

July 8, 2018

**Birthdays This Week:**

An Raber - 7/10                      Grant Miller - 7/13  
 Daniel Raber - 7/14                      Caroll Roth - 7/14

**Our Church:**

- Zack & Rachel Miller's daughter Abha will probably need brain surgery in a few months to help her eyesight
- Arlene's sister-in-law Carol Whitmer was diagnosed with terminal cancer
- Maye and Mel announced their engagement!
- Eric Raber's father Ernie is facing new significant physical challenges
- Remember Rhoda Mast who is recovering from surgery
- Pray for Kelly Rye's friend who is having a high-risk pregnancy
- Norlan's sister in Honduras has been diagnosed with cancer and is waiting to see how serious it is
- Randy & Amy Murray's son Keirnan will be starting a 3-year term with MCC in Mexico soon
- Continue to remember Marta as she navigates the painful situation with her daughter.
- Health: Dorothy Mast, Kathie Hazlett, Tim Roth, Mary Hipp, Art Miller
- Visitation: Bernice Miller, Charlie Welder, Will Beachy, Esther Yoder, Dennis Gerber, Paul & Caroll Roth, Art Miller, Larry & Jean Sheets, Paul Thomas

**Local/Community/Mennonite Church**

- Health: Kurt Stutzman

**State/Nation/World/Missions**

- **From Mennonite Mission Network:** Soon after Connie and Dennis Byler began their retirement from four decades of ministry with Mennonite Mission Network, Dennis was diagnosed with cancer. Dennis underwent surgery last month. Pray for signs of God's presence and peace for the Byler family in Spain as they discern treatment protocols.
- **From Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary, Elkhart Indiana:** Pray for our newly admitted international students as they prepare for student visa appointments this month with U.S. Consulate or Embassy offices in five different countries. The interview process can be stressful and confusing; pray that students can remain relaxed and will be granted visas to study at AMBS.

**Church Office Hours This Week:**

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

**TODAY—July 8, 2018**

- ♦ 9:15 am - Sunday School
- ♦ 10:20 am - Prelude
- ♦ 10:30 am - Worship

**Greeters:** Marlin Yoder & Sara King  
**Sound:** Phil Yoder  
**Nursery:** Linda Yoder  
**Ushers:** Deysi Figueroa & Yormary Lainez  
**Flowers:**

**Sundays-At-A-Glance**

*July 15 - Jamie speaking*  
*July 22 - Jamie speaking*  
*July 29 - Jeff Stuart speaking*  
*August 5 - Jamie speaking*

**Upcoming Events**

July 12, 19, 26 **ESL Classes** at MMC, 5:30 pm  
 July 10 **Worship Planning Meeting** at MMC, 6:30 pm  
 July 19 **Holmes County Ministerial Meeting**, Noon at Jitters  
 August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 **ESL Classes** at MMC, 5:30 pm  
 August 3-4 **Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale and Auction**  
 August 4 **Antiques in the Alley**  
 August 5 **Central Christian School Corporation Annual Meeting**  
 August 12 **Love INC Back to School Celebration**, 6:00-8:00 pm,  
 at Millersburg Christian Life Center

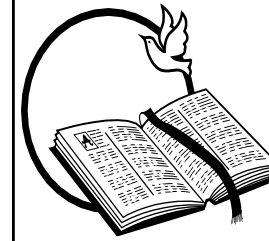
**Serving Next Sunday—July 15, 2018**

**Worship Leader:** Jim Schlabach  
**Song Leader:** Ron Meyer  
**Prelude:** Stan Kaufman  
**Sound:** Bobby Hershberger

**Greeters:** Mahlon & grandchildren  
**Toddler Care:** Genesis & Vicenta  
**Ushers:** Sheila Hannah & Beth Hershberger  
**Flowers:**

**Ministry Team**

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



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**GATHERING**

Prelude	Praise Team
Call to Worship & Opening Prayer	Mahlon Yoder

**PRAISING**

Congregational Singing	Sara King
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**CHILDREN'S STORY**

Congregational Singing

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Scripture: Matthew 5:1-16  
 Message: **A Community Worth Sharing** Hannah Troyer

**RESPONDING to GOD'S WORD**

Song of Response  
 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, JULY 8, 2018**

**A COMMUNITY WORTH SHARING**

**MATTHEW 5:1-16**

**HANNAH TROYER**

**Treasurer's Report 2018**

Attendance July 1: 71

Offering July 1:

General Fund: 3,669.87

MYF:

Ext. Missions:

Designated: 298.94

**Total Offering: \$3,968.81**

General Offering		Giving Per Sunday Avg.	
YTD Goal	\$ 96,750.00	Budget Goal	\$3,870.00
YTD Giving	<u>93,965.78</u>	Actual Avg. Giving	<u>3,758.63</u>
<b>Over/(Under)</b>	<b>\$ (2,784.22)</b>	<b>Over/(Under)</b>	<b>\$ (111.37)</b>

**From Mahlon Yoder**

Thanks for all the cards and other expressions of sympathy with the passing of my mother last week. And thanks to the church for the bouquet of flowers. We are grateful for our beloved church family. - Mahlon

**Appreciation and Love from Rhoda**

Dear MMC family,  
I cannot express in words my appreciation for the support you gave, and continue to give to me and my family during the past month as I am recovering. You have reached out to us with prayers and many other expressions of love that have blessed us with support. I hope to join you again at church to sing and worship together. We have so much to be thankful for and our church family is high on that list. How can I keep from singing? - Rhoda

**Volunteer at Love INC's Back to School Community Celebration**

Love INC is seeking volunteers for their Back to School Celebration, August 12, 6:00 - 8:00 pm. Opportunities include working at the registration table, shopping helper, bringing or serving refreshments, helping watch children and more.

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board, please take a look.

**Reminder from Camp Luz**

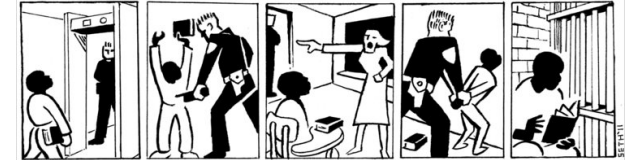
Camp Luz has several programs still coming up in July for children ages 8-12. There are only a few spots left for Boys Camp (ages 9-11), and a little more space available for Jr High (ages 12-14) and Fledgling (ages 8-10). Visit [www.campluz.com](http://www.campluz.com) for details or to get registered.



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**Pipeline to Prison Learning Tour August 5-10**

Join MCC Great Lakes and Center for Community Justice for a week-long Pipeline to Prison learning tour on August 5-10. Based in Goshen, Ind., the tour will focus on the challenges and complexities of the U.S. criminal justice system and include day trips to Elkhart, Peru and Kokomo. Participants will journey from the local community level through the criminal justice system, learning about law enforcement, sentencing, incarceration and re-entry. All who are interested in learning about disparities in the justice system, including those working in or seeking to develop a prison/re-entry ministry, are welcome. For more information and registration visit [mcc.org/gl-pipeline-to-prison](http://mcc.org/gl-pipeline-to-prison) or contact Cyneatha Millsaps at [CyneathaMillsaps@mcc.org](mailto:CyneathaMillsaps@mcc.org) or 574-534-4133.



**MCC Great Lakes Seeks Program Director**

Based in Goshen, Indiana, the Program Director will supervise at least four employees and oversee programs in material resources, young adult engagement, immigration, peacemaking and other MCC priorities within the Great Lakes region. For a full job description, visit [mcc.org/gl-program-director](http://mcc.org/gl-program-director) or call Amber Falcón at 574-534-4133. Apply online by July 30.

**Putting together a kit for MCC?**

Our kit contents have changed, so be sure to check out the updated lists before shopping. See [mcc.org/kits](http://mcc.org/kits) for complete lists or contact the MCC Great Lakes office at 574-534-4133 or [GreatLakes@mcc.org](mailto:GreatLakes@mcc.org) for printed kit cards with itemized lists and instructions. MCC needs comforters and relief kits most urgently at this time. Thank you for sharing God's love and compassion tangibly and reminding people their needs are not forgotten.

**"Pathways" Study Guide from MCUSA Available Online**

Mennonite Church USA has released a study guide, "Pathways," to invite churchwide engagement in the denomination's two-year Journey Forward process. The "Pathways" study guide, available online at <http://mennoniteusa.org/resource/pathways-study-guide/>, invites congregations and groups across Mennonite Church USA to engage in studying Scripture, singing, praying, storytelling, exploring Anabaptist history and values, and discussing how they see God working in their lives.

The "Pathways" study guide is a way for groups to participate in the Journey Forward churchwide renewal process that will highlight how God is working in the lives of people and congregations across MC USA. To learn more about "Pathways," see the full news release at <http://bit.ly/MCUSAPathways>.

MMC & Community Events