LAST WEEK

Sunday School 34

Worship Attendance 42

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

OUR THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

PASTORAL CARE THIS WEEK:

Michelle Lxnk

GREETERS:

Today: Byron & Barb Kauffmxn

Next Week: Joe and Donna Lehmxn

SOUND OPERATOR:

Today: Larry Evxns **Next Week:** Mark Kauffmxn

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

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Gathering

Announcements

Lighting the Peace LampCindy Kauffmxn

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness,

goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Galatians 5:22,23a

Welcome First Mission Sunday for November
Prelude
Psalm 100
Copening prayer: International Day of Prayer

Kim Lehmxn
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Mission Moment

Amanda Favx & Christy McCxrty, Adriel Foster Care

Praising

Congregational SingingEllen SteinxrWith our Offerings & OffertoryEllen Steinxr

God is Faithful/ AffirmationKim LehmxnCongregational SingingCarl Newcomexr

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:14-20 Kim Lehmxn **Message:** "See Everything has Become New" Reverend Paul Forrxy

Sharing

Our joys, requests, thanksgivings & responses

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Chuck Swxrtz

Sending song Carl Newcomxr
Benediction Pastor Chuck Swxrtz

Join us for a meal in the fellowship room.

THIS WEEK

TODAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40 a.m. - Worship. Speaker, Reverend Paul Forrxy

Noon – Missions meal provided (Our Daily Bread menu)

2:00 p.m. – Green Hills service. Pastor Chuck speaking

2:00 p.m. – Remembering Robert Bylxr

MONDAY

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. – Homework Help Open House

TUESDAY

9:15 a.m. – Women's Bible Study

Noon – Peace and Justice lunch

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Homework Help

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. – Ministry of Worship meeting

THURSDAY

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Homework Help

7:00 p.m. – Pastors and Elder Leadership Team meeting

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40 a.m. – Worship. Speaker, Dan Bylxr

Noon – Missions meal provided – Rice and beans

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Remembering Robert (Bob) Bylxr. A service, celebrating and remembering the life of Robert Bylxr, will take place at 2:00 p.m. today, November 4 at Bethel Mennonite Church fellowship room. A native of West Liberty, Robert graduated from West Liberty High School in 1951. Relatives and friend are welcome to attend at the celebration.

November Mission Month. How faithful God is!

If you'd like to help bring food for the meal next week, November 11, sign up in the foyer to bring rice and beans. On November 4 and 18 the Our Daily Bread menu will be served.*

Earmark above budget giving for *Missions*. Missions money not specifically marked will be divided between Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS), Adrixl Foster Program and Human Trafficking Rescue & Restorx. We are also collecting personal care items for Rescue & Restorx. (see insert)

Bethel Homework Help resumes on November 6th meeting from 3:30 – 5:00p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

On the bulletin board in the foyer are some newsletters of interest. BezaLettxr from Kekchx Mennonite Education Center, the MCC annual report and Agxra Ministries in Columbus.

* More information is in the foyer.

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

- Remember the students and families participating in our *Bethel Homework Help* program. Pray for wisdom for the volunteers as they work with love and care for the children.
- Pray for Lorene Grabxr, Harry's sister-in-law and Cheryl's aunt as she deals with health issues. She was transferred to a rehab facility the end of this week.
- Pray for Don and Kelly Davxs, Kim Lehmxn's sister and husband as Don continues to experience health problems.
- Pray for Bethel Leaders the Elder Leadership Team and Ministry of Worship as they meet this week as well as the Pastor Search Committee as it discerns the pastoral candidate for Bethel.
- Remember those who have lost loved ones recently the Zoxk family, Eleanor, Ken and Jeanette, Bill and Carole and the Marchxl family.
- Remember Bethelites who are not able to come to worship with us on Sunday mornings – Wilfred and Hilda Yodxr, Lowell and Ellie, Ruth Yodxr and Molly Thornbxrg. Molly's birthday is this Thursday, Nov. 8.
- We partner with Deb Bylxr to support her work helping the women of Kekchi Mennonite Church to grow in their faith. Pray for wisdom for Deb as she builds relationships there and prepares study materials for women's meetings.

Missions Month Offering Projects

(Earmark above budget giving for *Missions*. Mission money not specifically marked will be divided among these 3.)





Human Trafficking Rescue & Restore



Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS)









<u>Personal Care Items</u> <u>for Rescue and Restore</u>

Place donations in basket in foyer

Deodorant

Lotion

Toothpaste

Tooth brushes

Shampoo/conditioner

Combs

Hair barrettes or clips

Gloves

Nail clippers

Gift cards \$10-20 (from Walmart, Kroger or Odd

Lots)