

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 & 5</i>)	Doris Weaver, JoAnn Borntarger
Junior High (<i>Grades 6&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.

Call to Worship

Leader: We gather today, O Lord of Life, seeking fullness.
People: Not the fullness our world offers, but fullness that comes from You.

Leader: We spend so much of our lives on things that do not count.
People: Things that promise much and give little.

Leader: Help us now, today, to find fulfillment in Your love,
People: May we discover all you have to give,

Leader: And seek You while we yet have the gift of days.
All: Lift us O God, to a higher plane of living, as we lift our hearts and minds and souls into Your Holy presence! Amen! Make it so Lord! Amen!

For Prayer

Pray for Jan Mullet's sister Rosemary who is beginning treatment for breast cancer.

Pray for those who are grieving the death of a loved one, including: Doris Weaver (for her father), Darlene Larrison (her sister-in-law, Lucy), the Giles family, the Allen James family (his brother in-law).

Pastor Antoine of Mission Inter Senegal has a passion for training followers of Jesus in small-business creation and management that will support their families and their ministries. Pray that God would bless this initiative. (from MMN)

Continue to pray for those in PMF and the community who have health concerns, including: JR Brown, Melissa Lewellyn, Ryan Parsons, Cynthia's mother Janice Stone, Hunter Rohl, JR Karnes. Pray they might experience God's presence, healing and love.



PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

October 20, 2013

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

Focus: What does following Jesus mean as far as our attitudes and practices around money and possessions? A lifestyle of simple living is rooted in trust in God as provider.

Gathering to Worship

Song: Count Your Blessings
Welcome and Introductions
Call to Worship (see back of bulletin)

Singing Our Faith

'Tis A Gift to be Simple
Seek Ye First - H 324
You Are My All in All

Celebrating Shalom – Andrew Blount

Opportunities for Generosity - Special giving for October goes to Egypt Outreach

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time
Scripture: Mark 10: 17-31
Meditation: Live Simply So That Others May Simply Live

Responses

Sharing Joys and Concerns/Prayer

Announcements

Sending

PASTOR-ELDER TEAM

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MINISTERS

All the congregation

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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.

TODAY October 20, 2013 (worship at 9:30)

How Then Shall We Live?

Worship Leader: Jim Beachy
Music Leader: Marlene Beachy
Meditation: Rebecca K and Darren BB
Greeters: Jim and Bonnie Beachy
Nursery: Becky Johnson and Andrew Blount
A.V.: Craig Bumbalough

NEXT SUNDAY October 27, 2013(worship at 9:30)

How Then Shall We Live?

Worship Leader:
Music Leader: Marlene Beachy
Meditation: Matt Pflederer
Greeter: Gail Brown
Nursery: Jon Shellenberger and Bonnie Beachy
AV: Craig Bumbalough

TODAY

Simple living is an important emphasis in Anabaptist faith and practice. Today we hear from scripture, history, and the present to learn the roots of simple living and how it is practiced. How should we live and encourage one another in light of this counter-cultural calling?

Mentor/Mentee **pumpkin carving activity** at 4:30 at PMF. Pumpkin carving tools will be provided.

Community Youth Group – 6:00 pm at PMF

NEXT SUNDAY

We will finish up our Worship series on Mennonite Identity with a discussion of the Anabaptist practice of 'The Open Meeting'.

Oct. 27, 1:00-4:00 pm – **“True Colors”** workshop led by Deb Giles

The **PMF ropes course** will be open next Sunday Oct 27th in the afternoon. Youth and adults are invited to try the zipline and help others through the obstacles. Hot dogs will be provided for a cookout at noon. You can bring chips, smores, drinks etc. to share.

This Week

ELF Night, Wednesday, Oct. 23, 5:30 pm meal, 6:30 pm hayride, fire and smores for kids. 6:30 pm for the older of us: "Waiting, desiring, longing and thirsting: Hebrew scriptures, Christian mystics, Persian poets, and hymns" led by Wally

Oct. 26th – Fall Work day at PMF

UPCOMING

Nov. 24, 6:00 pm – PMF will host the **Community Thanksgiving Service**. All are welcome!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New in the magazine rack:
The Mennonite from MC USA
A Common Place from MCC highlighting education and agriculture work in India. Also note the **MCC Christmas Giving catalog** is posted on the bulletin board to provide suggestions for alternative Christmas gifts which promote relief, development and peace in the name of Christ.

The Marketplace from Mennonite Economic Development Associates; this issue includes photos of what 4 different families eat in one week – take a look!

Rebecca and Matt will be out of the office this Thursday 24th in order to attend a Circle of Care training. Mary Beth is also participating.

Trish and Larry Moore’s new address is: 2368 E CR 100 N, Paoli.

Matt’s new address is: 3732 N CR 300 E, Orleans IN, 47452.

MCC Relief Kit cards were in your mailbox last Sunday. Invite your friends and family to join us in sharing resources with others who are in crisis around the world! Partial or whole kits are welcome! We are collecting kits until November 17. Questions? ask Marlene.

