#### **Today**

Nursery – Bette Dahl (Jenny Stuckey); Sunday School – Linda Stuckey Sound – Caleb Waidelich; Video – Josh Wyse; Projection – Colton Nofziger 10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

1:30pm The MYF will be meeting at West Clinton to go to a Toledo Walleye game.

### 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.
- 6:00pm Kids Time will be meeting for a pizza meal. Following this there will be Bible stories, games, singing and crafts.
- 6:30-8:00pm JYF Grandparent Bingo Night! Bring your grandparent or special friend for a night of Bingo! There will be snacks and prizes for all!
- 7:00pm The MYF will be meeting at the church for a Faith Night led by Pastor Gary Stuckey. We will be starting our study of the parables.

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

9:30am Pastor Matt Weaver will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Ty King – worship leader; Mark Beck – chorister; Vern Dahl – scripture reader and Bethany Stuckey – children's lesson.

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# **Sharing Together in Community**

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.

Shalom Counseling and Mediation is seeking individuals interested in working with parents and children in both our **Supervised Visitation** program, and our **Parent Education** program. Part-time and full-time positions. Training provided. If interested, please call or email Kerry Beck: <a href="kbeck@shalomworks.org">kbeck@shalomworks.org</a> or 419-445-1552.

<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 CURCHWIDE 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.

<u>Lockport Seniors 60+:</u> 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.

Church Affiliation The Leadership Team has begun exploring where God is calling the congregation regarding its affiliations. We are looking at other Mennonnite/Anabaptist traditions in our discernment process. More information is in your church mailbox. If you have any questions, please contact one of the Leadership Team members.

<u>Prayer Request for ACA</u> Ohio Conference invites you to be in prayer for its interim conference minister, Dan Miller, and its regional pastors, Tony Doehrmann and Larry Rohrer. Please remember them as they serve around Conference and prepare for their particular roles at the upcoming Annual Conference Assembly on March 1-2.

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!

**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.

<u>Library Additions:</u> Command, Harnessing the Goodness of God through every Season, from the journals of Cathy King, by Ron and Cathy King
Fiction: #1 Never again Goodbye; #2 When Dreams Cross; #3 Blind Trust; #4 Broken Wings by Terri Blackstock

# Prayer List

## Prayers of Intercession for:

The family of Todd Schmucker as they grieve the passing of his mother Marcia Barb Mabus, having knee surgery

## Those with health concerns:

on Monday

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:

Marlene Stuckey & Valeria Wyse, Seniors of the week

## Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

The Church in Mission	Worship Service
Lukas Schaffner family,	
serving with Life Action in	Budget

Budget\$3,570.00Building Fund\$100.00Dollar Offering\$83.00Missions\$60.00

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## **Coming Events**

Feb 14	Ash Wednesday - Season of Lent begins
Feb 15	Lent Bible Study begins
Mar 1-2	Ohio Conference at Sharon Mennonite
Apr 7	Spring Missions Sunday with potluck

### **Mission Minders**

Join Mennonite Mission Network in praising God for Matthew and Toni Krabill's four years of ministry at the Paris Mennonite Center in France. Pray for them as they move to Ghana this month, where Matthew will supervise research and develop curricula at The Sanneh Institute, and Toni will discern what God is calling her to next.

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# Lockport Mennonite Church February 4, 2024

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering

Children's Lesson

Scripture Mark 5:21-43

Sermon "A Tale of Two Daughters"

Song of Response

Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Prelude - Recorded

Worship Leader – Lisa Waidelich

Music – Band

Children's Lesson – Megan Weaver

Scripture Reader – Merle Beck Sermon – Pastor Matt Weaver

Sharing & Prayer – Pastor Gary Stuckey

# Global Requests

Michigan

Mexico JJ Safehouse

Isaac and Jacinda Dahl,

Friendship House, Archbold Noah House, Pettisville

Pray for Matthew & Toni Krabill as they move to Ghana to serve there (Mission Minder)

serving with MCC in Juarez,

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

# Other Requests