

Zion Mennonite Church Newsletter

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June 26, 2022

Child's World Preschool: 419-445-6034

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Zion Activities this week

Sunday, June 26

- 8:30 am ~ Sojourners Sunday School (310)
- 9:30 am ~ Worship (in-person & Zoom)
- 10:45 am ~ Sunday School
- 11:30 am ~ Corben's farewell lunch & program

Monday, June 27

- 10:00 am ~ Staff Meeting

Thursday, June 23

- 6:30 am ~ Men's Prayer (fellowship hall)
- 7:00 pm ~ AA (310)

Sunday, July 3

- 8:30 am ~ Sojourners Sunday School (310)
- 9:30 am ~ Worship (in-person & Zoom)
- 10:45 am ~ Sunday School

Office News

~ Dan will be in the office Monday, Thursday and Friday this week.

Happy Anniversary:

June 29 - Lynn & Anita Roth (20)

June 30 - Stan & Sue Short (32)

July 1 - Phil & Lynette Bontrager (33)

July 2 - Chad & Nichole Aeschliman (17)

Happy Birthday:

June 26 - Roger Crossgrove, Lowell Yoder

July 2 - Phil (Lynette) Bontrager

Order of Service

- Prelude** ~ Bonnie Stuckey
- Welcome & Announcements** ~ Karen Ruth
- Interlude** ~ Bonnie Stuckey
- Call to Worship & Prayer** ~ Karen Ruth
- Hymn** ~ Julia Richer
"Here In This Place" (HWB 6)
- Scripture** ~ Deuteronomy 6:1-9
- Offering/Offertory** ~ Karen Ruth/Bonnie Stuckey
- Special Music** ~ "Long Time Traveler"
Julia Richer, Karen Ruth, Mara Weaver Boshart
- Prayer for the Church and World** ~ Sue Short
- Hymn** ~ Julia Richer
"Be Thou My Vision" (HWB 545)
- Scripture** ~ Psalm 8
- Front Porch Sermon** ~ Corben, Sue & Dan
- Song of Response** ~ "The Tree Song"
Julia Richer & Mark Nafziger
- Blessing** ~ Elders
- Benediction** ~ Corben Weaver Boshart
- Sending Hymn** ~ Julia Richer
"My Life Flows On" (HWB 580)



By God's Grace, Zion Mennonite Church will be a House of Peace where all people are invited to share Christ's love with each other and the world.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, June 26th - Honoring Corben & Mara on their last Sunday. There will be a meal of hamburgers and brats following the Sunday morning service. After lunch, there will be a short farewell program.

Covid Update

It has been some time since we've communicated anything related to Covid, so it felt like a good opportunity to reiterate our most recent understanding. Teams, committees, and groups are responsible for making their own best decisions about events or activities which fall under their planning. We also assume that each person is making responsible decisions for themselves about what they choose to attend, taking into consideration their own health risks, and the needs of their family.

~ Spiritual Leadership Team (SLT)

New Announcements

Golf Benefit: Adriel is having a benefit golf scramble on September 12th at the Eagle Rock Golf Club in Defiance. See the bulletin board across from the bathrooms for more information.

Special guests in July: Herm Weaver & Vince Buckwalter are coming to Archbold, Ohio **July 10**, as part of their '22 Roots Tour. The lifelong friends and singer-songwriters reunite after meeting in 1977 at Hesston College (Kan.) The duo performs original vocals, mixed in with acoustic guitar and piano. Songs come from music written long ago and brand new compositions. **They will sing in Zion's worship service and give a short concert during the Sunday school hour.**

Thank You

Dear Zion, we want to thank you for all of your prayers and support during our recent loss. We also want to thank Sue, Corben and Dan for helping us get through this difficult time. ~ Ruth Meyer Family

Thanks to the many hands that helped serve a picnic to East Garden this week. We're so glad to be part of such a willing congregation! ~ Lori Bontrager for MiST

Don't Forget

Volunteers needed: Northwestern Ohio Community Action Commission is in URGENT need of volunteers to help with the summer food program in Archbold. From 11:55 am - 1:00 pm, Monday - Friday (except holidays), they serve meals at the Rauhley Park and also have some short activities with the children. If you can offer any assistance, please contact Crystal Genter at 419.784.2150 x1130.

On the Level Announcement: The June edition of *On the Level* is now available from Mennonite Disaster Service. In our current issue: Executive Director Kevin King shares the story of the first home dedications just 6 months after the tornado ripped through Mayfield, Kentucky; Mount Academy students have completed building a modular home and it is rolling down the highway to a very appreciative homeowner; and there are still opportunities for you to volunteer this fall. **Click on this link to read more:** <https://conta.cc/3xuonf9>

Save the date for a Comforter Bash! Make plans to join us on November 11 and 12 for the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Great Lakes Comforter Bash in Goshen. People of all ages are invited to knot comforters at Pleasant View Church (58529 County Road 23). For more information about the event visit mcc.org/goshen-comforter-bash or contact LaVera Schlabach at 574.538.9629. A handmade comforter provides not only warmth but also a tangible message to people that their needs are not forgotten.