

Prayer notes

Prayer concerns / requests

Ministry leadership team

Jonathan BowmanLead pastor
Gina Burkhart Associate pastor
Jordan Farrell Associate pastor of youth and young adults
Marcy Goehrig.....Minister of worship
Jennifer Bowman SauderMinister of missional life
Leon and Nancy Stauffer Ministers of stewardship
Rhonda Nissley and Renee Suydam Ministers of community life

Our pastors welcome opportunities to connect with you. If you wish to reach a pastor during the week at the church office, you may call 898-0071 or contact Jonathan Bowman at 898-2647 (jbowman@landisvillemennonite.org), Gina Burkhart at 665-3423 (gburkhart@landisvillemennonite.org), or Jordan Farrell (jfarrell@landisvillemennonite.org). Our Pastoral Care Group is also available for conversation, and consists of John Burkhart, Larry Newswanger, Ellen and Karl Steffy, Gina Burkhart, and Jonathan Bowman.



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Joining with Christ in God's work

DECEMBER 27, 2015

Worship hour: 9:30 am

Christmas Sunday

Prelude

Dot Smith

Gathering song

Worship team

HWB 197: *Angels we have heard on high*

Call to worship

Jonathan Bowman

Leader: Praise the Lord, sing praise all the heights!

People: Praise God, sun and moon. Sing praise, all you shining stars!

Leader: Praise God, all the earth. Sing praise, all fruit trees and hills!

People: Praise God, all you animals. Sing praise, creeping things and flying birds!

All: Young men and women alike, old and young together,

Let all that has life and breath praise God!

Children's offering

HWB 194: *Away in a manger*

Children's spot

Jonathan Bowman

Worship in song

HWB 212: *O come, all ye faithful*

HWB 206: *Infant holy, infant lowly*

HWB 215: *What child is this / STS 26: Helpless and hungry*

(Preschool activity bags)

Worship in song

HWB 203: *Break forth, O beauteous heavenly light*

Scripture: Psalm 148, Colossians 3:12-17

Horst family

Sermon: Masterful Gift Giving

Gina Burkhart

Response

Prayer for Liberation: Liberating God, set us free. As we walk this road of freedom, give us more love, more hope, more peace, and more joy.

Communion

Offering: Church budget

Building fund (*envelope*)

Offertory – Nance Fertich

Congregational sharing and pastoral prayer

Jonathan Bowman

Please pass the fellowship registry down the row and back

Announcements

Benediction

Congregational announcements

Jr. High Youth Activity

Monday, December 28 from 6-9pm, a look at Christmas light displays.

Wednesday Night Out - January 6

Meal is served 5:45-6:30 pm. Program is at 7 pm. Enjoy a fun evening of Bible quizzing. Childcare & activities are available for children & youth.

Practice for Quizzing at WNO

Anyone planning to participate in the Quizzing is welcome to join the quiz team for practice next Sunday. We will practice after Sunday school until 1:30 pm in the Connections room. Feel free to pop in anytime. Also, if you are in need of practice questions, I have extra.

- Tim Miller

Prayer request

Praise God for the safety and peace surrounding Katie Rutt as she has been working in Honduras. Also pray for a continuation of that safety. In addition, pray for continued insights into the culture as Katie continues to adapt. Thank you!

Prayer room available

The room to the left of the stage is open for use as a quiet place for prayer. It is accessible from the SS hallway and can be used anytime the church is open. Thanks to Michelle Rutt for preparing this space.

Bible study

If you have interest in a 4-6 week Bible study with a group, let Gina Burkhart know. After the holidays we'll determine the details of time and content that will work best for those interested.

Giving project

You are invited to share with our local neighbors this Christmas season by donating cold weather gear. You may bring new or like-new coats, hats, gloves, boots, scarves, etc. to the Christmas tree set up in the back foyer. As local neighbors come to the clothing bank, they will be invited to pull the items they need from the tree. Donations are welcome through January, and they may be placed, unwrapped, directly under the tree. Thank you for giving!

Bulletin and email items due Tuesday

Due to New Year's Day, the bulletin and email will be done on Wednesday. Please give bulletin and email announcements to Christy by Tuesday evening. Thank you!

Staff schedules

Jordan Farrell will be away through January 2.
Jonathan Bowman is on vacation December 28-January 1.

Opportunities

Jr. High Youth activity.....Monday, December 28, 6-9 pm

Prayer Fellowship.....Saturday, January 2, 7:30 am

Wednesday Night Out.....January 6, 5:45-8:00 pm

Offering last Sunday:	Church budget \$15,375
Offering next Sunday:	Church budget High school education (<i>envelope</i>)
Attendance last Sunday:	212

Give bulletin and email announcements to Christy Kauffman by Tuesday evening. Christy is in the office this week Tuesday and Wednesday.
office@landisvillemennonite.org

Nursery Schedule - Today

Worship (No Sunday school or preschool worship)

Kelly Miller

Angie Miller

Lizz Miller

Nursery Schedule - Next Sunday

Worship

Greta Stoner

Beth Martin

Sunday school

Mary Miller

Nance Fertich

Preschool worship

Kyle and Marta Horst

Morgan Wenger

Microphone runners – Joy Rutt and Justin Nissley

Trustee on call – Jim Wolgemuth

Usher/Greeter schedule for December

Kyle and Marta Horst, Carl and Janet Hoover, Brenda and Steve Horst

Teen * Adult * Partnerships

When was the last time you visited a park and what did you do while there?

What is your favorite sport to watch?