## <u>Today</u>

Nursery – Bette Dahl (Natalie Schmucker); Sunday School – Bethany Stuckey Sound – Rod Miller; Video – Brody Beck; Projection – Brian Rufenacht 10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

12:00 Churchwide Progressive Lunch (meet in the sanctuary)

2:00pm Quiz Meet at Pettisville Missionary Church Lockport Seniors 60+ go to Toledo Walleye Hockey game

### <u>This Week at Lockport</u>

#### **TUESDAY**

9:30am Ladies Bible Study All ladies are welcome to attend!6:30pm Leadership Team meeting

#### WEDNESDAY

- Mennonite Women will be meeting from 8:30-12-12:30, or anytime between those hours.
- 6:00pm Kids Time will be meeting for a pizza meal. Following this there will be Bible stories, games, singing and crafts.
- 7:00pm The MYF will be meeting at the church. LaMar Schaffner will be sharing with us.

#### **THURSDAY**

6:30-8:00pm Lent Bible Study led by Pastor Matt Weaver in the south overflow area. The discussion will be about David's suffering. Everyone is invited to attend. Childcare will be provided.

#### NEXT SUNDAY

9:30am Pastor Matt Weaver will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Mark Beck – worship leader; Bette Dahl – scripture reader and Jeff Roth – music.

Nursery – Amanda Wyse (Jo Short); Sunday School – Erika Nofziger Sound – Rod Miller; Video – Brody Beck; Projection – Brian Rufenacht There will be a Shower of Blessings for the Eric Beck family.

## Sharing Together in Community

<u>We extend birthday greetings</u> to *Jeanne Schrock* who will celebrate her 78<sup>th</sup> birthday on Tuesday, March 5; to *Paul Stuckey* who will celebrate his 88<sup>th</sup> birthday on Wednesday, March 6; to *Donna Smith* who will celebrate her 79<sup>th</sup> birthday also on Wednesday, March 6 and to *Pat Nafziger* who will celebrate her 75<sup>th</sup> birthday next Sunday, March 10!

<u>Today's the day!</u> Our church-wide progressive meal will follow the worship service. Meet in the sanctuary at 12:00 for instructions. If you didn't get a chance to RSVP you're still welcome to stay! Let Galen, Erika or Ashley know as soon as possible.

**Shower of Blessing!** Join us NEXT WEEK on March 10 as we celebrate the arrival of Charleigh Rayne Beck in the breezeway after worship. Shower Eric and Michelle with words of encouragement, restaurant/grocery/Walmart gift cards, diapers, wipes, etc. and help fill their freezer with delicious meals.

**Elder Nomination** On March 17, 2024, we will begin the Elder selection process. Nominations will be submitted by ballots placed in the bulletin. We are asking that you nominate up to three names. Nominations may also be called to Barb in the church office or emailed to <u>office.lockport@gmail.com</u>. Nominations will remain open until Tuesday, March 19. Please prayerfully consider your nominations. Thank you, The Leadership Team Jeff Roth, Jeff Wyse, Kayla King, Galen Nofziger, Matt Weaver, Gary Stuckey

**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.

**Bible Quiz Sundays!** Come and cheer on Preston Nofziger, Natalie Schmucker, and Mason Stuckey! They are quizzing with Central Mennonite's teams this year. Meet 6 will be today, March 3 at 2:00pm at Pettisville Missionary Church. The Local Tournament will be Sunday, March 17 at 2:00pm at Central. The Invitational will be March 22-24 in West Liberty, Ohio.

**Little Eden Youth Camps:** Sign up soon for one of Little Eden's summer youth camps! Located in beautiful NW Michigan, Junior High Youth Camp is June 9-14, and Boys & Girls Camp and High School Camp is June 16-21. Brochures are located in the literature rack in back of the sanctuary or can be downloaded at <u>www.littleeden.org</u> Registration after April 1 will cost more.

**Everence Financial** is hosting a free educational Medicare webinar on Monday, March 4 at 6:30pm. As you approach retirement, you may have some questions about 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. This is an online webinar – register at <u>everence.com/michiana</u>. For additional information and a list of future workshop dates, 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 any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Everence.

# Prayer List

# Prayers of Intercession for:

#### Those with health concerns:

Barb Mabus, Jon Stuckey, Sherm Hathaway, 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, Steve Buehrer, Dave Buehrer, Donna Thompson, Keith Schroeder, Earles Schmucker, Tyler Mignin, Shauna Rasor, Stella Campbell, Steve Gruenhagen, Elizabeth Schmucker **Our Church Family:** 

Gloria Graber & Pat Nafziger, 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 Mike & Linda Stuckey, serving with MDS in Dawson Springs, KY JJ Safehouse Friendship House, Archbold Noah House, Pettisville Just Peace Pilgrimage with Central Plains Mennonite Conference (Mission Minder)

#### **Global Requests**

The Russian Ukraine turmoil Conflict in Israel

# Other Requests

## Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service	131
Budget Capital Fund Dollar Offering MCC Meat Canner Primary Sunday School	\$7,920.00 \$5,000.00 \$109.00 \$100.00 \$13.24

# **Coming Events**

Maundy Thursday Meal & Service
Painting Class at the church
Spring Missions Sunday with noon potluck
CPC Spring Benefit at Archbold Evan

# Mission Minders

Tomorrow, members of the Central Plains Mennonite Conference will begin a weeklong Just Peace Pilgrimage, organized by Mennonnite Mission Network. Pray for open minds and hearts as participants focus on the struggle for civil rights in Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi, and how Jesus is calling his followers to respond.

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# Lockport Mennonite Church March 3, 2024

# Prelude

Welcome and Announcements Call to Worship Congregational Singing Children's Lesson Offering Congregational Song Scripture Mark 10:35-52 Readers' Theater "Death and Taxes" Song of Response Sharing and Prayer

# Sending

Prelude - Recorded Worship Leader – Aaron Stuckey Music – Laurin Wyse and Band Children's Lesson – Bethany Stuckey Scripture Reader – Kevin Miller Readers' Theater – Elaine Frey, Ashley Stuckey & Pastor Matt Weaver Sharing & Prayer – Pastor Gary Stuckey