

Waterford Mennonite Church

As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we

January 20, 2019

Welcome everyone to faith and fellowship in Jesus Christ,

Minister to the needs of one another and our neighbors through the Holy Spirit, and

Call out each other's gifts for the joyful work of God's reconciling mission.

Prelude

Deanna Beth Chupp (1st), Esther Rose Graber (2nd)

LISTENING

Gathering songs

Vyron & Elvina Schmidt

O bless the Lord, my soul

H 600

You are salt for the earth

H 226

Sweet, sweet Spirit

Welcome and Call to worship

Aaron Lehman

Lighting the peace lamp*

CALLING

Children's time

Jo Ward-Selman

Congregational Song

God has chosen me

SS 114

Scripture

Luke 4:14-30

Sermon

“Ding, Dong! Jesus Calling!”

Neil Amstutz

RESPONDING

Song of Response

Anoint us, Lord

H 631

Anointing service

Congregational prayers

Velma Swartz

Offering (Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise)
Please pass the friendship pads as we give our offerings.

Benediction

Sending song *Just a closer walk with thee* SJ 106

H = *Hymnal: A Worship Book*; SJ = *Sing the Journey*; SS = *Sing the Story*

*We light the peace lamp every Sunday to lament all unnecessary and violent loss of life around the world.

Living Stream Worship: The services are live streamed at www.waterfordchurch.org

Today

8:00/10:45 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Coffee and fellowship
9:30 a.m. Nurture hour – Classes for all ages
2:00 p.m. Worship Band practice

Welcome Guests

Large print copies of the bulletin and the hymnal and hearing aid systems are available from the ushers. Sermon boards for children are available at the back door; please pick one up as you enter. You are invited to bring infants through age two children to the nursery. Pick up the newsletter, *Buzz*, from the welcome kiosk in the foyer.

Welcome Team

Greeter/Hosts Jon. & Mary Ann Wieand; Sheila, Julia, Brianna Moser
Ushers Bruce Snyder, Ken Otto, Dennis Myers (1st)
Joanna Yoder, Don Miller, Byron Yoder (2nd)
Nursery Carolyn Kauffman, Julie Zehr (1st)
Kathy Myers, Barb Westerbeek (Nurture); Karen Hostetler, Ariana Stoltzfus (2nd)
Audiovisual Bob Hochstedler, Colin Berkey, Jeff Claassen

Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

Pastor Cindy participating in a training for marriage counselling in Indianapolis this weekend.

Benton Mennonite Church as they consider a building proposal for their fellowship hall, kitchen and bathrooms and as they mourn the sudden loss of Lois Troyer, chair of their building committee and the leader of their weekly fellowship meals.

This week we remember in prayer *Carly Gingerich* who is studying in the Middle East this semester through Eastern Mennonite University.

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for *SOOP participants* who like to work with fabric to serve in Reedley, California, at the Nearly New Thrift Store and Mennonite Quilt Center. They are also needing *volunteers willing to help* at Fresno's MCC relief sale held the first weekend in April.

Those who live in constant fear of deportation and the impact of their decisions to leave or stay on their children.

For our *government officials* to find a way out of the stalemate and the government *employees and contractors* suffering from the shutdown.

Pray for the *Goshen College community* as they celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. today and tomorrow with campus-wide discussions, events, speakers and workshops.

Last Sunday Attendance: Worship – 289 (132+144+13 – Open Door retreat); Nurture Hour – 232

Finances – January 20, 2019

Operating Fund	\$ 3,575.00	Mennonite Education	\$ 8,805.62
Either Fund	\$ 12,267.50	Budget subtotal	\$ 24,648.12
<i>Weekly giving needed to meet budget</i>			<i>\$ 15,648.00</i>
Least Coin Fund	\$ 38.00	Service Adventure	\$ 60.00
Total:			\$ 24,746.12

Households who have given or named their intention to support Welcoming Spaces 3.0: 45

This Week at Waterford

Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Praying the Office/Room 15
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Gifts Discernment Ministry Team/Room 15
	6:30 p.m.	Venture Club, JYF
	7:00 p.m.	MYF
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Morning prayers/Room 15
	7:00 p.m.	BBI Planning Group/Room 15
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Parent Empowerment/Fellowship Hall

Looking Ahead

January 27	Goshen College Parables
February 3	Sermon: Neil Amstutz (<i>Luke 13:18-21</i>)

Out of Office

Katie Misz	January 20-21
Cindy Voth	January 20-21, 24

Pastoral Team

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