### **Today**

Nursery – Pete & Luana King; Sunday School – Lisa Waidelich

Sound – Caleb Waidelich; Video – Todd Schmucker; Projection – Colton Nofziger 10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

Noon-1:00pm – The MYF is having a "Souper" Bowl Sunday at West Clinton. The free-will donations will help support them on their service trip this summer. Everyone is invited!

### This Week at Lockport

#### **TUESDAY**

9:30am Ladies Bible Study All ladies are welcome to attend!

#### **WEDNESDAY**

Mennonite Women will be meeting with the Central MW to finish some comforters but there will also be quilting. You can go anytime after 8:30am.

7:00pm The MYF will be meeting at West Clinton for a service night.

### **THURSDAY**

6:30-8:00pm Lent Bible Study led by Pastor Matt Weaver in the south overflow area. Everyone is invited to this study about "Righteous Suffering".

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

9:30am Pastor Gary Stuckey will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Jen Cobb – worship leader; Matt Weaver – music; Stephanie Schmucker – scripture reader and there will be a drama.

Nursery – Janelle Beck (Natalie Schmucker); Sunday School – Sandy Stuckey

Sound – Keith Short; Video – Todd Schmucker; Projection – John Dinius

# **Sharing Together in Community**

We extend birthday greetings to *Bobbie Stuckey* who will celebrate her 82<sup>nd</sup> birthday on Saturday, February 17!

MDS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: Lockport will be joining Mike and Linda Stuckey for a week of MDS service March 10-16 in Dawson Springs, Kentucky. We can have up to 15 people to fill our week. If you are interested, please let Anthony Stuckey, Eric Beck or Aaron Stuckey know as soon as possible.

<u>Anabaptist World</u> It is time to renew our subscriptions to the Anabaptist World magazine. If you would like to join the group that is now receiving it, please contact Barb in the church office as soon as possible.

<u>Lent Bible Study:</u> Join us on Thursday evenings during Lent as Pastor Matt leads us through a study of the theme of "Righteous Suffering" in scripture. We'll explore different characters and the Suffering Servant poems of Isaiah as we prepare for the Death and Resurrection of Jesus.

**A CHURCHWIDE PROGRESSIVE LUNCH** is planned for Sunday, March 3 following the worship service (around 12:15). Sign up on the back bulletin board by February 25 if you plan to attend this 4-course feast throughout the church building! A separate sign-up sheet is also posted for anyone willing to help prepare a portion of the meal.

**Lockport Seniors 60+:** Are you interested in going to another Toledo Walleye Hockey game this year? If so, the date we have selected is Sunday, March 3, 5:15pm game. From what we see on their website, the tickets are \$19 each. Please contact Donna or Gloria if you are interested.

ACA Prayer Sign-up Ohio Conference's Annual Conference Assembly (ACA) is quickly approaching on March 1-2, 2024. Even if you are not attending ACA, you can still participate! We invite you to sign up to help cover all of ACA in prayer. We are looking for willing individuals to commit to praying 20 minutes during the ACA weekend. You can do this from anywhere – your couch, your church, your office, even while on a walk. So, whether you are young or old, near or far, join us in inviting the Lord's Spirit to guide the leaders and delegates as they engage in worshipful work. To sign up click on this link – PRAYER SIGN-UP

Hosting Opportunity: Zion has been asked to host Goshen College's treble ensemble, "Voices of Earth" for a concert on Tuesday evening, February 27. Due to the large size of the choir, we'd like to ask for help with overnight housing from folks in other area congregations. After the concert, hosts will be matched up with the number of students they requested. Host responsibilities include transporting students from Zion to your home for the night, serving breakfast the next morning, and transporting the students back to Zion by 8:00am. If you are willing to serve as a host, contact Bethany in the Zion Church office: 419-445-3796 or email: <a href="mailto:church.zionmc@gmail.com">church.zionmc@gmail.com</a> She will want to know how many students you are able to host, and a phone number and email to reach you with information as the concert gets closer. Also, please indicate whether you are a pet-free home, since a couple of the students have indicated they have pet allergies. Thank you for considering this!

<u>Prayer Request for ACA</u> Ohio Conference invites you to cover all its constituency in prayer leading up to its Annual Conference Assembly on March 1-2. This is the time when delegates are discerning together with their congregations. Pray for the Holy Spirit to guide and to be present during these conversations.

**Everence College Scholarships** Everence offers college scholarship opportunities for you or your children. Eligible students can be chosen to receive scholarships of \$3,000, \$2,000 or \$1,000 for the coming academic year. Applications are accepted through February 28. Visit everence.com/college-scholarships to download the application. If you are interested, please contact Keith Short and I will send you the link.

# Prayer List

# Prayers of Intercession for:

Mike & Linda Stuckey as they leave on Tuesday for Dawson Springs, KY for MDS service Barb Mabus, continued recovery at Fairlawn Haven

### Others with health concerns:

Jon Stuckey, Sherm Hathaway,
Wyatt Lumbrezer, Nancy
Crossgrove, Dave Votaw, Paul
Nofziger, Harvey Bok, Valeria
Wyse, Donna Kelly, Ron
Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer,
Carl Short, Rollin Miller, Bruce
Yancey, Isaac Grieser, Jeff Clark,
Donna Thompson, Keith
Schroeder, Earles Schmucker,
Tyler Mignin, Shauna Rasor, Stella
Campbell, Steve Gruenhagen,
Elizabeth Schmucker

# Our Church Family:

Lowell Beck & Rollin Miller, Seniors of the week

### The Church in Mission

Lukas Schaffner family,
serving with Life Action in
Michigan
Isaac and Jacinda Dahl,
serving with MCC in Juarez,
Mexico
Stryker Emergency Pantry
Fish Food Pantry
Shepherd's Circle
Pray for the new fellowship &
learning program, Just Peace
Pilgrimages (Mission Minder)

### Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil Conflict in Israel Violence & unrest in Ecuador

# Other Requests

# Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service

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Budget	\$9,445.00
Reach Up	\$315.00
Missions	\$300.00
Dollar Offering	\$83.00
Primary Sunday School	\$21.00

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### **Coming Events**

Mar 1-2	Ohio Conference at Sharon Mennonite
Mar 3	Churchwide Progressive Lunch
Mar 12	Lockport host the Community Meal
Apr 6	Painting Class at the church
Apr 7	Spring Missions Sunday with noon potluck

# **Mission Minders**

Mennonite Mission Network has launched a new fellowship and learning program, Just Peace Pilgrimages, to help participants enter more fully into God's justice and shalom. Pray that God's spirit will prepare the hearts and minds of all who join in the healing work of dismantling the oppressive structures in the United States.

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# Lockport Mennonite Church February 11, 2024

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering

Children's Lesson

Congregational Song

Scripture Mark 6:1-13

Sermon "Offended by Jesus"

Song of Response

Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Prelude - Recorded
Worship Leader — Ty King
Chorister — Mark Beck
Children's Lesson — Bethany Stuckey
Scripture Reader — Vern Dahl
Sermon — Pastor Matt Weaver
Sharing & Prayer — Pastor Gary Stuckey