

July 29, 2018

**Birthdays This Week:**

Phyllis Wengerd - 8/2

**Our Church:**

- As we consider becoming a sanctuary church, please take time to fast and pray about this issue in August
- Will Beachy passed away on Friday, July 13
- Habitat for Humanity is starting to build a house for Juan and Johana Lainez
- Norlan's sister in Honduras has been diagnosed with cancer and needs to start chemo treatment
- 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, Esther Yoder, Dennis Gerber, Paul & Carol Roth, Art Miller, Larry & Jean Sheets, Paul Thomas

**Local/Community/Mennonite Church**

- **From Ohio Conference:** The Conference Minister Search Committee has scheduled its first round of interviews for next Monday and Tuesday, July 30 and 31. Please pray for the candidates and the search committee as they seek God's guidance in this process.
- Health: Kurt Stutzman

**State/Nation/World/Missions**

- **From Mennonite Mission Network:** Praise God with the Sicite people of Burkina Faso who can now read the New Testament in their heart language. Pray for Anne Garber Kompaoré of Mennonite Mission Network, who helped to launch this translation three decades ago, and for her husband, Daniel, as they continue God's work in Burkina.
- **From Bethel College:** Pray for Zack Shinkle, new coordinator of student activities and engagement, and all the Student Life staff at Bethel College, as they prepare for new student orientation.

**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 29, 2018**

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

**Greeters:** Tim & Peggy Roth  
**Sound:** Conrad Yoder  
**Nursery:** Beth Hershberger  
**Ushers:** Stan Kaufman & Mic Miller  
**Flowers:** Shirley Stromme Schlabach

**Sundays-At-A-Glance**

*August 5 - Jamie speaking*  
*August 12 - Jamie speaking*  
*August 19 - To be announced*  
**Aug 26 - Jamie speaking, Carry-In/Sanctuary Q&A, Your Coins Count**

**Upcoming Events**

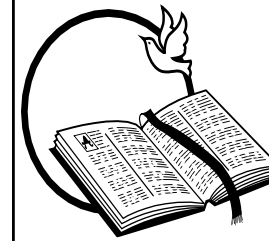
August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 **ESL Classes** at MMC, 5:30 pm  
 August 3-4 **Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale and Auction**  
 August 4 **Antiques in the Alley**  
 August 5 **Central Christian School Corporation Annual Meeting**  
 August 8 **Church Council Meeting**, at MMC, 7:00 pm  
 August 12 **Love INC Back to School Celebration**, 6:00-8:00 pm, at Millersburg Christian Life Center  
 August 12 **Fellowship Discussion Meetings**, 6:00 pm, at Kookers' house and King/Yoders' house  
 August 14 **Worship Focus Group Meeting**, MMC, 6:30 pm  
 August 16 **Holmes County Ministerial Meeting**, at Jitters, noon

**Serving Next Sunday—August 5, 2018**

<b>Worship Leader:</b> Bruce Kooker	<b>Sound:</b> Phil Yoder
<b>Song Leader:</b> Arlene Yoder	<b>Greeters:</b> Eric & An Raber
<b>Prelude:</b>	<b>Toddler Care:</b> Sheryl Kooker
<b>Children's Story:</b> Jessica Daniels	<b>Ushers:</b>

**Ministry Team**

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<b>Church Office</b>	330-674-7700	secretary@millersburgmennonite.org
<b>Church Website</b>	<b>millersburgmennonite.org</b>	
	<i>(audio sermons are 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 Bobby Hershberger

**PRAISING**

Congregational Singing DJ McFadden  
*STJ 8 Somos pueblo que camina*  
*STJ 12 Cantai ao Senhor*  
*HWB 497 Come ye disconsolate*

**DISCUSSION OF SANCTUARY**

With Jeff Stewart, Director of Immigrant Worker Project in Canton; Melonie Buller from Columbus Mennonite Church; and Jamie Rye

**RESPONDING to GOD'S WORD**

Song of Response *STJ 32 If you believe and I believe*  
 Mission Sunday Offering  
 Your Coins Count Offering  
 Congregational Sharing  
 Announcements  
 Congregational Prayer

**SENDING**

Closing Song  
*HWB 421 Blessed be the tie that binds, verses 1,2,3,6*  
 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 29, 2018  
 Sanctuary Discussion with Jeff Stewart and Melonie Buller

**Treasurer's Report 2018**

**Attendance July 22: 68**

**Offering July 22:**

General Fund:	2,285.00
MYF:	3.50
Ext. Missions:	
Designated:	<u>2,125.00</u>
<b>Total Offering:</b>	<b>\$4,413.50</b>

<b>General Offering</b>		<b>Giving Per Sunday Avg.</b>	
YTD Goal	\$ 108,360.00	Budget Goal	\$3,870.00
YTD Giving	<u>102,721.03</u>	Actual Avg. Giving	<u>3,668.61</u>
<b>Over/(Under)</b>	<b>\$ (5,638.97)</b>	<b>Over/(Under)</b>	<b>\$ (201.39)</b>



**...and the number of the elders shall be three**

From Church Council: We are grateful for Arlene Yoder accepting the role of serving as an elder for the next two years. Thank you for accepting this role.

**In Memory of Will Beachy**

Willard Arthur Beachy, 84, also lovingly known as "Diamond Will," was born on March 9, 1934 in Greenwood, Delaware. He was reunited with his bride, Edna Mae (Miller) Beachy, in the great beyond on Friday, July 13.

Will and Eddy were married on July 28, 1956 and journeyed their almost 60-year adventure together with five children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and a happy village of family and friends.

In lieu of calling hours and a funeral service, the family asks that you honor Diamond Will by taking time to sparkle in your own way: stop at Wendy's and buy his favorite treat, a vanilla Frosty, for one of your kids or grandkids; fill the car up with gas and take an elderly friend out for a jaunt in the country (hopefully, you'll get lost for a spell and then find your way back home); or find a friend to work on a puzzle over coffee. Never stop being ornery. Be charming when you can. Remember to say thank you. Take naps when you need to.

We think the heavens might twinkle a bit brighter now.

"There's a land that is fairer than day and by faith we can see it apart  
 For the father waits over the way to prepare us a dwelling place there  
 In the sweet by and by we shall meet on that beautiful shore  
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**Help Relieve the Relief Sale!**

There are still about 20 two-hour time slots between Friday evening and Saturday morning where volunteers can help clean up tables or help with trash/recycling removal in the dining area. Contact Craig Mast by e-mail at [craig.mast@gmail.com](mailto:craig.mast@gmail.com) or call/text 574-538-9857.

**MMC**

**Central Christian School Alumni Choir Concert**

Central Christian School alumni from every decade are invited to re-experience the unity and joy of singing choral music together in Central's first Alumni Choir! Under direction of Tim Shue, practices will be: 6-8 pm on Saturday, August 4 (after the Relief Sale) and from 1-3:00 pm on August 5 in the Performing Arts Center. The weekend will culminate with a community concert starting at 3:30 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend the concert which will include congregational singing! Spread the word!  
 To join the choir, email [MeredithEades@CentralChristianSchool.org](mailto:MeredithEades@CentralChristianSchool.org)

**'Reviving Hope' to Focus on Suicide Prevention**

Camp Luz is sponsoring "Reviving Hope," a suicide prevention training event on Saturday, September 22. The event will be held at Central Christian School in Kidron from 9 am to 3 pm. Jay Trainer from NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) will be the presenter.

The registration fee for this event is \$15 per person, which includes refreshments and lunch catered by Panera. To register, go to [www.campluz.com/reviving-hope.html](http://www.campluz.com/reviving-hope.html).

An event flier is posted on our bulletin board for more information, or contact Matthew Neuenschwander at [matt@campluz.com](mailto:matt@campluz.com) or by calling 330-683-1246.

**MCC Great Lakes is seeking a Program Director**

Based in Goshen, Indiana, the Program Director will supervise at least four employees and give oversight to programs in material resources, young adult engagement, immigration, peacemaking and other MCC priorities within the Great Lakes region. Individuals interested in this position should apply online by August 13. For more information or questions, contact Amber Falcón at 574-534-4133 or [AmberFalcon@mcc.org](mailto:AmberFalcon@mcc.org).

**Vacation Bible School - for Mature Adults!**

Faith Lutheran Church in Millersburg is offering these programs. Since lunch is provided, please leave a message on the church answering machine if you are attending. 330-674-4646

**August 20, 21, and 22, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm**

Start each day with a Bible study based on Galatians 5, presentations on contemporary topics of interest to senior citizens, lunch, and activities.

**August 20:** Learn **strategies for your digital assets** which include any online account or digital files that you control or have authority to access i.e. email, social media accounts, online banking, cloud storage – almost anything that requires a login.

**August 21:** **Falls are an epidemic** among our elders and are the number one cause of injuries leading to ER visits, hospital stays and deaths in Ohioans age 65+ . Learn to prevent them!

**August 22:** **Train Your Brain:** Our Aging Brain and How to Keep It Healthy

**MMC & Community Events**