

LAST WEEK

Sunday School 56
Worship Attendance 68

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

OUR THANKS TO

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK: Sharon Showalter

NURSERY:

Today: Linda Hostetler **Next week:** Dena Hostetler

GREETERS:

Today: Art & Mary Newcomer **Next week:** Carl & Elaine Newcomer

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Brody Robinaugh **Next week:** Mark Kauffman

MEDIA OPERATOR:

Today: Annie Steiner **Next week:** Savannah Hostetler

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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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Through the Bible in a Year – Moses

Preparing

By praying together Infant Nursery @ 8:45a.m.

Gathering

Welcome & Call to Worship Chuck Swartz
Prelude Pat Yoder
Psalms 147:1-11 & Opening Prayer
Gathering Choruses James Lochridge and Team

Proclaiming

Children's Story Jerry Landes
Scripture – Exodus 2:11-25

Message "Moses I: Escape from Egypt"

Pastor Dave Maurer

Praising

With our offerings & Offertory Kathy Graber
With Hymns Bill Barrett

Sharing

Mission Moment Student Aid
Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses
Pastoral Prayer Pastor Dave Maurer

Sending

Benediction Pastor Dave
Sending hymn

Celebrating 125 Years

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. — Sunday School
10:40 a.m. — Worship Service
Noon – Student Aid sack lunch

TUESDAY

9:30 a.m. –Mennonite Women
3:00 p.m.—Bethel Homework Help

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.—Youth Bible Study

THURSDAY

3:00 p.m.—Bethel Homework Help

SATURDAY

8:00 a.m. –King’s Daughters Breakfast
6:00 p.m. – Mystery Meal Mix-up (#not romantic)

NEXT SUNDAY –

9:30 a.m. — Sunday School
10:40 a.m. — Worship Service— Pastor Dave speaks on Exodus 33:12-23
1:30 p.m. – Bible Quiz Teams at Bethel
6:00 p.m. – Youth and Mentors

LOOKING AHEAD

There will be a brown-bag lunch in the fellowship room immediately after the Worship Service today for high school students, parents, and any other interested individuals. The Student Aid committee will share the Student Aid policy and answer questions about the policy.

The Youth Group is asking for food donations to put in care package boxes for college students. We need 9 of each item. Suggestions include: wrapped candy, microwave popcorn, cookies (wrapped) and gum. Feel free to be creative. Please have your donations to Cheryl by TODAY.

Mennonite Women will meet Tuesday Feb. 10 at 9:30 a.m. with a Valentine Potluck as the theme. Spouses are welcome from noon – 1:00 pm. Hostesses are Nellie, Jan S. and Barb S. Miriam Lapp will have devotions on “Practicing Presence in Rejoicing.” The project this month is Health kits.

Mark your calendars for Directory Portraits March 20 & 21st. Appointment signups will begin on Sunday, February 15th.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Everence Sharing Funds provided \$1659.35 in matching funds to support special needs in our church last year. Bob Rabenstein serves as our Everence advocate. Please contact him for more information.

The MCC Thrift Store is in looking for volunteers to run the cash register. We have several openings and floater positions available. If you are interested please contact Michelle Neer at the store, 937-465-3077. Also if you could help clean the apartment above MCC Thrift Store to prepare it for rental, report to the store at 9:00AM on Tuesday, Feb 10. Bring a bucket and cleaning rags.

A field trip to the Franklin Park Conservatory following the worship service on Sunday, February 15th. We can get group rates if we have at least 10 people going. Please sign up in the foyer **TODAY**, and ask Tesa if you need more information.

Through the Bible in a Year Reflection Questions: as we journey through the Bible this year, here are a few questions to reflect upon in your reading. More may be found at Pastor Dave’s blog (<http://thequest.blogspot.com/>). A complete list of daily readings is available from the office. **February 9-15:**

- As God called on Moses to prepare a tabernacle for God to dwell in, God instructed Moses to accept offerings from everyone whose heart prompted them to give. This giving was not an obligation as much as it was an internal prompting from God, and Moses was receiving instructions to accept these gifts. Why might God have seen the need to instruct Moses in this way?
- God gave instructions to build and tabernacle and what it should look like so that God would dwell among the people. How might this vision of the tabernacle differ from David’s later vision for a temple for God?

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- **Pray for Tom Kxng** The trach tube has been removed. He is in need of therapy to regain the ability to walk.
- **Pray for Barb and Byron Kxxffman** as they serve with SOOP in San Antonio, TX, during the month of February.
- **Pray for Adriel** for their ministry, staff and the children they serve.
- **Pray for Mennonite Mission Network partners, DOOR Denver and DOOR Hollywood**, as they host local junior and senior high youth groups next weekend. Pray that students and leaders will be open to seeing the face of God in the people they encounter.