

## Prayer notes

Prayer concerns / requests

Give bulletin announcements to Christy Kauffman by Wednesday evening and announcements for the weekly e-mail by Tuesday evening. Christy is in the office Tuesday and Wednesday. Ph: 898-0071 office@landisvillemennonite.org

## Ministry leadership team

Beth Bowman ..... Pastoral assistant for Christian formation  
Jonathan Bowman ..... Lead pastor  
Gina Burkhardt ..... Interim associate pastor  
Marcy Goehrig ..... Minister of worship  
Ken Harnly ..... Minister of Christian education  
Leon and Nancy Stauffer ..... Ministers of stewardship  
Rhonda Nissley and Renee Suydam ..... Ministers of community life  
Julia Zehr ..... Minister of missional 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). Our Pastoral Care Group is also available for conversation, and consists of Rose Baer, John Burkhardt, Larry Newswanger, and Carolyn Rudy.



# WELCOME!

Landisville  
Mennonite  
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*Joining with Christ in God's work*

**OCTOBER 19, 2014**

Worship hour: 9:00 am

**Prelude** Men's quartet  
**Gathering song** Teresa Bomberger  
HWB 407: *We are people of God's peace*  
**Call to worship** Jonathan Bowman  
**Children's offering**  
HWB 616: *Children of the heavenly Father*  
**Choir**  
*Holy, holy, holy* by Reginald Heber / Stuart Dauermann  
**Worship in song** Grace and Anna Burkhardt, Doug and Matt Bomberger  
STJ 44: *The love of God*  
STS 124: *My soul cries out*  
STJ 49: *Rain down*  
**Scripture reading:** 2 Kings 5:1-14, 1 Corinthians 1:27-30 Aaron Horst  
*(Preschool worship)*  
**Worship in song**  
STS 63: *God, fill me now*  
**Conversation** Jonathan Bowman and Jordan Farrell  
**Sermon:** The Prophet in Israel Jordan Farrell  
**Song of response**  
HWB 323: *Beyond a dying sun*  
**Offering:** Church budget (goal: \$7,875)  
Pastoral leadership training (envelope)  
*Offertory – Men's quartet*  
**Congregational sharing and pastoral prayer** Jonathan Bowman  
*Please pass the fellowship registry down the row and back*  
**Announcements**  
**Benediction** Men's quartet

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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### Ham Loaf/Pork BBQ fundraiser comings

The Sr. High youth will take orders for Gene Wenger ham loaf and pork BBQ in the foyer for 2 Sundays only - October 19th and 26th. Cost is \$10 for a 2 1/2 lb. pan of ham loaf and \$12 for 2 - 1 lb. packages of pork BBQ. All orders are due by October 26 and will be ready for pick up after the WNO meal on Wednesday, November 5. Thank you for supporting our Sr. High youth ministry.

### Baptisms October 26

We look forward to a baptism service Oct. 26. Emma Burkhart, Kim Harker, Aaron Horst, Evan Fertich, Julia Miller, and Tyler Shull will be baptized. Please pray for all those participating as they anticipate this milestone in their journey with Jesus.

### Sunday school offering

The children's SS offering for the coming year will be going to MCC's Global Family program. We are sponsoring a program helping children of families who are displaced due to the ongoing conflict in Syria. The ongoing conflict in Syria has displaced more than 2.5 million people. Thousands have died while others have been forced into poverty due to a collapsing economy. Displaced children have lost access to school. Your support helps children who have been affected by the conflict attend a high quality, church-based school by covering their tuition fees.

**Beyond awkward:** a chance to share with each other about sexuality, church, and other hard stuff. Plan now to attend two congregational conversations to explore how we can be honest, loving, and connected with each other while sharing our understandings of scripture and our unique life experiences. Childcare will be provided. First session: 6:00 pm Sunday, Nov. 9 (includes snacks together). Second session: 12:30 pm Sunday, Nov. 23 (includes a potluck lunch together).

**Mennonite Central Committee is requesting food bags for distribution** by Anabaptist churches in New York City. Anabaptist churches in the East Coast Region donate nearly 3000 bags of non-perishable food items to urban areas during the holidays. Bags with the items requested printed on the bag are available in the lobby. Please double bag with a plain paper bag. Return the filled bags by November 9. Christmas Bundles have been discontinued. -Janet Newswanger

### Christmas Sunday

We'll be celebrating Christmas on December 28 with communion, and we will not have Sunday school that morning.

### Sexuality sermon

On Sunday, November 2, Jonathan Bowman will be preaching a sermon on sexuality. He will share an understanding of the Bible and current church position that supports a traditional view of marriage and sexuality, while inviting all of us to continue walking with all whom God loves, and talking about important subjects even when we disagree. As this is a delicate and personal topic, please pray for God's wisdom and grace for Jonathan and the rest of us as we have conversation that day and beyond. As usual, sermons are meant to start conversations; Jonathan hopes you will talk with each other and with him before and after Nov. 2.

### Candy making update

A group of key leaders and volunteers from the Sr. High candy making fundraiser met recently to discuss the future of candy making here at Landisville. We have decided to take a break from candy making to focus our time and effort in other areas, including the Chili Bowl (February 1), youth auction (April 1), and other meals served by the youth. One of the most anticipated parts of candy making is the inter-generational involvement. The youth value interactions with a wide age range of people and will miss this time together. Consider how you or your Sunday school can get involved with our youth - through hosting Bible studies, initiating service projects or inviting the youth to participate in social activities.

### Material Resources Center service opportunity

MRC will host volunteers from Landisville on Monday 10, from 9:00 to 3:00. MRC provides drinks and snacks for a 10:00 break. MRC is able to provide volunteer opportunities for children 11 years and older. Bring a packed lunch to eat at noon. There are many tasks in the warehouse, including packing of relief supplies and recycling. The quilt room is in need of quilters and volunteers are needed in the sewing room. Come to MRC at 517 Trout Run Road, Ephrata or meet to car pool at the church at 8:30.

### Teen \* Adult \* Partnerships

What is your favorite home cooked meal?

Are you on any teams or in any clubs in your school? If so which ones?