

✦ **NEXT WEEK – November 18, 2018** ✦

Next Week's Sermon – Jason Risser sharing & preaching
“**Good News**”
2 Corinthians 5:17-21 & Romans 10:14-15

Offering – Home Treasury

1st Service Greeters – Glenn & Debbie Martin

Sunday School Greeters – Titus & Linda Martin
Jim & Lynne Bauder

2nd Service Greeters – Jon & Alecia Rotz

Moderator 1st Service – Jon Rotz

2nd Service – Aaron Amstutz

Prayer Leader 1st Service – Jay Kuhns

2nd Service – Chet Martin

Nursery 2nd Service – Walisa Horst & Morgan Bitikofer

Children's Church:

PreK-Kindergarten – Amy Boyer & Maggie Possinger

1st – 3rd Grade – Christmas Program Practice

Worship Leader 1st Service – Patty Hege

2nd Service – Debbie Meyers

Media Tech 1st Service – Maggie Possinger

2nd Service – Daryl Hunsecker

Sound Tech 1st & 2nd Services – Tim Martin

Rovers: 9:15 – Close: Mike Lehman & Alyssa Horst

Church Office Hours: Tues. – Fri. 9:00 – 3:00

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Notes

Mission Statement

As believers in Jesus Christ, our desire is to be real with God, real with each other and real with the world. No longer being satisfied with simply living a “Christian life” but living our lives for Christ.

Welcome To



Mercersburg Mennonite Church

Early Worship

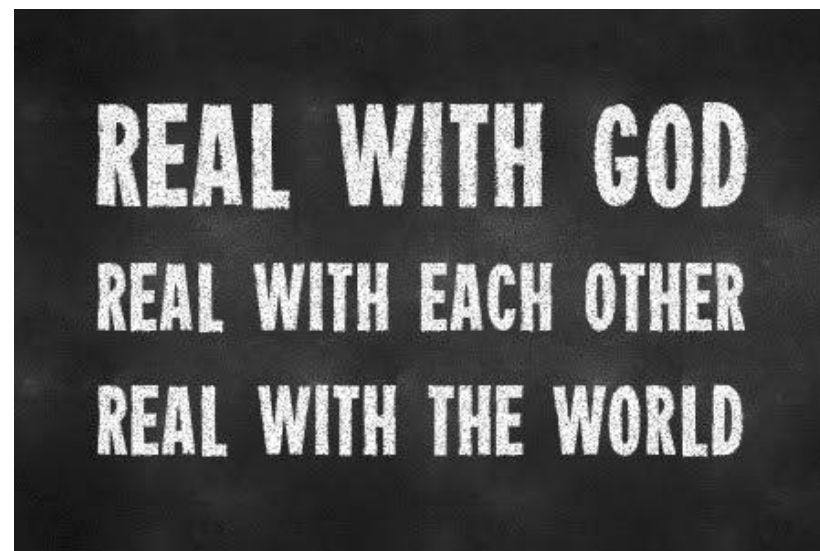
8:15 A.M.

Sunday School

9:30 A.M.

Worship

10:45 A.M.



Pastor David & Glenda Possinger
 Pastor Emeritus Lloyd & Rachel Gingrich
 Deacons Aaron & Danae Amstutz
 John & Linda Horst

★ **Sunday School For All Ages – 9:30 A.M.** ★

Greeters – Paul & Linda Boyer
 Tim & Kim Martin

★ **Worship Service – 8:15 & 10:45 A.M.** ★

1st Service Greeter – Ben & Janet Martin

2nd Service Greeters – Aaron & Danae Amstutz

Nursery (ages 1-3) 2nd Service – Alecia Rotz & Kadenn Martin

Children’s Church:

PreK – Kindergarten – Nancy & Justin Kuhns
1st – 5th Grade – Christmas Program Practice

Call to Worship 1st Service – Jon Rotz
2nd Service – Debbie Meyers

Announcements 1st Service – Glenn Martin
2nd Service – Aaron Amstutz

Prayer Leader 1st Service – Glenn Martin
2nd Service – Jon Rotz

Offering: Home Treasury

Worship Leader 1st & 2nd Services – Ryan & Zach Sauder

Sermon – “Different Paths to the Cross”
 (Testimonies)
 Ephesians 4:2-7

UPCOMING CHURCH SERVICES

Next Sunday, November 18 - Jason & Connie Risser will be with us. Jason will be sharing & bringing a Thanksgiving sermon in the morning services.

Thanksgiving Service – Next Sunday, November 18; 7:00 pm.

Christmas Program – Sunday, December 16; 7:00 pm.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Offering Total November 11 – Home Treasury: \$4838.00

Special Offering Focus for November – Brian & April Thrush
 Prayerfully consider what God would be leading you to give over and above your normal tithe. Wooden box is in foyer for your contributions.

We want to say **"Thank You"** for your cards, words of encouragement, baked goods, meals, and gifts for Pastor Appreciation. We are so blessed to be part of a loving & caring congregation. Pastor David, Glenda, Maggie and Seth

Next Step Small Group will be singing at Fulton County Retirement Home this Thursday, November 15; 6:00 pm. They would appreciate others from our congregation joining them to help sing.

Christmas Program Practice for children in grades 1-5 held during children's church each Sunday morning. Please encourage your children to attend as often as possible. If you have any questions contact Sheila Forrester.

Mailing Address for Dillon Vosburg: PVT Vosburg Dillon J
 3rd Platoon, Punishers
 C-CO 3-60th INF RGT
 5500 Marion Ave.
 Fort Jackson, SC 29207

Lunch at Brindle Terrace & Estates November 27th & 29th; 12:00 each day. Check bulletin board for food donation & attendance sign-up sheets.

Care Package items are still being collected for John & Connie. Suggested items to donate include, but are not limited to – snacks, reading material, activity books, gas cards, cash for food at the hospital and cards of encouragement. Use your imagination & be creative with ideas to help them pass their time. A basket is available in the foyer for your items.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS: (Post High)

Wednesday, Nov. 21; 7:00 pm – Bible Study at Ethan & Debbie Meyers’.

YOUTH GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS: (7th – 12th Grades)

Wednesday, November 14 – Bible Study at Neil & Jen Kuhns home.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Franklin District Annual Journey Days Conference – this afternoon & evening. Speaker is Noah Kaye, former pastor and international church planter. Afternoon workshop "Appreciating Conflict" 4:30-5:30 pm; dinner will follow. Evening session 6:30 pm includes worship, brief "state of the district" address and sermon by Noah Kaye will be about Christians being "Restored Along the Way" as we seek healing for ourselves and our communities.

Star Theater is showing FREE faith-based films. Upcoming movies are: Nov. 30 – Finding Normal; Dec 7 – Christmas Angel; Dec. 14 – Christmas with a Capital C & Dec. 21 – Wish for Christmas.

Cumberland Valley Relief Center - Fundraiser Calendars on foyer table.

Grocery Bag Drive for Cumberland Valley Relief Center – Collected groceries are distributed to inner city churches across the US. Bags are available in the foyer. Please return to foyer by Sunday, December 9. Contact 717-375-2088 with any questions.

Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Collection – November 12 – 19. Shoe boxes are available in the foyer as well as sign-up sheets for volunteers. See Linda Boyer for more info.

Red Cross Blood Drive – in fellowship hall; Tues., Nov 20; 12:30 – 6 pm.

Consecration & Anointing Service – Thursday, November 29; 5:30 pm at Menno Haven Rehabilitation Center. For more info contact 717-262-1017 or annamae.burkholder@mennohaven.org. All are welcome.

Cove Valley Camp Upcoming Announcements:

- **Hobby Retreat III** – November 30 – December 2
- **Primary Day Retreat** – Saturday, December 1, Grades K-2
- **Sr. High Retreat** – January 11-13; Grades 9-12
- **Jr. High Retreat** – January 18-20; Grades 6-8
- **Primary Retreat** – January 25-27; Grades 3-5



- November 13 – Chuck Miller
- November 13 – Kim Martin
- November 14 – Grace Gaylor
- November 14 – Jeanette Puckett
- November 15 – Makaila Lehman
- November 16 – Dee Boden
- November 16 – Teagan Priest
- November 17 – Cole Horst
- November 18 – Cierra Mariano