

LAST WEEK

Sunday School Attendance 33

Worship Attendance 45

*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: Dick & Nellie Lindemxr

Next Week: Paul & Linda Hostetlrx

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Miriam Lxpp

Next Week:

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Carl Newcomxr, Sally Harshbargxr and Michelle Lxnk



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Gathering – Led by Worship Leader

Donna Lehmxn

Announcements

Welcome & Call to Worship

Donna Lehmxn

Prelude

Ellen Steinrx

Psalm 139: 1-4 & 14-18

Opening Prayer

Praising

Congregational Singing

Bill Barrxtt and Praise Team

With our offerings & Offertory

Bill Barrxtt

Confession of Faith

#527 Worship Book

Congregational Singing

Byron Kauffmxn

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading

John 14: 14-18 and Psalm 139: 7

Message “In His Hands”

KJ Schrxck

Sharing – Led by Pastoral Team

Pastor Cheryl Shxnk

Of our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastoral Prayer

Sending

Sending song

Byron Kauffmxn

Benediction

Pastor Cheryl Shxnk

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

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

3:30 p.m. – Community Hymn Sing

WEDNESDAY

4:15 p.m. – Our Daily Bread

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School.

10:40 a.m. – Worship. Doug Steinxr, speaker

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today. Sunday, October 22nd at 3:30 pm. The Bethel Mennonite Congregation in West Liberty is hosting a community hymn sing. The Full Sound Chamber Group (5 string instrumental players) will accompany the congregational singing and present two compositions on their own.

The community is invited to participate in this singing event. An offering will be gratefully accepted in support of the five instrumentalists and future programming.

Adriel will be working on the Sycamore home on our campus to start some much needed upgrades and are looking for some help with pulling up old carpet, and getting it ready to paint and install new carpeting. We have designated **November 8th and 9th** at 6:00 p.m. and Saturday, **November 11th** starting at 9:00am.as work days. We hope you are able to help us further our mission serving children and families. If you are interested please rsvp to Wayne Yodxr at

Church office hours for week of October 22nd. Mirixm will be in the church office on Wednesday and Thursday instead of Wednesday and Friday. Please submit items for the bulletin by 10:00AM on **Thursday, October 26.**

November calendar. Please submit any items for the November Calendar to the church office by Wednesday noon, October 25th.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- Pray for Ray Swishxr, friend of Mark and Polly Thomxs, as he recovers from cancer treatment.
- Pray for healing for Shirley Kxng. Shirley is recuperating from a stress fracture of her right arm.
- Pray for Rod Hagxr as he recovers from surgery at home.
- Pray for Wanda Shumakxr's health and for wisdom for decisions about the future.
- Pray for Kim Lehmxxn's family as they grieve the death of Kim's sister-in-law, Linda Sxlls. Funeral services were on Friday, October 20. May they be aware of God's presence and comfort.
- From Mennonite Mission Network. Country School, an English-language academy in Spain founded by Brian and Noelia Fxx, is starting its fifth year of classes this month. Pray for the Fxx family, serving with Mennonite Mission Network, as they help their students grow in faith as well as intellectually.
- From Mennonite Disaster Service. Please pray for our brothers and sisters in Puerto Rico. Resources needed to begin response efforts are not yet able to be transported to individuals and communities in need. Also pray for Mennonite churches and their pastors. Pray the pastors have strength and energy to provide hope and spiritual support to their congregation members as they face daily challenges such as long lines for gas, money and food.