

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

Jonathan BowmanLead pastor
Gina Burkhart Interim associate pastor
Jordan Farrell Associate pastor of youth and young adults
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

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 Rose Baer, John Burkhart, Larry Newswanger, and Carolyn Rudy.



WELCOME!

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Mennonite
Church

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Joining with Christ in God's work

JANUARY 25, 2015

Worship hour: 9:00 am

Prelude Heather Myer

Gathering song Doug Bomberger
HWB 75: *Heilig, heilig, heilig*

Call to worship Jonathan Bowman

Children's offering
STJ 90: *Lord, we bring to you our children*

Worship in song
STS 40: *We will follow*
HWB 76: *Je louerai l'Eternel*
STJ 37: *Miren qué bueno*

(Preschool worship)

Worship in song
HWB 611: *Soon and very soon*

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13, 25-34, 13:31-32 Dan and Christie Hertzler

Sermon Liesa Unger

Song of response
STS 16: *Peace before us*

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

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

Preaching this morning is Liesa Unger, Chief International Events Officer for Mennonite World Conference Assembly. Anyone is welcome to attend an elective Sunday school class in the sanctuary with her and Howard Good, National Coordinator of Pennsylvania 2015.

The quilt hanging in the front of the church, "Silent Reflections" was quilted by Landisville Mennonite Women. It will be auctioned at the PA Relief Sale on April 18. Come and bid it up for the benefit of MCC.

Copies of *What We Believe Together*, a book on the 7 shared convictions of Mennonite World Conference, are available in the foyer for \$5.

Financial reports

Please help yourselves to financial reports on the table in the lobby:

- Full Budget Report for Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 2014 (white - multi-paged)
- An abridged Report for Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 2014 (green)
- The approved Budget for Jan to Dec. 31, 2015 (white - multi-paged)

We would be happy to discuss any questions you may have.

Rick Rutt, Lester Groff, Steve Horst

Bible Quizzing

Of the 53 Quiz Teams in the League, 24 will be quizzing here at Landisville this evening. A time of worship will begin at 6:15. Four quizzes will be taking place simultaneously; however, all of our matches will be held in the sanctuary. For a complete schedule, see the youth group's bulletin board. For team standings, go to www.accquizzing.org

Young Adult Care Packages

Next Sunday, February 1st is the first day of care package collection for our young adults (recent high school graduates - age 22). We will have 14 boxes set up in the foyer. Notes or cards of encouragement, healthy snacks, gift cards and other creative items make wonderful gifts. Boxes will be displayed in the foyer 2 Sundays - Feb. 1 and Feb. 8 and during the February WNO. We also need volunteers to deliver or mail care packages after Feb. 8. Please sign up next to a care package if you can help in this way. Thank you for blessing our young adults through this thoughtful and tangible gift.

Wednesday Night Out - February 4

Meal 5:45-6:30 pm. Program 7 pm. Game Night - play a game of volleyball or bring along a table game. Child care and activities are available for children and youth.

You're invited to "Tough Issues and the Bible"

In February during Sunday School, Friendship I will focus on "Tough Issues and the Bible." We invite anyone who would like to take part to come. Ed Nyce, who's part of Friendship I, will lead Feb. 1, 8, and 15, based on some of what he covered last March in the elective class, "Palestine, Israel, and the Bible." We'll begin by focusing on interpreting and applying the Bible in general. What, if any, lenses do we bring to our reading of the Bible that help to determine how we understand it? What have been a few tough issues that the Church has faced in the past? Do we treat ourselves the same as we treat others when applying the Bible to life's questions? Then, we will look briefly at a passage from Revelation, applying what we've talked about to that point in the class as we consider things like "prophecy" and the Revelator's context. On Feb. 22, we will view a video called, "Being a Faithful Church." Loren Johns, of Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary, shares with us from his years of study on the Bible and sexuality. All are welcome.

Vacation Bible School

If you have interest in helping on the planning team for Vacation Bible School this summer, please contact Gina Burkhart. Thanks!

Stewardship University is coming to LMS Campus, Saturday, March 7. More than 30 seminars are offered at this one-day (9 AM to 2:30 PM) event for lay members as well as those who carry congregational responsibilities. Sponsored by Everence, you will learn ways to better utilize time, talents, money, health and relationships that God has given you. Please browse the Stewardship University Brochure. A discounted registration fee is available, if we register as a group before February 10. Your cost for full day registration will be \$20 which includes lunch. Please place your completed registration form and payment of \$20 per person payable to Landisville Mennonite Church in Leon & Nancy Stauffer's mailbox by Sunday, Feb. 8. Any questions, contact Leon or Nancy.

Teen * Adult * Partnerships

Do you find it easy to save money? Have you ever cut your own hair?

Opportunities

Bible Quizzing.....Sunday, January 25, 6:30 pm
at Landisville Mennonite; worship begins at 6:15

Choir.....Wednesday, January 28, 7:00 pm

Prayer fellowship.....Saturday, January 31, 7:30 am

Chili Bowl.....Sunday, February 1, 11:30 am

Bible Quizzing.....Sunday, February 1, 2:00 pm
at Blainsport Mennonite

Wednesday Night Out.....Wednesday, February 4, 5:45-8 pm

Women's sewing group.....Thursday, February 5, 8:30 am

Jr. High lock-in.....Friday-Saturday, February 6-7

Offering last Sunday:	Church budget \$7,465.50
Offering next Sunday:	Church budget High school education (envelope)
Attendance last Sunday:	176

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Nursery Schedule - Today

<u>Worship</u>	<u>Sunday school</u>	<u>Preschool worship</u>
Kay Newcomer	Greta Stoner	Tim Miller
Michelle Rutt	Rick Rutt	Angie Miller
Morgan Wenger		Ben Greenleaf

Nursery Schedule - Next Sunday

<u>Worship</u>	<u>Sunday school</u>	(No preschool worship)
Natalie Miller	Rhonda Nissley	
Kim Harker	Mary Zehr	
Samantha Harker		

Sunday school superintendent on hall duty – Marian Gingrich

Microphone runners – Katie and Joy Rutt

Trustee on call – Jim Wolgemuth

Usher/Greeter schedule for January

Carolyn Rudy & Ed Stoltzfus, Fred & Lynn Miller, Marian Gingrich & Grace Miller