

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR

Class:

Early Childhood (<i>Ages 0-3 years</i>).....	Parents
Primary (<i>Ages 3- 1st</i>)	Crystal Shellenberger & Stori Sullivan
Middler (<i>Grades 2nd – 5th</i>)	Veronika Sukup & Bonnie Beachy
Junior High (<i>Grades 6, 7 & 8</i>)	Andrew Blount & Darlene Larrison
Youth (<i>Grades 9-12</i>).....	Evie Shellenberger & Phil Minerger

Teachers:

Adult Class: “Dig In” – 13 Scriptures to help us know the way

Call to Worship

“O send out your Light and your Truth;
let them lead me.

Let them bring me to your holy hill
and to your dwelling.

Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy!
And I will praise you with the harp. O God, my God!” (Psalms 43: 3-4)

“For thus says the Lord, who created the heavens... who formed the earth and made it;
‘I am the Lord, and there is no other.
I the Lord speak the Truth, I declare what is right!” (Isaiah 45: 18. 19)

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For Prayer

Remember Sherry in prayer and with caring actions as she grieves Duane's death. May God grant her strength as well as times of rest. May she feel surrounded and held by God's grace and sustaining love.

Be in prayer for our Pastor-Elder Team and participants as we listen for the Holy Spirit's guidance for our life together. "Since you are eager for the gifts of the Spirit, try to excel in those that build up the church." I Corinthians 14:12

Pray for the children and youth of PMF as they engage in learning, navigate relationships, and explore the world and their part in it.

Give thanks for the year-round ministry of Amigo Centre in Michigan (where many PMF children have attended camp). Pray for Amigo's board of directors as they begin a search process for a new Executive Director.



PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

October 25, 2015

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

Gospel Stories of Jesus

Focus: “Everyone who belongs to the Truth, listens to my voice!” - Jesus

Approach

Gathering Song:

Firstborn of Mary – SS 37

Longing for light – SJ 54

Welcome and Introductions

Call to Worship: (see back of bulletin)

Singing:

Listen to the Lord

Lord you sometimes speak – H 594

Open my eyes that I may see – H 517

Celebrating Shalom – Report from MDS Trip

Opportunities for Generosity: Special Giving for October is for the Congo Orphanage
and MCC hygiene and school kits

Encounter Jesus through Story

Children’s Time

Scripture: Luke 23: 1-12; John 18: 33-38

Meditation

Response & Sending

Song: Listen to the Lord

Response

Sharing our joys and concerns / Intercessory Prayer

Announcements

Benediction

PASTOR-ELDER TEAM

Rebecca Kauffman, Pastor	653-4140
Mary Beth Gibbons	723-2723
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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 Oct. 25, 2015 (worship at 9:30 am)

Gospel stories of Jesus

Worship Leader: Mary Mininger
 Music Leader: Marlene Beachy
 Meditation: Rebecca Kauffman
 Greeters: Wally & Evie Shellenberger
 Nursery: Jon Shellenberger/Bonnie Beachy
 A.V.: Jamey Sullivan

NEXT SUNDAY Nov.1, 2015 (worship at 9:30 am)

All Saint's Day

Worship Leader: Rebecca Kauffman
 Music Leader: Marlene Beachy
 Meditation: Dave Brown Kinloch
 Greeters: Dave & Jan Mullet
 Nursery: /Wally Shellenberger
 AV: Jamey Sullivan

TODAY

Jesus encountered people from all spectrums of society, from common folks to rulers. What might we learn from the way Pilate and Herod interacted with Jesus? What attitudes did they bring to the encounter? In what ways should we imitate Jesus' response to them?

Mentor-Mentee Pumpkin Carving after church today. Pumpkins and tools are provided. Participants will need a sack lunch.

NEXT SUNDAY

In the ecumenical Church calendar, November 1 is All Saints Day. This day gives us opportunity to remember and honor those deceased persons who have been influential in our spiritual formation and growth. Our worship service will provide time to give thanks for those people who inspired our faith, and to consider the faith legacy we hope to leave.

MYF Bonfire at the Albertson's.

UPCOMING

Save the date: Friday, Dec. 18 – PMF's Christmas program.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New email address for Dave & Jan Mullet is djminc7@gmail.com.

The High School Sunday School class wants to support the many refugees by putting together **Hygiene and School kits**. They would like to collect several hundred kits to send to MCC for distribution. Please check your mailbox for more info. Thanks! Evie

Attention youth and young adults (anyone between ages 15 and 25): enter the **2015 Money Talks video contest** with your views on the potential and pitfalls of money. You'll have a chance to win cash prizes. Entries of your video (up to 3 minutes long) will be accepted from Oct. 1 through midnight Nov. 15. Sponsored by Everence; find the online registration form and details at: everence.com/moneytalks.

In your mailbox this week is a **newsletter from Mennonite Mission Network (MMN)** featuring stories from workers in Ecuador. You'll find a photo of Peter Wigginton and Delicia Bravo and their daughter, whom we are helping to support through prayer and special giving.

New In the magazine rack:

- Everyday Stewardship* from Everence featuring an article on "Good Energy"
- Fall issue of *A Common Place* from MCC, featuring news from D.R. Congo
- Christian Peacemaker Teams magazine
- "Behind the Hammer" magazine from MDS

New on the bulletin board: news from Michiana Anabaptist Historians