

LAST WEEK

Sunday School 39
Worship Attendance 77

*Your generosity empowers our collective work for
God's kingdom purposes. Thanks!*

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Mark Thomas

NURSERY:

Today: Tara Sanford

Next week: Carol Buck

GREETERS:

Today: David & Sarah Hostetler

Next Week: Lee & Tesa Jordan

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Mark Kauffman

Next week: Larry Evans

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Todd Hostetler

Next week: Savannah Hostetler

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*"Jesus compels us to experience and extend the gracious rule of God
by the power of the Holy Spirit."*

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Meeting Jesus on the Way MCUSA Convention Youth Sharing

Preparing

By praying together

Infant Nursery @ 8:45a.m.

Gathering

Welcome & Call to Worship
Psalm 150 & Opening Prayer
Gathering Choruses

Ellen Steiner

Annie Steiner and Team

Proclaiming

On the train...
With Choruses
Scripture- Ps 142:1-5 & Mt 10:5-10
Riding along...

Alex, Stephen, Michael, & Trace
Annie Steiner and Team
Ellen Steiner
Daniel & Becky

Praising

With our offerings
& Offertory

Pastor Dave
Annie Steiner

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses
Pastoral Prayer
Moving right along...
Video Clip

Pastor Dave Maurer
Annie & Pastor Cheryl
Glen Guyton

Sending

Benediction - SS #176
Sending hymn - HWB #118

Pastor Cheryl

Celebrating 125 Years

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. — Sunday School w/ Joint SS on Returning Veterans

10:40 a.m. — Worship Service with Youth Reporting

TUESDAY

12:00 p.m. —Peace & Justice Lunch with Jean Paul Tiendrebeogo of Kingdom Investment International

WEDNESDAY

4:15 p.m.—Our Daily Bread

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. — Sunday School w/ Joint SS on Returning Veterans

10:40 a.m. — Worship Service w/ Randy Keeler Speaking

LOOKING AHEAD

Pastoral Care: In case of pastoral emergency this week, please contact Carl Newcomer.

The Newsletter Deadline is Monday, July 20th. Please have all materials to Tesa electronically or in her mailbox.

Ice Cream Social to benefit the Baylee Knox family will be held from 4-7:30p.m. on Saturday July 25th behind the West Liberty United Methodist Church.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Soccer Camp The Bethel Soccer Camp is coming up July 27-30. The registration deadline to guarantee a ball and shirt has passed; but registrations may be accepted after that and scholarships are available. Please be in prayer for this ministry. Encourage those you know to register, and discern the ways that you may be called to assist.

Community Pizza & Movie Night After a week of soccer camp, we are inviting the children, families and community to a pizza night at the church followed by an outdoor movie July 31st at 7PM. Please plan to attend. If you would like to make donations toward the cost of the supplies for the pizzas, please designate your check “pizza night.”

The Adriel/Shine FM Benefit 4 person Golf Scramble is Wednesday August 5th at Liberty Hills Golf course. For more, call 937-465-0010 Ext 113 or enter your team on the web at www.adriel.org.

You're Invited: Come to celebrate Chuck and Jeanie Swartz 50th wedding anniversary on July 25th from 2-5pm in the Fellowship room. This will be a time of fellowship. No gifts please.

Through the Bible in a Year Reflection Questions: as we journey through the Bible this year, here are a few questions to reflect upon in your reading. More may be found at Pastor Dave's blog (<http://thequest.blogspot.com/>). A complete list of daily readings is available from the office. **July 20-26:**

- Micah 6 depicts a court case in which God is bringing a case against His people. What charges might God bring upon us today? What evidence might He offer?
- Micah 6:8 tells us what the Lord requires of us: to act justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with God. What does this look like today? What are examples of this that you have experienced?
- Micah 6:12 names the problem having to do with rich people who are violent and inhabitants who are liars. In what ways is this also reflected in our society today? What is our role as Christians in addressing these realities?
- Micah 7:5-6 caution us about trusting even those closest to us in our own families. How are we to apply this teaching? How does this match-up to our understandings about community and the way of Jesus? How do we reconcile these realities?
- Memorize Micah 7:7 & incorporate this verse into your prayer life.
- After much judgment and condemnation, Micah 7 ends with words of grace and hope. How are we to balance these dynamics in our own lives, in our church bodies, and in the world around us? How do we hold both judgment and grace in appropriate balance?

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Pray for Baylee Knxx.** Thank you for your continued prayers. She is out of ICU and improving slowly.
- **Pray for Eleanor Shxmaker** as she recovers from her second knee replacement surgery.
- **Pray for Dan Rxsner** as he has been in the hospital this week.
- **Pray for Julia Yxder** as she has been in the hospital this week.
- **Martine Audéoud and Gary Wittig** engage in teaching ministries in Ivory Coast through Mennonite Mission Network. Pray that papers from a powerful symposium (presenting guidelines for the church's witness during political elections) will be available to the public before October when national presidential elections are scheduled to take place.