

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR

Class:

Nursery (ages 3-5)Shanna Johnson & Crystal Shellenberger
Primary (*Kindergarten – 2nd grade*)Stori Sullivan, Cristy Ford, Sherry Schmidt
Middler (*Grades 3rd – 5th*)Jon Shellenberger, Aaron Johnson,
Veronika Sukup, & Doris Weaver
Junior High (*Grades 6, 7 & 8*)Mary Beth Gibbons & Samuel Kinsey
Youth (*Grades 9-12*)Darren Bender Beauregard & Evie
Shellenberger

Adult Class: Upside-down Living: Sabbath

Offering song

(by Bryan Moyer Suderman)

My offering I bring to you; my offering I bring to you.
So thankful for what you've done,
Looking forward to what you'll do.
My offering I bring to you.

Prayers

Continue to remember in prayer those with health concerns, including: Randy Tuell, Ray Beauregard, Connie Gilliom, and Eumenio. Randy will have bypass surgery at the beginning of this week.

Pray for our sister congregations. Silverwood Mennonite Church in Goshen recently celebrated its 125th anniversary and dedicated their building following a renovation project. Give thanks that pastors and leaders from IN-MI conference were able to enjoy a time of learning, rest, fellowship and dreaming this past week.



PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

November 12, 2017

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

Stewardship Sunday

Focus: We are most like God when we give.

We Gather to Worship

Song: Awake, arise, O sing a new song – H 56
Welcome and Introductions
Call to Worship

We Sing our Praise

Great is Thy faithfulness – H 327
Take good care
Grant us Lord; the grace – H 388

Celebrating Shalom – Wally Shellenberger

Opportunities for Generosity – Special giving for November goes to *Christian Peacemaker Teams*.

Song: My offering I bring to you (see back of bulletin)

We Listen to God's Word

Children's time
Scripture: Luke 6: 27-36
Meditation: Who is worthy?

We respond to God's call

Song: Give us eyes to see, Lord

We are sent to share God's love

Sharing Joys and Concerns / Intercessory prayer
Announcements
Sending Song: Seeds

PASTOR-ELDER TEAM

Rebecca Kauffman, Pastor 653-4140
Darren Bender-Beauregard 723-5259
Doris Weaver 723-2841

MINISTERS

All the congregation

CHURCH OFFICE

Pastor: Rebecca Kauffman; Office hours – Tues. 9 am-3pm, Wed. 10 am-noon, Fri. 9 am-1pm
Pastor of Youth Formation: Darren Bender-Beauregard; Office hours – Wed. 2-5 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.

TODAY Nov. 12, 2017 (worship at 9:30) Stewardship Worship Leader: Aaron Johnson Music Leader: Rebecca Kauffman Meditation: Brian Veeder Greeters: Louise O’Connell Nursery: Milton Borntreger/ Cristy Ford A.V.: Andrew Blount	NEXT SUNDAY Nov. 19, 2017 (worship at 9:30) Leadership Worship Leader: Evie Shellenberger Music Leader: Marlene Beachy Meditation: Julie Harrison Greeters: Lonnie & Sandi Sears Nursery: Jan Mullet/Shanna Johnson A.V.: Aaron Johnson
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TODAY

Brian Veeder, a stewardship consultant with Everence, as well as a pastor, will be our guest. How do you make decisions about who to give gifts to, what kind of gift to give, and how often?

NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday the worship focus will be on leadership. What makes a good leader? What can we learn from Jesus about being a servant leader?

THIS WEEK

Wed. Nov. 15, Small Groups.
Thur. Nov. 16, Worship Comm. 5:30 pm
Fri. Nov. 17, PET, 9:30 am

UPCOMING

The Paoli Ministerial Association will host a **Community Thanksgiving service** on Monday, Nov. 20, at 7:00 pm at the Paoli Friends Meeting. All are invited. If you, or a small group, would like to participate by offering a song, reading, or word of testimony, please let Rebecca know.

Wed. Dec. 13, Large Group
Wed. Dec 20, PMF Christmas Program

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We would like to invite all PMFers who do not have Thanksgiving plans to join us for a **Thanksgiving dinner at PMF on Thanksgiving day.** We will provide the turkey and rolls and invite any other special Thanksgiving foods you would like to bring to celebrate together. Let us know if you are able to join us. Evie and Wally with Evie if you have any questions.

Community Thanksgiving Dinner: The annual dinner will be held on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 23rd. in the Paoli Community Building from 11:00 - 1:00. Volunteers are needed to make desserts, help serve, deliver meals, and clean up after the meal. Please see the sign-up sheet on our bulletin board. Thank you! Mary Beth

EsPRI has a **new phone number:** 812-646-3359. (This is a correction from last week).

All committees are asked to submit their **spending plan requests** to Finance Committee (via Dave Mullet) by Nov 19.