

LAST WEEK

Sunday School 53
Worship Attendance 74

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

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Chuck Swartz

GREETERS:

Today: Jerry & Barb Landes

Next Week: Jerry & Barb Landes

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Lee Jordan

Next week: Annie Steiner

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Lee Jordan

Next week: Larry Evans

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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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Pentecost

Preparing

By praying together

Infant Nursery @ 8:15a.m.

Gathering

Welcome Call to Worship

Cheryl Shank

Prelude

Bill Barrett

Call to Worship

Annie Steiner

Scripture & Opening Prayer

Gathering Hymns

Carl Newcomer

Proclaiming

Scripture- James 2: 14-26

Daniel Lehman

Message "Practice What You Preach"

Guest Speaker Trace Robinaugh

Praising

With our offerings & Offertory

Pat Yoder

With Choruses

Becky Wilkins and Team

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings
& responses

Michelle Link

Greetings from Thailand

Dan Byler

Anointing for Healing

Barb Evans, KJ Schrock

Pastoral Prayer

Mark Thomas

Sending

Benediction

Kathy Lehman

Sending hymn

THIS WEEK

TODAY—Pentecost Sunday

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School

10:40 a.m. —Worship Service with Bethel Youth & Dan Byler

2:00 p.m.—Green Hills Service

6:00 p.m.—Graduates' Tea

TUESDAY

9:15 a.m.—Ladies Bible Study

Noon—Peace & Justice Lunch

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.—~~Youth Bible Study~~ Canceled due to final exams

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m.—Elder Leadership Team

SATURDAY

8:00 a.m.—Men's Breakfast

All Day—West Liberty Fire Sale

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School

10:40 a.m. —Worship Service with Guest Speaker Dr. Harry Graber

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Graduation Tea honoring our 3 high school seniors: Annie Steiner, Becky Wilkins and Savannah Hostetler will be **TONIGHT at 6:00 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. Please join them to celebrate their accomplishments!

Call for papers and workshops! The Women Doing Theology Conference, *I've got the power: Naming and reclaiming power as a force for good*, will take place Nov. 4–6 at the National Conference Center in Leesburg, Virginia. Hosted by the Women in Leadership Project of Mennonite Church USA, this gathering invites participants to recognize, honor, share, celebrate and transform power in and around them. To submit proposals for workshops or papers, visit our conference webpage: mennoniteusa.org/wlp-conference. The submission deadline is June 10, 2016.

Soccer Camp Coaches Needed! Please sign up if you can help coach or assist a coach for Bethel Soccer Camp this summer, July 25-28 from 6-8pm.

Take Me Out to the Ballgame! I have 30 seats reserved for the Dayton Dragons baseball game on Saturday, August 13 at 7:00 PM (opponent South Bend Cubs). **19 tickets are left.** (I will not be in church on May 29.) Place your reservation and payment in my church mailbox. The first 30 people to reserve your seats and pay for tickets at \$12.25 each will get to join this group outing. Deadline for final payment is May 29. —Art Newcomer

Please sign up in the lobby if you can help with the Pizza Oven Sunday May 29th. We have a skeleton crew at this point and need set up and tear down volunteers for tables and chairs.

SWAP needs summer staff! MCC's Sharing With Appalachian People (SWAP) program still needs summer staff for three month assignments in Kentucky and West Virginia. Job site coordinators utilize volunteer labor to accomplish quality home remodels/repairs, while meals coordinators plan balanced, nutritional meals for volunteers. Summer staff vary in age from 19 to 70+, and receive meals, lodging and a weekly stipend for their service. For more, go to swap.mcc.org or call Angela at 606-633-5065.

Bible School. June 6-10. Thanks to all who have volunteered to help with Bible School. There has been a great response. Pick up extra children's registration forms in the lobby.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Please pray for Jeanette Hxstetler** following a repair to her recent shoulder surgery.
- **Please pray for Molly Thxrnburg**, who is rehabbing at GH.
- **Love is a Verb: Planning for Orlando 2017**, to be held July 4–8, is underway! Pray for the Convention Planning staff members and the Worship Planning Committee as they make decisions that will give shape to this gathering. convention.mennoniteusa.org
- **Please pray for the families and friends of Rachel Corrie and for the Rachel Corrie Foundation for Peace and Justice.** Rachel Corrie was a 23-year-old American peace activist from Olympia, Washington, who was crushed to death by an Israeli bulldozer on 16 March 2003, while undertaking nonviolent direct action to protect the home of a Palestinian family from demolition. The Rachel Corrie Foundation for Peace and Justice was established by members of Rachel's family and community to continue the kind of work that she began...Learn more at rachelcorriefoundation.org/