Bethel Mennonite Church

"Serving Jesus, Loving Others"

Vol. 61

March 17, 2019

No. 11

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School 10:40a.m. – Worship

We gather to worship

Announcements

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Jesus got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

Mark 4:39

Welcome & Call to Worship (see insert)
Prelude
Congregational singing
Offering
Congregational Singing

We hear God's Word

Scripture: Psalm 27

Message: Gathered in Safe Shelter

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

Next Sunday our worship service will take place in the fellowship room. Our Lenten scriptures, prayers and praises will be expressed through songs, hymns, silence, and the spoken word. Bring your hungry, weary souls to be fed at the Lord's table through communion, and join our voices together in worship.

Tuesday, March 19, 2019, at 6:30m p.m. **Everence** is hosting a seminar about Charitable Giving at South Union Mennonite Church. Light refreshments will be served. For more information or to reserve your spot, contact Ken SXms at

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.

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!

Boots, Buckets, and Barrows, by Ted & Co. An MDS fund raiser. Saturday, March 30, 7:00pm at South Union Mennonite Church. Basket items are due today.

Mark your calendar for **Guess Who is Coming to Dinner** for the evening of April 7 at 5:00p.m.

OUR THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

This Week – March 17 Next Week – March 24

Worship leader: Doug Steinxr Worship leader: Rebecca Kauffmxn

Musicians: Bill Barrxtt, Musicians: Bill Barrxtt

Janet Wilkxns, Byron Kauffmxn

Speaker: Rebecca Kauffmxn Speaker:

Sound/media: Ken ShxnkSound/media: Lori LehmxnPrelude: Kathy GrabxrPrelude: Kathy GrabxrOffertory: Bill BarrxttOffertory: Bill Barrxtt

Peace Lamp: Cindy Kauffmxn

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PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES

*Rebecca will go to Florida this Sunday evening, returning Wednesday morning, in order to attend a memorial service for Andrew's grandmother who died last October. Andrew and his dad drove down together. For pastoral care needs please contact Carl Newcomxr.

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*Rita Robxrts' Uncle Paul Rxth of Killbuck, Ohio passed away on Monday, March 11. Please pray for his wife Caroll June and children: Linda, Tim, John and Stanley and remaining Rxth family. The funeral service was held Saturday, March 16th in Millersburg, OH.

*Continue to remember those who are seeking physical healing, including Chuck Swxrtz, Hilda Yxder.

*Remember Kip Loxden and others who are grieving the death of a loved one. May God's hand of comfort and love be upon them in this time of change.

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY

9:15 a.m. -Women's Bible Study

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Homework Help

THURSDAY

3:30 - 5:00 p.m. - Homework Help

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:40 a.m. –Worship in the fellowship room. A service featuring music and communion.

LAST WEEK

Sunday School 40 Worship Attendance 53

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

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