

Waterford Mennonite Church

As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we

November 10, 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.

Practicing Faith Scripture Study: Digging Deeply

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| Prelude | | Deanna Beth Chupp |
| Welcome | | Jeremy Kauffman |
| Gathering songs | | Nick Stoltzfus |
| | <i>God of the Bible</i> | SJ 27 |
| | <i>As rain from the clouds</i> | SJ 40 |
| Call to worship | | |
| Prayer and Lighting the Peace lamp* | | |
| God's work among us | | Peter Graber, Anabaptist Disabilities Network |
| Congregational song | <i>When long before time</i> | SJ 25 |
| Children's Time | | Katie Misz |
| Offering | (Gifts are for Mennonite Education unless designated otherwise) <i>Please pass the friendship pads as we give our offerings.</i> | |
| Scripture | Psalm 19:7-11; Psalm 119:1-18, 97-105 | |
| Sermon | "Is Your Headlamp On?" | Cindy Voth |
| Song of response | <i>Thy Word</i> | |
| Congregational prayer | | Neil Amstutz |

Affirmation of MLC members

Cindy Voth

Benediction

Sending song

The Lord lift you up

SJ 73

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 classes for all ages
12:30 p.m. Youth Ecuador Team Meeting
3:00 p.m. Musical rehearsal/Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Ecuador Prayers/Room 15
6:00 p.m. Carlos Ramos Benefit Concert/Sanctuary

Welcome Team

Greeter/Hosts Loren & Miriam Stauffer; Chris & Lori Judson
Ushers Bruce Snyder, Ken Otto, Jerry Golden (1st)
Glenn Reinford, Wade Ramer, Byron Yoder (2nd)
Nursery Cindy Yoder, Dee Birkey (1st);
Veronica Berkey, Audrey Oostland (Nurture);
Lorraine Reinford, Pushpa King (2nd)
Audiovisual Shawn Stutzman, Jeremy Stutzman, David Stutzman

Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

WMC Leaders participating in a leadership retreat this Friday evening and all day Saturday.

We remember this week our 2nd grade students *Poppy Habecker, Brynn Replogle* and *Thomas Voth* and their teachers *Helen Bowman, Cheryl Snyder* and *Anna Myers*.

The *delegation of Mennonite Mission Network alumni and staff* on a service-learning tour in Arizona this week as they worship with Shalom and Trinity Mennonite congregations, learn about immigration, walk along the border wall, visit Peace Academic Center, and participate in a SOOP workday.

Pastors participating in Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Conference Pastors' Retreat and Summit this week at Amigo Centre.

This week we remember in prayer *Sophia Chupp* who is a student at IUSB.

Pray for *participants in AMBS' new Transition to Leadership program*, which provides guidance for new pastors in their first years of ministry; and give thanks for the grant funding that makes it free of charge for those beginning in 2019–20.

For *Gilberto Pérez, Jr.*, for wisdom and a spirit of listening as he serves the broader community of Goshen.

Jerrell and Jane Ross Richer and their family as they make plans to leave for Ecuador at the end of December.

For all targeted by war, especially for the Christian Peacemaker Team's partners in the Nahla Valley, Iraqi Kurdistan, who are living and working under life threatening conditions due to Turkish military bombing and invasion of their home communities, forcing many to flee their homes with nowhere to go.

Welcome Guests!

We welcome you to our service this morning. 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.

Last Sunday Attendance: Worship–291 (141 + 150); Nurture–2697

Finances – November 3, 2019

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| Operating Fund | \$ 11,300.00 | Mennonite Education | \$ 3,050.00 |
| Either Fund | \$ 3,022.50 | Budget subtotal | \$ 17,372.50 |
| <i>Weekly giving needed to meet budget</i> | | | <i>\$ 17,107.00</i> |
| Hymnals | \$ 1,855.00 | Welcome Spaces 3.0 | \$ 10,100.00 |
| Sharing Fund | \$ 125.00 | Total: | \$ 29,452.50 |

This Week at Waterford

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| Wednesday | 5:00 p.m. | Musical orchestra practice/sanctuary |
| | 6:30 p.m. | JYF, Venture Club |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Gifts Discernment Ministry Team/Cindy's office |
| | 7:00 p.m. | MYF |
| | 7:00 p.m. | BBI planning group/Room 15 |
| Thursday | 7:00 a.m. | Morning prayers/Room 15 |
| | 8:30 a.m. | Mennonite Women/MYF Room |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Facilities & Finance Ministry Team/Room 15 |
| Friday | 6:30 p.m. | Leadership retreat supper/Fellowship Hall |
| | 7:15 p.m. | Leadership retreat dessert with ministry teams/Fellowship Hall |
| Saturday | 8:30 a.m. | Leadership retreat/College Mennonite Church |

Looking Ahead

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| November 17 | Sermon: Madeline Smith Kauffman; Practicing Faith: Hospitality (<i>Genesis 18:1-15</i>) |
| November 24 | Sermon: Neil Amstutz; Practicing Faith: Gratitude (<i>Luke 17: 11-19; Colossians 3: 14-17; Philippians 4:4 7</i>) |

Out of Office

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| Katie Misz | November 11-13 |
| Neil Amstutz | November 11-13 |
| Cindy Voth | November 11-13 |

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