol and Sandy will be stepping down. Please contact Sheryl Kooker if you are interested.
2. Hospitality project: For the next few months, we would like to have two people or families each month sign up to ask someone to lunch or dinner. Time and Date would be up to you. A sign up sheet will be on the bulletin board.

**MCC Vietnam Storytelling Events**

Join MCC for stories of Vietnam with special guest speakers Doug Hostetter and Thien Tran. In light of the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War, Doug will share his experiences in Vietnam as a conscientious objector with MCC, and Thien will also share about growing up after the war and the legacy it left behind. April 7 and 8, check our bulletin board for details.

**Central Christian School Announcements**

1. **Annual Auction** - We are so grateful and humbled by the outpouring of support. The sale generated over \$440,000 to continue Central's mission of growing leaders and building the church. Thank you to each one who had a part in making this day a success. God has blessed us with a wonderful community.
2. **Now Enrolling New Students** - Central Christian is now accepting new students in Preschool - Grade 12. We invite you to schedule a visit for your child to experience a school day at CCS. Your child will have an opportunity to meet teachers, attend chapel, and more. Contact Christina Lowe at ChristinaL@CentralChristianSchool.org or call the school at 330.857.7311.
3. Central Christian Elementary School presents our spring concert, **"It's Cool in the Furnace"**, a musical about Daniel, Nebuchadnezzar, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, on Friday, April 13 at 7:00 pm. Visit [www.ccscomets.org](http://www.ccscomets.org) for details.

**April Retreats at Camp Luz**

Men's Retreat, April 6-8

Mother-Daughter Retreat, April 13-14

Father-Son Retreat, April 27-28

For information, visit [www.camluz.com](http://www.camluz.com)

**Love INC Lunch and Learn: When Helping Hurts**

Love INC would like to invite you to join us for a 6-week video study called "When Helping Hurts". We will learn and discuss ways to help others... without harming them or ourselves. We are excited to share this journey with you!

Wednesdays: April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16. Noon to 1:00 pm at Jitters.

Come early to order food. Cost is \$5 to offset cost of meeting room.

We will watch a 10-15 minute video and then spend time in conversation.

Call 330-473-6017 or email [loveincfghc@gmail.com](mailto:loveincfghc@gmail.com) to register.

**Save & Serve Furniture Pick-Up**

Save & Serve appreciates your generosity and is pleased to provide a pick-up service for qualifying furniture. Volunteers are needed to provide this service both by going out with the truck and also to evaluate, clean, and price furniture and other large household items. For pick-up service or to inquire about volunteering, call the store at 330-674-1323. Proceeds from the store benefit Mennonite Central Committee's relief, development, and peace work around the world.

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MMC & Community Events