# NEXT WEEK – November 25, 2018

Next Week's Sermon – Jon Rotz preaching

Offering - Home Treasury

1st Service Greeters - Clifford Lehman

Sunday School Greeters – Ron & Anna May McCleary

Mike & Stacy Lehman

2nd Service Greeters - John & Linda Horst

Moderator 1st Service – Neil Kuhns

2nd Service - Aaron Amstutz

Prayer Leader 1st Service - Neil Kuhns

2<sup>nd</sup> Service - Chester Horst

Nursery 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Linda Martin & Faith Horst

Children's Church:

PreK-Kindergarten – Alecia Rotz & Seth Possinger

1st - 3rd Grade - Christmas Program Practice

Worship Leader 1st Service – Patty Hege

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Debbie Meyers

Media Tech 1st Service – Daryl Hunsecker

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Walisa Horst

Sound Tech 1st Service – Chuck Miller

2<sup>nd</sup> Service - AJ Eshleman

Rovers: 9:15 - Close: Mike Lehman & Alvssa Horst

**Church Office Hours:** Tues. & Wed. 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

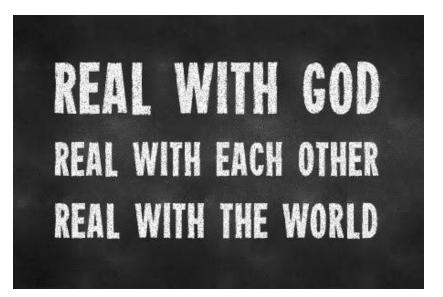


# Mercersburg Mennonite Church

8:15 A.M.

9:30 A.M.

Early Worship **Sunday School** 10:45 A.M. Worship



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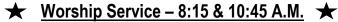
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Pastor Pastor Emeritus Deacons

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



**Greeters** – Titus & Linda Martin Jim & Lynne Bauder



1st Service Greeter – Glenn & Debbie Martin

2<sup>nd</sup> Service Greeters – Jon & Alecia Rotz

Nursery (ages 1-3) 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Walisa Horst & Morgan Bitikofer

## Children's Church:

PreK - Kindergarten - Amy Boyer & Maggie Possinger 1st - 5th Grade - Christmas Program Practice

Call to Worship 1st & 2nd Services – Devin Horst

Announcements 1st Service – Jon Rotz 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Aaron Amstutz

Prayer Leader 1st Service - Jay Kuhns 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Chet Martin

**Offering:** Home Treasury

Worship Leader 1st & 2nd Services - Devin Horst

Sermon - Jason Risser "Good News"

2 Corinthians 5:17-21 & Romans 10:14-15

#### **UPCOMING CHURCH SERIVCES**

**Thanksgiving Service** – this evening; 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall.

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

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Offering Total November 11 - Home Treasury: \$6295.96

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 fover for your contributions.

Thank You to Jason & Connie for sharing with us today. We wish you God's blessings as you continue serving him.

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

Rhonda will NOT be in the office this Thursday & Friday. Please have all bulletin & prayer guide information to her by Tuesday afternoon.

Care Packages for College Students will be sent out soon. If you are interested in helping to encourage our college students as they prepare for and take their final exams please put your donated items in the box available in the foyer. Note cards are available for writing notes of encouragement.

Christmas Program Practice for children in grades 1-5 held during children's church each Sunday morning. 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

Luncheon at Brindle Terrace & Estates November 27th & 29th: 12:00 each day. Sign-up sheets for food donation & attendance are on bulletin board.

Care Package items are still being collected for John & Connie Wadel. 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 21 - Bible Study at Neil & Jen Kuhns home.

#### **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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.

Bezaleel Fundraising Banquet - Thursday, December 6 at Chambersburg Mennonite Church Fellowship Hall. 5:30 Marimba music & Hors D'oeuvres & 6:15 Banquet meal. See flyer in mailboxes & on bulletin board. for more info.

Cookies Needed - for the Menno Haven Auxiliary Christmas Social. Signup sheet is on the bulletin board.

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

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
- Open Positions Program Assistant (works with and supports the Program Director in planning future programs of the camp including Summer Camps, Retreats, Challenge Course and all items associated with camp's programs. Contact Eric at program@covevalleycamp.com if interested)

Food Service Assistant (works with and supports the Food Service Director. Contact Allen at execdirector@covevalleycamp.com if interested.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



November 18 – Cierra Mariano November 21 – Becky Sauder November 21 – Elise Utermoehlen