#### **Today**

8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connections in the fellowship hall

Nursery – Taylor Waidelich (Megan Weaver); Sunday School – Jenna Stuckey

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

10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

Shower of Blessing welcoming Jaydin Alice in the breezeway.

12:00pm New Life Sunday School Class Potluck in the Fellowship Hall.

## This Week at Lockport

#### **WEDNESDAY**

- 6:00-7:30pm Kids Time (K-4<sup>th</sup>) Pizza and food will start at 6:00, then from 6:30-7:30 will be group time. This is our last Kids Time before we take a summer break.
- 6:00-8:00pm JYF (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) will be meeting for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade send off and year end party. Location TBD
- 7:00pm MYF (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>) will be meeting at Jeff and Angie Wyse's house for a campfire. Please bring a chair.

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

- 8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connection in the fellowship hall
- 9:30am Pastor Matt Weaver will bring the morning message from Acts 1:1-11. Other participants will be Art Chupp worship leader; Nancy and Kevin Nofziger scripture readers; Pete King music.
- $Sound-Caleb\ Waidelich;\ Video-Mason\ Stuckey;\ Projection-Brian\ Rufenacht$

Nursery – Laurin Wyse (Ashley Stuckey); Sunday School – Janelle Beck

Following Sunday School, we'll have our Memorial Day Cookout and celebrate Barb's retirement.

## **Sharing Together in Community**

**Shower of Blessing!** Join us TODAY as we welcome Jaydin Alice Waidelich in the breezeway after worship! Shower Caleb and Joilyn with words of encouragement, restaurant/grocery/Walmart gift cards, diapers, wipes, etc. and help fill their freezer with delicious meals. \*\*Please avoid foods containing tree nuts\*\*

MEMORIAL DAY COOKOUT: Mark your calendars and join us for lunch and to celebrate Barb's retirement on Sunday May 25th! Lunch will be served in the breezeway following Sunday School. The menu includes cheeseburgers, sausage sandwiches, hotdogs, chips, desserts and more!

**Lockport Seniors:** Saturday, May 31 we will be traveling to the Gospel Barn to hear The Browns. We will leave the church at 3pm. Doors open at 4:30pm. Tickets (\$8) are purchased at the door and food and drink are available. The bus and driver are also available. Contact Donna or Gloria if interested.

<u>Cards and Notes for Barb and Preston:</u> On the table by the bulletin board there are cards and baskets, one for Barb and one for Preston. You can write a note or bring your own in honor of Barb's retirement with words of appreciation for her almost 27 years of service here. As Preston graduates, he would appreciate cards with notes of encouragement and your favorite Bible verses so he can keep those with his Bible. The baskets will be here through Sunday, May 25.

From the Gifts Discernment Team: The slate of positions for the current year are posted on the window behind the sound booth. On the posted lists, please checkmark beside your name if you would like to continue in that role for 2025-26. Likewise, cross out your name if you would like to discontinue a certain role. You can also write in your name for positions in which you want to serve. As in other years, there are blank discernment forms on the shelf by the window for those who would like to complete it on paper. Completed paper forms can be returned to the box marked Discernment Papers (below the window). You can also complete your form online by following the link to Google Forms: <a href="https://forms.gle/wLCXydxGrKfK8tkW7">https://forms.gle/wLCXydxGrKfK8tkW7</a>, or by scanning the QR code. Please complete one of these options by May 25. Beginning on June 8, we will post any remaining positions to be filled. Be praying for the ways God is calling you and others to serve in the congregation for the

<u>Summer Electives:</u> Join the conversation and learning this summer as we break into our intergenerational Sunday School electives beginning June 1. The first half of the summer will feature classes on Galatians with Mike Stuckey; Waiting Isn't a Waste with Vicki Schaffner, Donna Smith and Jenna Stuckey; and Anabaptism in Today's World with Pastor Gary. For more information check out the bulletin board or last Sunday's bulletin insert.

upcoming 2025-26 church year, beginning September 1, 2025.

Contact Kayla King or Galen Nofziger for any questions.

The 2025 Lockport Church Campout will be September 19-21 at Sauder Village Campground! If you plan to attend, simply sign up on the Campout Registration Sheet on the bulletin board. We need to know the number of adults + children on each campsite for pool wristbands. There is NO NEED to call Heritage Inn and you will pay upon check-in that weekend. If you would like to stay at Heritage Inn it is your responsibility to reserve your room. Any questions contact Erika Nofziger.

# Prayer List

# Prayers of Intercession for:

Vacation Bible School

#### Those with health concerns:

Kathy Jezewski, Sharon Wyse, Donna Kelly, Steve Crossgrove, Steve Waidelich, Nancy Nofziger, Susie Short, Vern Dahl, Harvey Bok, Paul Stuckey, Rollin Miller, Rod Miller, Nancy Crossgrove, Sherm Hathaway, Dave & Deb Votaw, Bruce Yancey, Veria Frank, Barb Mabus, Ron Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer, Carl Short, Ron Wyse, Micah Plata, Elam & Charlotte Beiler, Verlene Drohan, Alice Risser, Laura Nafziger, Dr. Gery Williams, Felicia Stuckey, Mark Stamm, Isaac Grieser, Shauna Rasor, Tyler Mignin, Stella Campbell

# Our Church Family:

Jeanne Schrock and Esther Short, 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
Shalom Ministries
The Sanctuary of Williams
County
CCNO Prison Ministry
Pray for Kandace Glenn serving in
Cambodia (Mission Minder)

#### Global Requests

Conflict Zones around the world Natural Disaster Cleanup around the country/world

# Other Requests

# **Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday**

Worship Service

vv orsinp service	101
Budget	\$4,665.00
Missions	\$2,375.00
Dollar Fund	\$69.00
Primary Sunday School	\$15.02

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## **Coming Events**

May 25	Memorial Day Cookout &
.,	celebrating Barb's retirement
May 31	Lockport Seniors to Gospel Barn
June 1-5	Vacation Bible School
June 25	Lockport Seniors to Mud Hens game
July 20	Family Fun Day: Carnival Themed
July 29	Picnic in the Park

## **Mission Minders**

Pray for Kandace Glenn as she supervises the two Global Advance participants in their ministry outreach in Cambodia.

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# Lockport Mennonite Church May 18, 2025

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship and Prayer

Songs of Praise

Offering

Sharing and Prayer

Honoring Life's Transitions

Scripture: 2 Peter 1:3-11

Message: "Go for the Gold"

Song of Response

Sending

Worship Leader – Brian Rufenacht Music – Band Sharing and Prayer – Pastor Matt Weaver Honoring Life's Transitions – John Dinius Scripture – Preston Nofziger Sermon – Pastor Gary Stuckey