

Bethel Mennonite Church

"Serving Jesus, Loving Others"

Vol. 61

March 10, 2019

No. 10

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40a.m. – Worship

We gather to worship

Announcements

Lighting the Peace Lamp

I will hear what God the LORD will speak: for he will speak peace unto his people, and to his saints: but let them not turn again to folly.

Psalm 85:8 KJV

Welcome & Call to Worship (see insert)

Prelude

Congregational singing

Offering

Congregational Singing

We hear God's Word

Scripture Reading Jeremiah 31:2-4 KJV, Matthew 4:1-11

Message: "Grace in the Wilderness"

We respond to Christ's invitation

Confession and response (see insert)

Sharing: reflections on scripture, joys, requests, thanksgivings

Intercessory Prayer

We go to love and serve

Sending song

Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today: Birthday potluck for those who have birthdays in December, August, July, and April.

You are invited to contribute to a special offering for our global Anabaptist church community this Sunday. **Mennonite World Conference (MWC)** invites us to give the cost of one lunch; this will support the networks and ministry of MWC. Thank you!

Tuesday: Women Serving in Love. Soup is on the menu. Susie Krabxll and Janice Rabenstexn are the hostesses. If your last name begins with the initial H-K, please bring a dessert. Nancy B. has devotions "Patience."

Mark your calendar for **Guess Who is Coming to Dinner** for the evening of April 7. More information later.

The last of March or early April, Karl Smxth will be getting 50 gallons of maple syrup from his cousin's sugar bush in New York. The syrup is \$40 @ gallon. If you would like to purchase maple syrup, put your name, the # of gallons, and payment in Karl's mailbox here at church. Write your check to Vern Zxhr.

Directory update: Mark Thomxs' new phone number: 937-441-0172

The MCC Thirft Shop is need for volunteers to help run cash register and a few other projects. Please, if you are interested contact Michelle Nexr at the store, 937-465-3077. This is a wonderful opportunity for missions work without leaving the area!

OUR THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

This Week – March 10

Worship leader: Kim Lehmxn

Musicians: Bill Barrxtt,
Janet Wilkins, Ellen Steinxr

Speaker: Chuck Swxrtz, Cheryl Shxnk

Greeters: Paul & Linda Hostetlrx

Sound/media: Mark Kauffmxn

Prelude: Bill Barrxtt

Offertory: Ellen Steinxr

Peace Lamp: Cindy Kauffmxn

Next Week – March 17

Worship leader:

Musicians: Bill Barrxtt
Janet Wilkins, Ellen Steinxr

Speaker: Rebecca Kauffmxn

Greeters: Bill and Carole Barrxtt

Sound/media: Ken Shxnk

Prelude: Ellen Steinxr

Offertory: Bill Barrxtt

Peace Lamp: Cindy Kauffmxn

THIS WEEK

TODAY

Noon – Birthday Potluck

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m. – Women Serving in Love

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Homework Help

WEDNESDAY

Noon – Peace and Justice Lunch

THURSDAY

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Homework Help

7:00 p.m. – Elder Leadership Team Meeting

SATURDAY

8:00 a.m. – Men's Breakfast

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:40 a.m. – Worship. Speaker, Rebecca Kauffmxn

LAST WEEK

Sunday School 38

Worship Attendance 49

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

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