LAST WEEK

Sunday School Attendance 59 Worship Attendance 62

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

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Mark Thomas

GREETERS:

Today: Paul & Linda Hostetler Next Week: Paul & Linda Hostetler

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Brody Robinaugh Next week: unfilled

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Lee Jordan Next week: Brody Robinaugh

VIDEO OPERATOR:

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Kim Lehman

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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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Preparing

By praying together Infant Nursery @ 9:15a.m.

Gathering

Announcements

Prepare for Worship Bill Barrett and Team

Welcome & Call to Worship

Psalm 130 & Opening Prayer

Praising

Congregational Singing Janet Wilkins and Team

Confession of Faith: Lamentations 3:19-26

Congregational Singing

With our offerings & Offertory

Bill Barrett

Lois Beck

Proclaiming

Scripture- Mark 5:24-34

Message "Reach Out and Touch" Pastor Duane Beck

Prayers for Healing

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastoral Prayer Barb Kauffman

Sending

Sending hymn

Benediction Barb Kauffman

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School 10:30 a.m. — Worship Service with Pastor Duane Beck

MONDAY

7:00 p.m.—Master Singer's Rehearsal

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m.—Women Serving in Love **3:00 p.m.**—Bethel Homework Help

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. – Congregational meeting

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School
10:30 a.m. — Worship Service with Pastor Duane Beck
Noon—Potluck and Congregational Conversation
6:00 p.m.—Youth and Mentors – a discussion lead by Duane Beck

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women Serving In Love meets this Tuesday. Donna Lehman has devotions. Hostesses are Christy Headings, Nellie Lindemann, and Mary Yoder. Last names B-K are to bring a fall (pumpkin or such) dessert.

Cookies and Canvas Night at The Grove! November 11th @ 6pm.

Join us for our cookies and canvas night at The Grove in West Liberty. Follow along with our artist as she guides you through this Block O painting. No experience needed. We make it fun and easy! (No worries, stencils will be provided). Cost is \$35 per person and includes all paint and supplies to complete your one of a kind painting project! Please feel free to bring your favorite cookies to share! See you there! Please use web address www.happytreeartstudio.com/the-grove to purchase your seats now or RSVP to The Grove and pay at the door!

Webinar: Planting Peace Churches, Thursday, Nov. 17, 2–3:30 p.m. EST, via Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary (AMBS). Moderated by Mauricio Chenlo, MAPS, with James Krabill, Ph.D., and Sara Wenger Shenk, Ed.D. A conversation to follow Sent 2016: A gathering of Mennonites planting Jesus-centered communities. If you've not yet participated in an AMBS webinar, your first time is free of charge! www.ambs.edu/webinars

Invitation "Hand and Foot" card game night at South Union on November 17th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. We'll be serving chips and pop to go with it.

West Liberty Methodist is hosting Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays. One evening seminar for people facing the holidays after the loss of a loved one. Friday, November 18, 2016 @6:30 pm at the church. For info call Gene Farley at 441 3592.

The Mastersingers Community Chorale, directed by Byron Kauffman, invites you to a "Celebration" on Sunday, November 20th at 3:30 pm at Bethel Mennonite Church. The program will feature several pieces from The Messiah and other Christmas choral selections, as well as congregational singing. The Full Sound Chamber Group, comprised of 5 brothers who play stringed instruments, will play as a group and will also accompany the Chorale. A freewill offering will be graciously received.

Columbus Mennonite Church will host a performance of Laughter Is Sacred Space by Ted & Company on Sunday evening, November 13 at 7:00 p.m., at 35 Oakland Park Avenue, Columbus, OH. The one man show lifts up hope and humor in addressing the challenges of life with mental illness, recounting Ted's own struggles of working with an acting partner who was bipolar and died by suicide. Admission free. Suggested donation of \$10/person to help cover costs.

Thank you for your prayers, cards and phone calls while I was in the hospital.—Julia

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Pray for Sue Dxrstxne** (Sister of Mary Newcomer and Sally Harshbarger) as she continues to receive treatment for melanoma.
- Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Mennonite Voluntary Service participants Stefan Baumgartner, Laura Hassel, Meg Short and two associate house members as they live in community and work alongside their neighbors to share God's love in San Francisco.
- Lift up prayers for the women of the church and especially those who have been participating this weekend in the Women Doing Theology Conference, I've got the power: Naming and reclaiming power as a force for good, at the National Conference Center in Leesburg, Virginia. Information on the conference is at mennoniteusa.org/wlp-conference.