

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR

### **Class:**

Early Childhood ( <i>Ages 0-3 years</i> ).....	Parents
Preschool ( <i>Ages 3-5 years</i> ).....	Evie Shellenberger, Stori Sullivan
Primary ( <i>Grades 1-3</i> ).....	Crystal Shellenberger, Darlene Larrison
Middler ( <i>Grades 4 &amp; 5</i> ) .....	Doris Weaver, JoAnn Bornttrager
Junior High ( <i>Grades 6&amp;7</i> ) .....	Andrew Blount, Mary Beth Gibbons
Youth ( <i>Grades 8-12</i> ).....	Matt Pflederer

### **Teachers:**

**Adult Classes:** The Bible As Story led by Bonnie Beachy.

The Bible and God's People led by Rebecca Kauffman and Al Mortenson.

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### Call To Worship

Leader: Eternal and ever present God.

**People: Sustain our gathered community**

Leader: awaken our expectancy;

**People: subdue our expectations.**

Leader: Come, silent Spirit, and embrace us.

**People: Let the words we see and hear and speak and sing be transformed by the Word made flesh, that our worship may be wholly yours, Lord God.**

**All: We pray in the name of the risen Christ, Amen**

### For Prayer

Give thanks for God's faithfulness to Mennonite Fellowship of Bloomington as today they celebrate 25 years of worship, discipleship, service, and mission in that city. Pray that God would lead the congregation as well as Pastor Kelly Carson.

Continue to pray for Milton & JoAnn Bornttrager that they would experience emotional healing following a serious car-bicycle accident.

Pray for those in PMF and the community who have health concerns, including: JR Brown, Joanna's father, Danny Parsons, Melissa Lewellyn, Mary Beth Cornwell, Hunter Rohl. Pray that care providers might know God's strength and wisdom.

Mennonite Church of Congo leaders are preparing for ordinations in Kinshasa and Tshikapa that will include women for the first time. Pray for God's Spirit to anoint and equip the newly ordained pastors.

Pray for strength for Edna Beachy as she was admitted to Bloomington IU hospital on Friday due to difficulty breathing. Remember Claude as well; may they experience the peace of Christ.



# PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

**September 22, 2013**

*We welcome all persons  
to worship, study and fellowship with us as we continually  
seek to be faithful disciples of Jesus*

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**Focus:** *The Anabaptist expression of community includes mutual giving and receiving, love, humility, forgiveness, and is defined by believers' baptism and being directed by the Holy Spirit and the pattern of Christ.*

### **Gathering to Worship**

Song – I Will Not Be Shaken

Call to Worship (see back of bulletin)

Welcome and Introductions

### **Singing Our Faith**

Let Us Talents And Tongues Employ - SS 123

Come To Me, Come To Us - SS 60

Will You Let Me Be Your Servant - H 307

### **Celebrating Shalom** Yolanda Yoder

### **Opportunity for Generosity**

Special giving for September goes to MCC

Penny Power offering goes to Food Resource Bank

### **Hearing God's Word**

Children's Time

Scripture: Ephesians 4:1-6; Matthew 18: 15-22

Meditation

### **Responses**

### **Sharing Joys and Concerns/Prayer**

### **Announcements**

### **Benediction**

Bless'd Be The Tie That Binds - H 421 (V. 1,2,3,4)

**PASTOR-ELDER TEAM**

Rebecca Kauffman, Pastor 653-4140  
Matt Pflederer, Pastor (574) 606-6727  
Mary Beth Gibbons 723-2723  
Mica Beauregard 723-4502  
Ted Larrison 723-3826

**MINISTERS**

All the congregation

**CHURCH OFFICE**

**Pastors:** Rebecca Kauffman; Office Hours - Tues 9-4, Wed 12-4, Thurs 1-5  
Matt Pflederer; Office Hours – Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri. 9:00 am – 12:00 pm  
**Secretary:** Deb Giles; Office Hours – Wed. and Fri. 9:00 am – 12:00 noon  
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**OUR COVENANT**

In covenanting together, we affirm that Jesus Christ is Lord. We gratefully acknowledge him as our Lord and accept his teaching as the way to live. We recognize the importance of:

- Regular Bible study, worship with others, and prayer as a vital part of our Christian life.
- Taking each other seriously, contributing our gifts and caring for one another in love to strengthen the Christian body.
- Living and sharing the Good News as Christ has taught us and as the Holy Spirit enables.

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**TODAY** Sept. 22, 2013 (worship at 9:30)

***How Then Shall We Live?***

Worship Leader: Matt Pflederer  
Music Leader: Marlene Beachy  
Meditation: Rebecca Kauffman  
Greeters: Veronica Sukup  
Nursery: Deb Giles/Jon Shellenberger  
A.V.: Larry Lehman

**NEXT SUNDAY** September 29, 2013

***Shalom Sunday***

Worship Leader:  
Music Leader:  
Meditation:  
Greeter:  
Nursery:  
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**TODAY**

Why was being part of a community of believers so important to early Anabaptists? Why do we still emphasize community participation as part of faithful discipleship? This morning we look at some of the joys and challenges of “living together.”

**Mentor-Mentee activity!** Pairs are invited to stay after Sunday School for a pitch-in meal and activity. Four pairs have been contacted and will make plaques at Linda's studio. A scavenger hunt at PMF is planned for the remaining pairs.

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**Shalom Sunday!** There will be no worship service Sunday morning. Join us at 2:00 PM at the Yoder/Thill home for River Watch and applesauce making.

**This Week**

Tues. 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – PET meeting at Gibbons’ .

Wed. 25<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 – Large Group meeting. Come at 6:00 to share a light meal together. Please contact Mica if your child will be present during the meeting.

Sat. 28<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 8:00 am – PMF’s turn to partner with **Habitat for Humanity** and the Campbell family to build a house! The project is at 7991 W County Pike Road, West Baden. All skill levels are welcome to help with window installation and porch building. Also needed is a food coordinator to work with Bonds Chapel UMC who will be constructing interior walls. Contact Duane to volunteer.

**UPCOMING**

October 6 – fundraiser for Jahsmine & Jarrod. A meal and hairstyling available following Sunday

School. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin Board.

Oct. 11-12 – PMF will host the MCC Great Lakes Board meeting.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

This Sunday is our **last Penny Power offering!** Coins collected during August & September will be taken to the Michiana Relief Sale to be counted and the amount will be doubled by a donor. This is one part of our total PMF giving to Foods Resource Bank and Mennonite Central Committee. In the past we requested that our money raised for FRB/MCC be used where most needed to support community projects helping families fed themselves.

**Worship schedule** for the coming weeks: Sept. 29 – Shalom Sunday; Oct. 6 – World Communion Sunday; Oct. 13 – guest speaker Zenebe Abebe, Director of MCC Great Lakes region

There is a **need for MDS volunteers** (skilled & unskilled labor as well as food preparation) in Henryville, IN from now through December. The goal is to rebuild two homes damaged by a tornado. Contact Wendell Lantz if interested in going on your own or with a group.

Update regarding Phil & Mary: recently Matt & Rebecca had a conversation with Miningers regarding Phil & Mary’s involvement with PMF. Matt and Rebecca conveyed that they are open to and invite their renewed participation in PMF at a time that feels appropriate to them (Miningers). Phil & Mary have valued their involvement at Mennonite Fellowship of Bloomington over the past few years and have some commitments there. They are continuing to discern between themselves a good time for them to return to PMF.



