

✦ NEXT WEEK – May 23, 2021 ✦

Next Week's Service – Aaron Amstutz Preaching  
Article 13: Love and Non-resistance  
"Why I'm Not a Pacifist"  
Matthew 5:43-48

Offering – Home Treasury

Moderator 1<sup>st</sup> Service – Jon Rotz

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Aaron Amstutz

Prayer Leader 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Services – Jon Rotz

Nursery (2<sup>nd</sup> Service) – Darlene Meyers & Yakaira Priest

Children's Church:

3 yrs. – Kindergarten – Maggie Possinger & Joel Amstutz

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades – Patty Hege

Worship Leader 1<sup>st</sup> Service – Jon Rotz

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Ryan & Zach Sauder

Media Tech 1<sup>st</sup> Service – Maggie Possinger

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Walisa Horst

Sound Tech 1<sup>st</sup> Service – Chuck Miller

2<sup>nd</sup> Service – Wanette Horst

Rovers 9:30 – Close – Steve Thomas & Amy Boyer

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Church Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday; 9 - 3

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## Notes

# Welcome To



## *Mercersburg Mennonite Church*

**Early Worship**

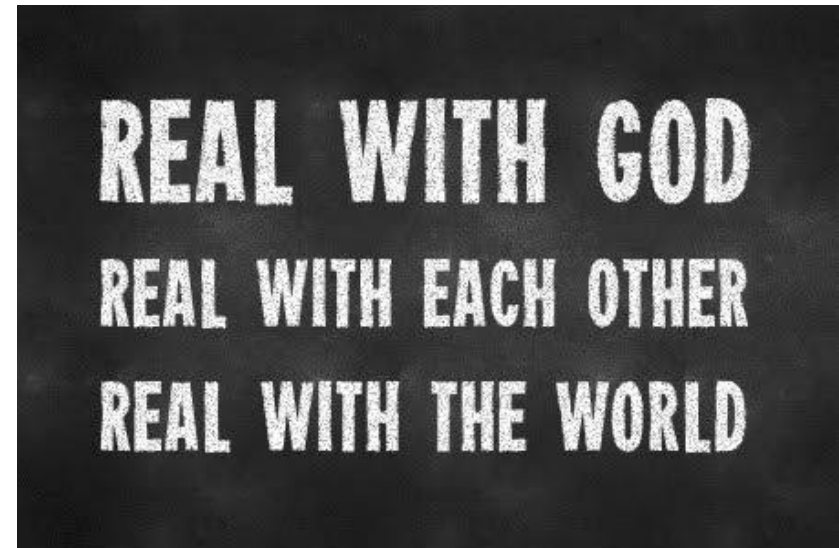
**8:15 A.M.**

**Sunday School**

**9:30 A.M.**

**Worship**

**10:45 A.M**



### **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.

Pastor  
Pastor Emeritus  
Deacons

David & Glenda Possinger  
Lloyd & Rachel Gingrich  
Aaron & Danae Amstutz

**UPCOMING SERVICES**

**Annual Business Meeting & Ice Cream Social** – Wed, June 23; 7:00 PM.  
**Vacation Bible School** – July 25-30. More details to come.  
**Cove Valley Camp Weekend** – August 27 – 29.  
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**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Offering Totals: Sunday, May 2** – Home Treasury: \$8087.00  
**Sunday, May 9** – Home Treasury: \$6233.00

**Special Offering Focus for May** – Cove Valley Camp; prayerfully consider what God may be leading you to give over & above your normal tithe. Please mark accordingly and put in the wooden donation box along with your regular offering or mail to Aaron & Danae Amstutz.

**Pastor of Congregational Care Installation Service** for Steve Sauder – this afternoon at 1:00.

**Next Step Small Group** meeting at church this Tuesday, May 18; 7:00 pm.

**Volunteer needed:** there is an immediate opening in the nursery schedule. Duties include caring for young children/babies during 2nd service. Please contact Rosanne Horst if you are interested.

**May Burning Bush Publications** are on the table in the foyer.

**Social Events Committee** would like to do a Father/Son hike & cookout at Spruce Knob. Let Brent Horst know if you are interested in participating.

**Oil Changing Ministry** – Men are needed to help change oil as well as ladies to meet with the ladies while the oil is being changed. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board.

**New Believer’s Classes** - Contact Pastor Dave if this is something you are interested in. At this point there will be a class for adults & youth/teens.

**Church Softball Games** – none this week.

**Awana Club** meets Wednesday evenings; 7:00 – 8:30 pm. in our fellowship hall. This is for children who are toilet trained – 6<sup>th</sup> grade.  
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♥ **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY** ♥

May 20 – Kevin & Mona Buchanan – married 32 years  
May 21 – Pastor David & Glenda Possinger – married 33 years  
May 21 – Carl & Denise Priest – married 16 years  
May 21 – Ethan & Debbie Meyers – married 5 years  
May 23 – Lloyd & Rachel Gingrich – married 68 years

**GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Night of Music** – next Sunday, May 23; 6:30 pm at First United Methodist Church. Zach & Ryan Sauder will be leading a team for this event. Offering received for Franklin County Jail Ministry & other Benevolent Projects.

**Red Cross Blood Drive** – Tues, May 25; 12:30 – 6 pm in our fellowship hall.

**2021 Free Flix Fridays** – at Star Theater 23 W. Seminary St. Mercersburg. See poster on bulletin board for dates & movie titles and other events they have scheduled throughout the year.

**Bountiful Blessings Sessions** – 1st & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month; 5-7 PM. Donations for May are dish soap & laundry detergent. Donations can be put in the tub in the coat room.

**Fish Fry Fundraiser Dinner** – this Saturday, May 22; 4-6 pm at Salem Ridge Community Church. Donations go towards mission trip to the Dominican Republic. See bulletin board for more information.

**Cove Valley Camp – Upcoming Events:**

**HELP NEEDED – Counselors for the upcoming summer camp! Contact Eric at [program@covevalleycamp.com](mailto:program@covevalleycamp.com) if interested.**

**Online Registration Is Now Available**

**Family Fun Fest** – today; **Golden Age Retreat** – June 7-11, **Family Camp** – July 23-25; **Summer Camps** – Eagles (grd 9-11) June 13-18; Goldfinches Day Camp (grd PreK-2) June 21-23; Jenny Wrens (grd 6-9) June 21-25; NEW Wilderness Hawks (grd 6-9) June 21-25; Cricketeers (grd 4-5) June 27-July 2; Blue Jays (grd 7-8) July 4-9; Cardinals (grd 5-6) July 11-16; Hummingbirds (grd 3-4) July 18-22; Night Owls (grd 10-12) July 26-29. For more info or to register, please visit: [www.covevalleycamp.com](http://www.covevalleycamp.com).

**Pregnancy Ministries, Inc. Walk for Life '21** – Thursday, May 20 & Saturday, June 5. See bulletin board for more information.  
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**YOUTH GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS (7<sup>TH</sup> – 12<sup>TH</sup> Grade)**

**Wednesday, May 19; 7:00 pm** – Bible Study at Ryan & Kristen’s home.  
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 **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** 

May 17 – Alyssa Fields  
May 17 - Kyle Vosburg  
May 17 - Reid Ferguson  
May 18 – Christa Hoffeditz  
May 21 – Marlei Boyer  
May 22 – Felicity Fouty  
May 23 - Steve Sauder  
May 23 - Lindsey Horst

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

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

**Call to Worship 1<sup>st</sup> Service** – Patty Hege  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Service** – Ryan Horst

**Moderator 1<sup>st</sup> Service** – Johnny Horst  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Service** – Aaron Amstutz

**Offering** – Home Treasury  
(Please put in wooden box on table in the foyer.)

**Prayer Leader 1<sup>st</sup> Service** – Johnny Horst  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Service** – Chester Horst

**Worship Leader 1<sup>st</sup> Service** – Patty Hege  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Service** – Ryan Horst

**Children Dismissed** (2<sup>nd</sup> service only)  
**Nursery (ages 1-3)** – Denise & Yakaira Priest

**Children’s Church:**  
**3 Yrs – Kindergarten** – Nancy Kuhns & Tayten Martin  
**1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> grades** – Linda Horst

**Sermon** – Pastor David Possinger  
**Two Kingdoms**  
Ephesians 4:17-32