

LAST WEEK

Sunday School

Worship Attendance

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

OUR THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK:

Sally Harshbargxr

GREETERS:

Today: Mike & Rita Robxrts

Next Week: Paul & Sally Harshbargxr

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Lori Lehmxn

Next Week: Ken Shxnk

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Carl Newcomxr, Sally Harshbargxr and Michelle Lxnk

Crisis Care: Chuck Swxrtz and Cheryl Shxnk

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Gathering

Announcements

Welcome & Call to Worship

Doug Steinxr

Prelude

Elaine Newcomxr

Psalm 104:24-34, Proverbs 4:5-13

Doug Steinxr

Praising

Congregational Singing

Janet Wilkxns

With our Offerings & Offertory

Elaine Newcomxr

Confession of Faith # 104 Sing the Story

Doug Steinxr

Congregational Singing

Ellen Steinxr

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading

Joel 2:27-32 and II Timothy 2:15

Message: "Every One..., Shall and All"

KJ Schrxck

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastor Chuck Swxrtz

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Chuck Swxrtz

Sending song

Janet Wilkxns

Benediction

Pastor Chuck Swxrtz

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40 a.m. – Worship. KJ Schrck, speaker.

2:30 p.m. – Green Hills service (Hymn singing group participating)

6:00 p.m. – Graduation Tea

TUESDAY

6:30 p.m. – “Medicare Made Easy” at The Grove

WEDNESDAY

2:00 & 8:00 p.m. – Everence Webinar, “Medicare Made Easy”

4:15 p.m. – Our Daily Bread

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40 a.m. – Worship. Resonate, Bradley Kauffmxn, speaker.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday morning’s worship service:

What are the joys and challenges of curating a new worship and song collection for the twenty first century church in North America? **Bradley Kauffmxn**, director and general editor for *Resonate: Mennonite Worship and Song Project* will share about the work toward a new denominational hymnal. We will sing (old and new) and share stories around how church music comforts, challenges, and transports.

Items for the **June calendar** are due in the church office, May 23.

Ely Sernx’s family **thanks** Bethel for the gas card we sent them in January 2017. “Your act of kindness doesn’t go unnoticed or unappreciated.” *

Invite neighbors, friends and grandchildren to our Bible School June 4-8. Additional registration forms are on a table in the foyer. *

Please read the flyer, “*Mennonite Central Committee Meeting Needs in the Name and Cause of Christ Around the World*” in your mail boxes today. It is about the work Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is doing around the world.-The Peace and Justice group.

The New Path Pregnancy Resource Centers are conducting a 2018 Baby Bottle Campaign. They are asking that you “Spare Some Change to Help Spare a Life”. The Center is a locally organized and funded ministry, which offers life-affirming education to women and families. Milk cartons (and instructions) are available for pick up in the foyer and will need to be returned to the same location on Father’s Day.*

* More information on the bulletin board in the foyer.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- On Friday, May 25th, Cindy Kauffmxn meets with her surgeon in preparation for surgery.
- Pray for Deb Bxler and her work with women in Guatemala.
- Three of our college students are studying outside the US during May. Remember Annie Steinxr in London, Alex Steinxr in Senegal, and Michael Lehmxxn in Columbia.
- Remember Linda Hostxtler’s brother-in-law, John Stoltzfxs and his wife, Bev in your prayers.
- Pray for these friends struggling with cancer: Ray Swishxr, Rod Hagxr, Lee Jordxn, Dennis Evxns, Mike McGxll, Keith Effinghxm, Cathy Beitxng and Karxn S.
- Pray for Ely Sernx and his family.
- Jacob Shxnx graduates this weekend from the Physician Assistant Program at Mary Baldwin University in Virginia. Please remember him and his wife, Kaitlyn as they celebrate this accomplishment. Jacob will be taking his boards in June, and has been hired to work in the ER at Rockingham Memorial Hospital in Harrisonburg.
- Give praise for the many people who are willing to be a part of **Bible School**. Prayer suggestions are included here on the small paper that you can tuck in your Bible or devotional as a daily reminder.