### **Today**

Nursery – Michelle Beck (Natalie Schmucker); Sunday School – Linda Stuckey Sound – Keith Short; Video – Aaron Wyse; Projection – John Dinius

10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

The Adult Elective Sunday School class on a study of Hebrews led by Mike Kelly will meet in the south overflow area.

The Adult Elective Sunday School class on Discover Your Gifts led by Mark Beck & Elaine Frey will meet in the north overflow area.

The Adult Elective Sunday School class on the Great Commission led by LaMar Schaffner will meet in the fellowship hall.

The Youth (Jr. High & High School) Class will meet in the We Can Dew room. 6:00pm Gospel Drive-In at Harrison Lake with Souls Harbor

## This Week at Lockport

#### WEDNESDAY

6:30pm The MYF will meet at Jace Beck's house. We will be riding our bikes to Homestead Ice Cream. If you need a bike, let one of the sponsors know.

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

9:30am Pastor Matt Weaver will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Pat King – worship leader; Cobb Family - music; Lowen Stuckey – scripture reader and Jo Short – sharing and prayer.

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# **Sharing Together in Community**

We extend birthday greetings to *Shelba Nofziger* who will be celebrating her 84<sup>th</sup> birthday on Tuesday, July 11 and to *Eldon Birky* who will celebrate his 76<sup>th</sup> birthday next Sunday, July 16!

<u>Capital Improvement Fund</u> In your mailbox today you will find a letter about our current fellowship hall building project. We need to submit half of the estimate as a down payment to the contractor in order to be on the list for them to come in the future. Please read the letter and consider giving to the project. We will be having a special offering for this soon. Stewardship Committee

Nominations are needed for persons to serve in the Dunk Tank for our Family Fun Day. There is a box at the back of the church for you to put your nominations in or you can email or text your nominations to Luana King. Who would you like to see get wet? We will have 8 shifts to fill, so could use up to 8 persons. Nominations will be open until Tuesday, July 11.

<u>Gary's Transition</u> Gary's last day with Inlet will be July 23. He will be starting at Lockport on September 1 after taking some time to rest, rejuvenate, and vacation with Sandy for their anniversary. Continue to be in prayer for Inlet during this transition and for Gary and Sandy as they say goodbye and begin to prepare to be a part of Lockport.

<u>Thank You</u> Dear Lockport Friends, We are thankful for the love and support you have shown during this time of Dad's passing. Your prayers, cards, and encouraging words are appreciated. The plant you gave is beautiful, reminding us of Dad's well-lived life and of your care for us at this time. May God Bless you, Gary & Sandy

Summer Electives for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Half: Beginning July 23 our next round of Adult Sunday School electives will begin. Instead of having multiple options we will be studying the same RightNow Media series: "Jesus in our Generation." The goal is for this to be intergenerational with lots of conversation. For these six weeks (July 23-August 27), there will be two classes, one in each overflow facilitated by class leaders. Stay tuned for more information in the upcoming weeks. Christian Education Team

Help is needed at Care & Share Thrift Shops: Care & Share is looking for someone to manage the pickup and delivery part of our furniture area. This would be approximately 15-20 hours per week. Part of the hours would be working in the store, preparing furniture for sale, as well as helping out wherever needed. Contact Pat King, Furniture Coordinator at 419-445-1926 Ext 202 or Kathy Nofziger General Manager at Ext 100.

Family Fun Day: A day of fun is being planned for all on July 16. Highlights of the day include lunch, minute to win it games, ice cream, obstacle course inflatable, dunk tank, and kick ball. Whether you plan to participate in all the things or a few or just enjoy a day of socialization there is something planned for you. You can find a schedule for the day and sign up for the kick ball game on the bulletin board in the back.

Youth Savings Week Mark your calendars for the Everence Federal Credit Union Youth Savings Week, July 10-14! Join us online or in your local branch for fun petthemed activities for kids of all ages and a special savings account promotion, as we help youth embark on their financial journey. During this week Everence will give \$5.00 to youths who deposit at least \$15.00 to their new or existing savings accounts. Savings account for youth are currently earning 5.00% on the first \$1,000.00 on deposit. Please contact the local office in Archbold or learn more at everence.com/youth-savings-week. Everence Federal Credit Union is federally insured by NCUA.

**Lockport Seniors 60+:** Are you ready for some baseball? On Sunday, August 13 the bus and a driver are available to take us to a Toledo Mud Hens game, which starts at 4:05pm. Since this is not a scheduled "senior day", the tickets are \$11 each, with the option of buying an \$8 coupon for a hot dog, chips and drink. Please let Donna or Gloria know if you are interested in going. Deadline is Sunday, July 23, and payment to Donna will be due at that time. (Note: there will also be a \$2 surcharge.)

# Prayer List

# Prayers of Intercession for:

Joyce Graber has been moved to rehab to recover from her fall Tyler Mignin, recovering from a severe heart attach

### Others with health concerns:

Art Chupp, Dave Votaw, Paul
Nofziger, Harvey Bok, Valeria
Wyse, Ron Stockburger, Wyatt
Lumbrezer, Larry Langenderfer,
Barb Mabus, Donna Kelly, Bill
Stuckey, Donna Wyse, Carl Short,
Rollin Miller, Bruce Yancey,
Shauna Rasor, Chris Bauman,
Stella Campbell, Steve
Gruenhagen, Dan Stuckey,
Elizabeth Schmucker, Mildred
Fahrni

# Our Church Family:

Gloria Graber & Pat Nafziger, Seniors of the week

## Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service 149

 Budget
 \$8,655.00

 Missions
 \$2,500.00

 VBS
 \$1,000.00

 Dollar Offering
 \$66.00

 Capital Fund
 \$30.00

### **Coming Events**

July 16 Family Fun Day at the church
Aug 1 Fun Day at Ruihley Park
Aug 13 Lockport Seniors 60+ to Mud Hens game

## **Mission Minders**

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Matthew and Toni Krabill's ministry at the Paris (France) Mennonite Center. Pray for them as they work with others to launch a master's degree program in conflict transformation that will be housed at Abidjan University of the Christian Missionary Alliance in Ivory Coast.

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# Lockport Mennonite Church July 9, 2023

**Prelude** 

Welcome and Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering

Children's Lesson

Congregational Song

Scripture Revelation 2:18-29

Sermon "The Search"

Song of Response

Announcements, Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Prelude & Offertory - Chris Keiser Worship Leader - Elaine Frey Chorister - Megan Weaver Children's Lesson - Lisa Waidelich Scripture Reader - Preston Nofziger Sermon - Pastor Matt Weaver Sharing & Prayer - Pastor Matt Weaver

# Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil

The Church in Mission

Lukas Schaffner family, serving with Life Action in Michigan

Isaac and Jacinda Dahl, serving

Compassion Medical Clinic of

CPC Women's Health Resource

Pray for Matthew & Toni Krabill, serving at the Paris Mennonite

Center (Mission Minders)

Williams County
Free Clinic of Fulton County

with MCC in Juarez, Mexico

# Other Requests

Gary & Sandy Stuckey & Inlet

Mennonite Church in transition