

# Waterford Mennonite Church

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*As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we*

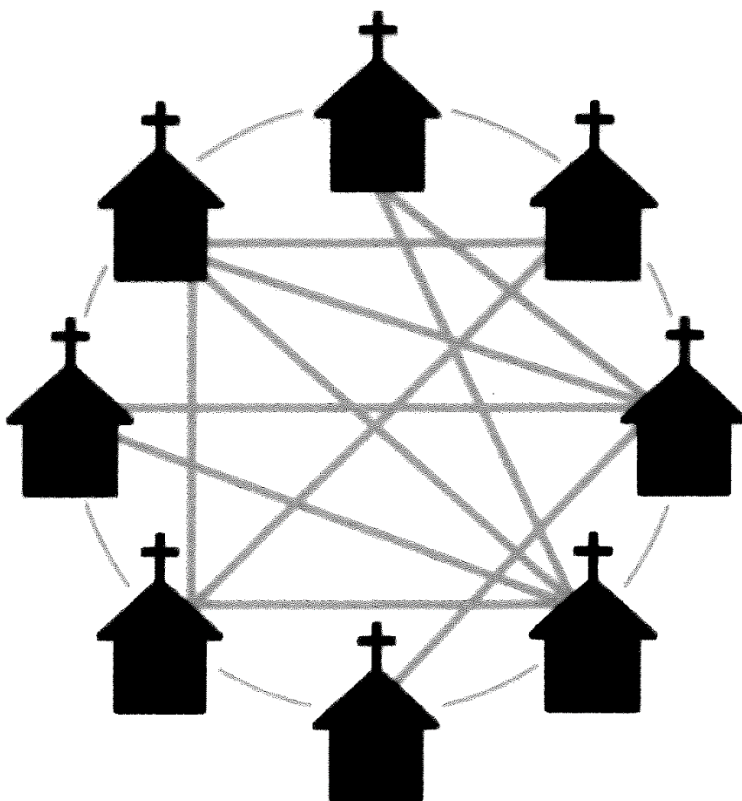
February 23, 2020

**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.

## Renewing a Vision



**Indiana Michigan Mennonite Conference Sunday**

Prelude		Elvina Schmidt
Gathering songs		Vyron Schmidt
	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	H 37
	<i>I will stand in the congregation</i>	SS 113
	<i>Jesus calls us here to meet him</i>	SJ 3
Welcome		Rose Shetler
Renewing a Vision video		
Call to worship		
Congregational Song	<i>There are many gifts</i>	H 304
Offering	(Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise) <i>Please pass the friendship pads as we bring our offerings forward.</i>	
Lighting the Peace lamp*		
Delegate story		Esther Farmwald
Children's time		Mark & Krista Daniels
Historical monologue (written by Veronica Berkey)		Karsten Hess
Scripture	Philippians 1:3-11	
Sermon	"Profound Partnerships"	Terry Zehr
Song of response	<i>Love the Lord your God</i>	SS 55
Congregational prayer		Cindy Voth
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>Go, my friends, in grace</i>	SS 57
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](http://www.waterfordchurch.org)**

Thank you to Velma Swartz for preparing the sanctuary for communion last Sunday.

## 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.

## Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

*Claramae Klink*, who celebrates her 93rd birthday on Friday the 28<sup>th</sup>, for God's grace and joy to be poured out on her. Join in her celebration by signing a card for her at the table in the foyer.

*Cedar Grove Mennonite Church*, Manistique, Mich., as they work to find new leadership, resolve a property issue and seek to find enough staff for their summer Bible school.

*Bill and Karla Minter and their family* as they grieve the loss of Bill's father, Don Minter, who died Thursday morning.

This week we remember in prayer *Lane Miller* who is a student at Indiana State University.

*Jae Young Lee and Karen Spicher* and their family, serving with Mennonite Mission Network in South Korea since 2007, as they work for God's peace through organizations such as Korea Peacebuilding Institute and Northeast Asia Regional Peacebuilding Institute.

*Gelassenheit Class* on retreat together this weekend at Amigo.

Tonight, the *Bethel College and Hesston College choirs* team up in a collaborative concert at a local church. Give thanks for strong relationships and partnerships between neighboring sister schools and that students can use their gifts to bless others.

## Welcome Team

Greeter/Hosts	Maurice & Carol Lehman; Jerry & Barb Landes
Ushers	Glenn Reinford, Dennis Myers, Jerry Golden (1 <sup>st</sup> ) Glenn Reinford, Joanna Yoder, Wade Ramer (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
Nursery	Kristen & Steve Snyder (1 <sup>st</sup> ) Kathy Myers, Amanda Stoltzfus (Nurture) Ami & Rich Schlamersdorf (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
Audiovisual	Shawn Stutzman, Jeremy Stutzman, David Stutzman

**Last Sunday Attendance:** Worship–251 (106+145); Nurture–237

## Finances – February 16, 2020

Operating Fund	\$ 10,178.55	Mennonite Education	\$ 1,080.00
Either Fund	\$ 4,115.00	Budget subtotal	\$ 15,373.55
<i>Weekly giving needed for budget year ending April 30</i>			<i>\$ 19,659.00</i>
Sharing Fund	\$ 1,940.00	MYF Ecuador trip	\$ 50.00
BBI Scholarship	\$ 108.00	Potawatomi Project	\$ 375.00
Jubilee Fund	\$ 100.00	Least Coin Fund	\$ 23.00
<b>Total:</b>			<b>\$ 17,969.55</b>

## Today

8:00/10:45 a.m. Worship  
9:15 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship  
9:30 a.m. Nurture classes for all ages  
2:00 p.m. Worship Band rehearsal

## This Week at Waterford

Wednesday 6:00 p.m. Pancake Dinner prepared by JYF  
7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service (children and youth clubs included)  
Thursday 7:00 a.m. Morning prayers/Room 15

## Looking Ahead

March 1 Sermon: Neil Amstutz; Lent 1  
(*Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7; Matthew 4:1-11*)  
March 8 Sermon: Rebecca Stoltzfus; Lent 2  
(*Philippians 1:3-11*)

## Out of Office

Katie Misz February 23  
Neil Amstutz February 23

## Pastoral Team

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