

# Waterford Mennonite Church | January 12, 2020

### **MYF Service Auction**

SAVE THE DATE - The annual MYF service auction is scheduled for Sunday, March 1. This year the auction will follow a potluck lunch immediately after 2nd service. All are invited!

The MYF welcomes contributions of services and items from anyone in the congregation. If you have a service or item to donate, contact Kevin Miller or email <a href="wmcmyf316@gmail.com">wmcmyf316@gmail.com</a>, preferably by Sunday, February 2, so we can include it in sale bill prior to the auction.

If you purchased an item or service at last year's auction and have not received your service or item, please contact the youth or family who made the donation. Your satisfaction is important to us.

Stay tuned for more information and some fun, new additions at this year's auction!

## **Volunteer Opportunity for Classes**

If your Sunday school class or small group is looking for a fun volunteer option, Church Community Services in Elkhart has a job for you!

They write, "As you may know, we launched our new Soup of Success soup line in November, and we had no idea how popular the new soups would be. We could hardly keep up with the amount of orders we received!

"Since things don't seem to be slowing down, even now that the holidays have passed, we would love to still have groups come in the next couple months. We also have a Super ("Souper") Bowl promotion coming up that we expect will bring in extra orders, so any additional help will be gladly appreciated."

Any group that would like to help with this, please call Jen at 574-295-3673 x112 or email her at volunteer@churchcommunityservices.org.

## Thank You From Endowment Fund Recipients

# Casa Mariposa Detention Visitation Program in Tuscon, Arizona:

We were able to support individuals in Eloy Detention Center this year because of you! Your generosity allowed us to continue regular visits on Wednesday and Friday mornings, send phone call money and books, and offer post-detention support. Thank You for breaking the isolation of immigrant detention!

# Academia Menonita Betania in Aibonito, Puerto Rico:

Thank you so much for the donations to the school. The school would not be able to run without the generous support we receive from people like you. God bless you and we will be praying for you.



Gelassenheit women show off the lovely hair apparel worn while filling soup and cookie bags at Soup of Success in December.

## **Changes of Address**

Tim and Sharon Burkholder

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1570 Dogwood Court Goshen, IN 46526 Our telephone # will be 574 537-4889 Dear Waterford Community,

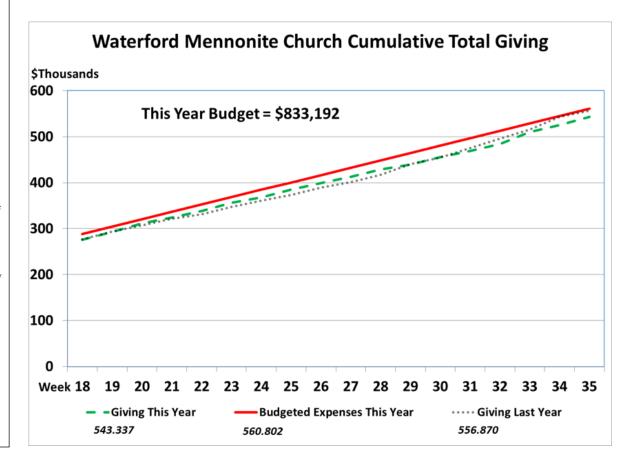
Mom's move on January 1 went smoothly. She is settled in comfortably with my sister near Kidron, Ohio. Mom enjoyed the visit to Waterford on December 22. Also, it was wonderful to see so many Waterford friends at Mom's going away reception on December 29 at Greencroft's Evergreen Place. Thank you for your continued thoughts and prayers as Mom adjusts to this big change in her life.

—Tom Meyer (son)

Miriam Meyer 13321 Arnold Road Dalton, Ohio 44618

Her cell phone number remains the same: 574-238-3668

Thank you for your generous giving so far this year. Eight months into this fiscal year, giving toward the Waterford budget totaled \$543,337 at the end of December, which is \$17,466 behind budgeted giving and expenses. That compares to \$556,870 at the same time a year ago. The YTD expense budget at the end of November is \$560,802. Our average weekly giving does need to increase to be able to meet our budget by fiscal year end, April 30.





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