Today

Nursery – Jenny Stuckey (Michelle Beck); Sunday School – Erika Nofziger Sound – Al Stuckey; Video – Mason Stuckey; Projection – John Dinius 10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

This Week at Lockport

TUESDAY

Lockport Seniors 60+ will be going to Delta to tour the Bracy Gold Bison Ranch.

WEDNESDAY

6:30pm Leadership Team meeting

7:00pm The MYF will be meeting in the basement kitchen at the church to make cookies for the Kairos Prison Ministry.

FRIDAY-SUNDAY

Lockport Church Campout at Sauder Village. See the bulletin insert for a schedule of events.

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30am Our morning worship service will be held at Sauder Village Campground. There will be no service at the Lockport Church.

Sharing Together in Community

We extend birthday greetings to *Curt Beck* who will be celebrating his 86th birthday on Thursday, September 14 and to *Sherm Hathaway* who will be celebrating his 79th birthday next Sunday, September 17!

Year End Reports As your committee finishes its work for this fiscal year, please turn in your Year End Report to the church office. Reports are needed from: Aid Fund, Christian Ed, Library, Lockport Seniors 60+, MDS, Mennonite Women, Missions, Primary Sunday School, Treasurer, Trustees, Vacation Bible School, Visitation Team and Worship Committee. The deadline is October 1.

Fish Food Pantry September is Lockport's month to collect items for the Archbold Fish Food Pantry. All items are welcome! Monetary donations are also very welcome! As you bring in your items you can place them in the mailbox area.

<u>Information for Gary & Sandy Stuckey</u> Their address is 7862 St. Rt. 191, Stryker, OH 43557. Their home email is <u>garysandy@williams-net.com</u>. Gary's church email is <u>gary.lockport@gmail.com</u> and his cell number is 419-572-9594. Sandy's cell number is 419-572-0877.

Lockport Church Campout weekend is quickly approaching! Sites have been reserved and lots of fun is planned for September 15-17! Even if you aren't planning to camp, come for fun and fellowship, there is lots to do and watch on Saturday starting at 8:30 with a pancake breakfast, then a fishing derby, bingo for all ages, kid's activities, ultimate frisbee & goldrush, swimming in the pool and hopefully the splash pad and finishing up the day with a dessert potluck at 7:30pm. Plan to join the campers for worship on Sunday morning at 9:30am at the campground. Hope to see you there.

Everence Financial is hosting a free educational Medicare workshop on September 25 at 6:30pm in Wauseon. As you approach retirement, you may have some questions about moving to Medicare and Social Security. During Medicare Mondays, Everence discusses the important details you need to know about retirement income and transitioning to Medicare, including:

- Enrollment details and deadlines.
- Budgeting for health care and income in retirement.
- What are your options if you continue to work?
- Social Security when do I start?
- Prescription drug coverage.
- Plans that supplement Medicare.

September 25, 6:30pm. In-person workshop, Register Now! Special Grounds Coffee, 854 S. Shoop Ave, Wauseon, OH. For additional Medicare workshop information, visit <u>everence.com/medicare-mondays</u>. Please feel free to share with friends and/or family members that are also thinking about Medicare. If you have questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Everence.

<u>Fall Lockport Seniors Trip</u> will be to the Hillsdale Gospel Barn, Saturday, October 21, for the 6:00pm show with the Gospel Harmony Boys. Tickets are \$7 at the door. The bus and driver are available. Please let Donna or Gloria know if you would like to go along.

MCC Pipeline to Prison Learning Tour on November 1-3 in Goshen and Elkhart. Join MCC Great Lakes for three days focusing on the complexities of the U.S. criminal justice system as seen in northern Indiana. Participants will learn about the systemic forces at play that have led to mass incarceration and the criminalization of marginalized groups. The group will hear diverse perspectives from community organizations and people experiencing arrest, incarceration and re-entry. More information and registration at mcc.org/indiana-pipeline-to-prison

Prayer List

Prayers of Intercession for:

Those with health concerns:

Barb Mabus, Joyce Graber, Dave Votaw, Paul Nofziger, Harvey Bok, Valeria Wyse, Ron Stockburger, Wyatt Lumbrezer, Larry Langenderfer, Donna Kelly, Donna Wyse, Carl Short, Rollin Miller, Bruce Yancey, Earles Schmucker, John & Jane Dahl, Tyler Mignin, Shauna Rasor, Stella Campbell, Steve Gruenhagen, Mildred Fahrni, Elizabeth Schmucker

Our Church Family:

Richard Stuckey & Janice Foor, Seniors of the week

Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service 132

Budget\$3,660.00Dollar Offering\$57.00Archbold Fish Pantry\$50.00Primary Sunday School\$5.00

Coming Events

Sept 26 Delegate Cluster Meeting at Zion
Oct 8 Fall Mission Sunday at Lockport
Oct 21 Lockport Seniors to Hillsdale Gospel Barn

Mission Minders

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for the members of the Movement of Anabaptist Women Doing Theology from Latin America (MTAL), as they compile their devotional book for 2024-2025. Pray that God's spirit will guide the team of volunteer editors and designers as they work with submissions from more than 300 women.

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Lockport Mennonite Church September 10, 2023

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering

Congregational Song

Scripture Genesis 18:1-15 & 21:1-7

Sermon "Inconceivable"

Song of Response

Announcements, Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Worship Leader – Mark Beck Music – Band

Scripture Reader – Kent Roth Sermon – Pastor Matt Weaver

Announcements, Sharing & Prayer – Pastor Gary Stuckey

Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil

The Church in Mission

Shalom Ministries

CCNO Prison Ministry

Pray for members of the

Movement of Anabaptist

Latin America (Mission

Women Doing Theology from

County

Minder)

Lukas Schaffner family, serving with Life Action in Michigan

Isaac and Jacinda Dahl, serving

The Sanctuary of Williams

with MCC in Juarez, Mexico

Other Requests