

## Prayer notes

Prayer concerns / requests

## Ministry leadership team

Howard Garver ..... Interim lead pastor  
Gina Burkhart ..... Associate pastor  
Jordan Farrell ..... Associate pastor of youth and young adults  
Marcy Goehrig ..... Minister of worship  
Nancy Roth ..... Minister of Christian education  
Jennifer Bowman Sauder ..... Minister 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 Howard Garver at (941) 330-3987 ([hgarver@landisvillemennonite.org](mailto:hgarver@landisvillemennonite.org)), Gina Burkhart at 665-3423 ([gburkhart@landisvillemennonite.org](mailto:gburkhart@landisvillemennonite.org)), or Jordan Farrell ([jfarrell@landisvillemennonite.org](mailto:jfarrell@landisvillemennonite.org)). Our Pastoral Care Group is also available for conversation, and consists of John Burkhart, Larry Newswanger, Ellen and Karl Steffy, and Gina Burkhart.



# WELCOME!

Landisville  
Mennonite  
Church

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*Joining with Christ in God's work*

**SEPTEMBER 4, 2016**

Worship service: 9:00 am

**Prelude** Brenda Horst

**Gathering song** Grace Miller  
STJ 108: *Give thanks for life*

**Call to worship** Howard Garver

**Children's offering**  
STJ 14: *Lord Jesus, you shall be my song*

**Worship in song**  
HWB 36: *God of our strength*  
HWB 418: *Move in our midst*

*(Preschool activity bags)*

**Worship in song**  
HWB 486: *God of our life*

**Scripture reading:** Luke 18:1-8 Joy Rutt

**Sermon:** "A Calling to Holy Mischief" Nathan Grieser

**Song of response**

**Offering:** Church budget  
High school education fund (*envelope*)  
*Offertory – Emma Burkhart*

**Congregational sharing and prayers of the people** Gina Burkhart  
*Please pass the fellowship registry down the row and back*

**Announcements**

**Benediction**

Everyone is invited for hot drinks in the fellowship hall & to stay for the Sunday school hour. Classes are available for all ages as well as infant and nursery care.

## Congregational announcements

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**Thank you for your faithful and ongoing support** of the work of MCC! Your gifts help bring change and hope in the lives of people as MCC shares God's love and compassion in the name of Christ. Thanks for your partnership!  
*Blessings, Brian Snader, MCC East Coast*

**The new Sunday School year is here**, the best hour of the morning as we used to hear almost every Sunday! With a new start are new classes, teachers and helpers. Here is a list of the classes and teachers so you know where to find your class. The list of class rooms will also be posted on the easel by the mailboxes.

Ages 2-4 years old are meeting in the Preschool room # 10.

*Teachers are Fannie Miller and Lisa Mast*

Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade are meeting in room #20 (off the gym).

*Teachers are Brenda Horst and Greta Stoner*

Grades 2-4 are meeting in room #5.

*Teachers are Matt Sauder and Kristine Denlinger*

Grades 5-7 are meeting in room #19.

*Teachers are Keven Gochnauer and Ann Martin*

### Clothing Bank

Volunteers are needed to greet clothing bank visitors on Tuesdays from 9 am until noon. Contact Gina Burkhart if you are willing to serve a shift. Like new seasonal clothing and shoes are needed for the clothing bank. Place donations in the rear lobby. Thank you!

**The Food Bank** is in need of a couple of volunteers to pick up bread and pastry items from Weis and deliver to the pantry.

-Thursday mornings at 8:30 am from Weis at Stony Battery

- Saturday mornings at 8:30 am from Weis in Columbia

If you are interested in helping with this, please contact Janie Yutzy.

### Wednesday Night Out - September 7

Potluck Meal will be 5:45-6:30 pm. Please bring a hot or cold dish to share. At 7pm, help assemble school & hygiene kits or knot comforters for Mennonite Central Committee. Child care and activities are available for children and youth.

### Church directory updates

A new church directory will be released early this fall. Please check your current information in the church directory. If you have additions or updates, please notify Christy Kauffman in the church office. Thank you!  
office@landisvillemennonite.org

### CWS Challenge

I am so grateful for so many who have given encouragement and support of my 100-mile walk! This is part of a fundraising initiative to benefit CWS' refugee resettlement efforts here locally – in fact, all the funds raised are for the benefit of the Lancaster programs. To date, those from Landisville have contributed \$725! At the end of 2 weeks, I logged about 45 miles...and expect to be just over 65 miles by the end of this week. While I am well on my way to the goal, I have challenged myself to walk as many days as possible during the 8 weeks – and so far I have not missed a day! Please let me know if you would like further information about how you can support this worthy cause. Two people took me up on my invitation to join me for a walk – so I would love the company if you need the exercise and would enjoy some conversation!

*-Howard Garver*

### Compassion Project 2016 - Let's Build a Playground!

Community volunteers are going to build a new playground at Amos Herr Park in Landisville, and our church has committed to working with our neighbors to make this happen. The playground will be built in two construction phases. Phase 1 will be from Sept 9 - 11, and Phase 2 will take place from Sept 27 - Oct 2. All kinds of jobs are available, for those who have building skills and those who do not, those who have energy to spare and those who prefer less physical jobs. Landisville Mennonite Church would like to provide volunteers for the build, particularly Phase 2, and we will also be providing a meal for the volunteers. Click here ([www.signupgenius.com/tabs/2367FD905A7C2E4C42-amosdream](http://www.signupgenius.com/tabs/2367FD905A7C2E4C42-amosdream)) if you have interest in signing up to volunteer to build or if you have tools you would not mind lending to the project. Questions about the project and your role in it? Refer to the project website (<http://www.easthempfield.org/2210/Dreampark>) or contact Jen Bowman Sauder. ([jenmattsauder@hotmail.com](mailto:jenmattsauder@hotmail.com) or 717-265-4955)

### Staff schedules

Jordan Farrell is away at Sr. High Fall Retreat, September 9-11.

### Teen \* Adult \* Partnerships

If you could have one superpower, what would it be?  
What is one song you enjoyed hearing this past week?

# Opportunities

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- Sr. High Fall Retreat.....September 9-11  
*at Paradise Lake*
- Wednesday Night Out.....September 7, 5:45-8 pm
- Prayer fellowship.....Saturday, September 10, 7:30 am
- Compassion Project.....September 27-October 2  
*A. Herr Park Build Week*

Offering last Sunday:	Church budget \$6,652 Building fund \$100 Amos Herr Dream Park \$1,250
Offering next Sunday:	Church budget Sunday school offerings
Attendance last Sunday:	171

Give bulletin announcements to the office by Thursday evening and announcements for the weekly e-mail by Tuesday evening at [office@landisvillemennonite.org](mailto:office@landisvillemennonite.org)

<b>Nursery Schedule - Today</b>		
<u>Worship</u>	<u>Sunday school</u>	<i>(No preschool worship)</i>
Janice Greenleaf	Mary Miller	
Abigail Greenleaf	Beth Martin	
<b>Nursery Schedule - Next Sunday</b>		
<u>Worship</u>	<u>Sunday school</u>	<u>Preschool worship</u>
Lynelle Wenger	Rick Rutt	Kyle Horst
Morgan Wenger	Reba Sharp	Marta Horst
		Abby Davies
<b>Microphone runner</b> – Justin Nissley		
<b>Superintendent on call</b> – Beth Martin		
<b>Trustee on call</b> – Jim Wolgemuth		
<b>Usher/Greeter schedule</b>		
Glenn and Barb Hoover, Flo Horning, Stu Cary, Mike and Mary Zehr		