

LAST WEEK

Worship Attendance 37

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

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Barb Kauffman

GREETERS:

Today: Bob & Kyle VanOsdol **Next Week:** Art & Mary Newcomer

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Brody Robinaugh **Next week:** unfilled

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Lee Jordan **Next week:** Brody Robinaugh

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Tech Coordinator: Lee Jordan



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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 James Lochridge and Team
Welcome & Call to Worship Jerry Landes
Psalm 104 & Opening Prayer

Praising

Congregational Singing James Lochridge and Team
Scripture Romans 12:1
Congregational Singing Bill Barrett
With our offerings & Offertory James Lochridge

Proclaiming

**Message "Talents, Time and Treasure" Guest Speaker,
Chuck Swartz**

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses,
Pastoral Prayer Barb Landes

Sending

Sending hymn
Benediction Barb Landes

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School

10:40 a.m. —Worship Service with guest speaker Chuck Swartz

TUESDAY

12:00 p.m.—Peace & Justice Lunch

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.—Ministry of Worship

7:00 p.m.—ELT

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. —Sunday School

10:30 a.m. —Worship Service with Youth Pastor Cheryl Shank

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A reminder to fill out your Pastoral Search Team suggestion forms.

Please complete forms and return to the box in the foyer no later than

TODAY. A few extra forms are by the box if you need one.

Please sign up on the West Liberty Cares sheet in the lobby if you can help on Wednesdays from noon to 2 pm in September. This is Bethel's month to help at WLC.

The Ladies Bible study will be resuming in September. The first meeting will be held September 20th at 9:15 a.m. Following that, the group will meet on the first and third Tuesday morning each month. They will start with Galatians and continue.

Sound & Media Ministers needed! Several of our volunteers have reduced their schedules or are attending college and we need help in the booth for sound and media. Our Tech coordinator will not leave you unassisted until you are trained. Please contact Lee or Tesa Jordan if you are willing to learn to run sound, media, or videotape the sermons. This would typically only fall to each person once a month if we have enough people.

A rough draft of the 2016-2017 Directory is posted by the mailboxes.

Please take time to review your entry and either mark "OK" or make the corrections necessary to it by **TODAY.** Thank you! —Tesa

The Annual Business Meeting will be held October 16, 2016. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.

Please Consider a Donation to The Interfaith Welcome Coalition The Interfaith Welcome Coalition of San Antonio, TX is so grateful for our past support. They need our help to continue to serve women and children from Central America fleeing violence and seeking protection. IWC provides many services—Back Pack Ministry, Shelter Ministry (overnight housing, hot meals and hospitality), Travel Ministry (escorting families to the bus station or airport and help with purchasing tickets), Advocacy (raising awareness and advocating for immigration reform.) IWC offers hope, compassion and friendship to mothers and young children who are hurting and living in fear. If you wish to contribute financially to their work, **designate IWC on the memo line of a check written to Bethel.** Prayerfully consider how you can be a part of this meaningful ministry.

Calling all visual artists! Mennonite Church USA is looking for freelance visual artists to contribute to a paid upcoming project. E-mail Alyssa Bennett Smith at alysabs@mennoniteusa.org if you're interested or know someone who is!

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for the UK Mennonite Trust** (previously the London Mennonite Centre) as it provides resources for Anabaptism in the United Kingdom. Pray for chairperson Stuart Murray Williams as he mentors the next generation of Anabaptist leaders.