

LAST WEEK

SS Attendance

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Worship Attendance 94

Your giving empowers our collective work for God's purpose. Thanks!

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Carl Newcomer

NURSERY:

Today: Tara Sanford

Next week: Open

GREETERS:

Today: Todd & Dena Hostetler

Next week: Chuck & Carol Buck

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Brody Robinaugh

Next week: Mark Kauffman

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Annie Steiner

Next week: Brody Robinaugh

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Stories of God's People – The Bylers

Preparing

By praying together

Infant Nursery @ 8:45a.m.

Gathering

Welcome & Call to Worship

Ruby Byler

Prelude

Bill Barrett

Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18 & Opening Prayer

Gathering Choruses

Bill Barrett and Team

Proclaiming

Children's Story

Connie Byler

Scripture – Jonah 1:1-3; 3:1-4:1

Doug Steiner

Message "The Tale of Jonah: A Missions Sermon"

Dennis Byler

Praising

With our offerings

Doug Steiner

& Offertory

Bill Barrett

With Hymns

Bill Barrett

Sharing

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Rick Stoner

Sending

Benediction

Pastor Rick

Sending hymn

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School

10:40 a.m.—Worship Service

TUESDAY

12 noon--Peace & Justice Lunch

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.—Youth Bible Study

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m.—Ministry of Worship

SATURDAY

7:30 a.m.—Men's Breakfast

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. — Sunday School

10:40 a.m.—Worship Service — (*SWAP Sharing*)

LOOKING AHEAD

Bethel Garden Tour to Benefit West Liberty Cares July 6th. Begin at Lee & Tesa's for a potluck lunch, followed by tours of several other members' gardens. \$5 or comparable non-perishables to participate in the tour, with proceeds to West Liberty Cares. Currently we have 7 gardens on the tour, but we are still accepting willing participants to display their gardens! Please contact Tesa or Mary.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Soccer Camp July 28-31—Mark your calendars for soccer camp! Brochures are on the foyer table for you to invite your family and friends!

Workshop Opening – Friday, Sept 26 and Oct 31 from 1:30-8:30pm, Jubilee will be hosting the Creating Congregational Cultures of Generosity workshop in partnership with Everence. Bethel is sending a team to participate and has an open slot. If you would be interested in participating, please contact Pastor Dave by July 13th.

Adriel/Shine FM Benefit Golf Scramble—Monday, August 25th, Adriel and Shine FM invite you to join us in a day of fun and fellowship at Liberty

Hills Golf Course for a 4 person golf scramble. For more information, please call Adriel at 937-465-0010—ext. 113. You can also enter your team or sponsorship on the web at www.adriel.org. Click on the “How you can help” tab and select Golf Outings. Proceeds benefit abused and neglected children in Ohio and will help purchase new equipment for Shine FM. See more on the bulletin board.

Camp Luz - Summer Camp is underway, and God is changing lives! Registration is still open for upcoming programs, but space is limited. Visit www.campluz.com for more information or to register.

Office Hours will be shortened due to the 4th of July Holiday, the deadline for July 6th bulletin submissions will be Wednesday, July 2nd. Thank you for your cooperation.

Delegate Feed Back Requested – On August 9th, Ohio Conference Delegates will be meeting to discuss a tabled motion from their March meeting. In preparation for this, our delegates would like to receive input/feedback from the congregation. This may be done by filling out and returning the form found in your mailboxes and/or by attending a sack lunch listening session on Sunday, July 13th following the worship service.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Pray for Julia Yxder** who was hospitalized this week with a bowel obstruction.
- **Pray for Ed Lxhman**, as he recovers from retinal surgery.
- **Pray for Beth Mxurer**, for her health and her return to Cleveland Clinic for tests on July 7th.
- **Please pray for Larry Kxrtz**, brother of Kathy Lxhman. Larry has cancer and is receiving treatment.
- **Pray for Adel Crxig**, age 2, great granddaughter of Bob and Janice Rabenstein, for recovery from an eye injury.
- **Pray for Maggie Mxurer** as she is at Camp Luz this week.
- **Praise for a strong affirmation** from Sharon to call Rick as their next pastor. Pray for the Stoners and Sharon in this transition.
- **Pray for our Year of Discernment** as we discern God's direction for youth ministry and as the gifts discernment committee meets.
- **Pray for our denomination and conference** as we discern God's leading and seek for kingdom opportunities. The MC USA Executive Board met this weekend.