LAST WEEK

Sunday School

Worship Attendance

Your generosity empowers our collective work for God's kingdom purposes. Thanks.

OUR THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK:

Carl Newcomxr

GREETERS:

Today: Byron & Barb Kauffmxn

Next Week: Art & Mary Newcomxr

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Lori Lehmxn Next Week: Larry Evxns

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Larry Evxns, Steve Lxpp, Elaine Newcomxr, Dick Lindemxr, Carol Bxck **Pastoral Care Team:** Mark Thomxs, Barb Kauffmxn, Dick Lindemxr,

Carl Newcomxr and Michelle Lxnk
Crisis Care: Chuck Swxrtz and Cheryl Shxnk

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Gathering

Announcements

Welcome & Call to Worship

Prelude

Bill Barrxtt

Psalm 100

Kim Lehmxn

Opening prayer

Praising

Congregational SingingWorship Team
With our Offerings & Offertory
Bill Barrxtt

Confession Kim Lehmxn

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

All: Worship the Lord with gladness;

come into God's presence with singing.

Leader: Know that the Lord is God.

All: It is God who made us. We are God's people;

we follow like sheep in the pasture.

Leader: Enter these gates with thanksgiving, and the courts with praise.

All: Give thanks, and bless God's name.

Leader: For the Lord is good.

All: God's steadfast love endures forever, and God's faithfulness to all generations.

Congregational Singing

Janet Wilkxns

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading John 10:10 Kim Lehmxn Message: "Enjoying Life" KJ Schrxck

Sharing

Our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastoral PrayerElaine NewcomxrSending songJanet WilkxnsBenedictionElaine Newcomxr

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School – Bible Study led by Larry Evxns **10:40 a.m.** – Worship. Speaker, KJ Schrxck

WEDNESDAY

4:15p.m. - Our Daily Bread

NEXT SUNDAY Note time

10:00 a.m. – Worship. Lion's Park large shelter house 11:30 a.m. – Church Picnic

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cheryl, Chuck and Jeanie will be out of town August 14-21. For emergencies, contact Mark Thomxs, Pastoral Care or Miriam Lxpp.

Pick up your **Sunday School quarterly** for the Fall Quarter today in the foyer. (We will be at the Ball Park for the morning next week.)

Next Sunday, **August 26**th is the **Church Picnic** at the large shelter house at Lions Park. *Worship is at 10:00 a.m.* and the picnic is at 11:30 a.m. Please bring a dish to share and your own table service. Beverage will be provided.

Vendors' Breakfast. You are invited to come and enjoy breakfast with vendors on Friday, August 31 from 8:30-10:00 a.m.

Summer Newsletter. Miriam will be publishing a newsletter in late August. Information for the newsletter is due **today** August 19th. Thanks.

If you would like a copy of the song lyrics that Cheryl shared last Sunday, you may pick up a pink copy on the table outside her office.*

September is Bethel's month to volunteer on Wednesdays at South Union for **West Liberty Cares**. The yellow sign-up sheet with the specific times is on the bulletin board.*

Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale on August 3-4 preliminary total is \$320,000. The total includes \$136,000 from My Coins Count* (for Water Projects).

Everence Financial will present *Creative tools for charitable giving* at 6:30 p.m., on Tuesday, Aug. 21, at The Grove.

West Liberty United Methodist Church is once again offering Grief Support through **Griefshare**—a 13 week seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild life after losing a loved one—offering help, encouragement and hope. Groups start on Monday morning and Tuesday evening of this week. See the details on the bulletin board.*

*More information in the foyer.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- Pray for wisdom, grace and strength for our congregational leaders—Elders, Pastors, Gifts Discernment and Pastor Search Committee.
- New Path Center asks that we pray that their young moms may see how God has richly provided for them in Christ and through this ministry.
- Continue to pray for Karen Kxng as she recovers from brain surgery.
- Pray for Bill and Eleanor Shxmaker as they treat Bill's recent medical issues.
- Kayla Tracx, Gina Burokxer's niece, is beginning preliminary testing for her back surgery on September 14th in New Jersey. Pray for Kayla and her family as the approach this big event.
- Keep in our prayers the following Bethel members; Pat Zoxk, Molly Thornbxrg, Ruth Yodxr, Lowell and Ellie Kauffmxn, Willie and Hilda Yodxr.