



This week please remember the following people in prayer:
Garry, Lori, Erika, Kendall, Matthew, Colton Leichty

Pray for those dealing with cancer:
Bob Hartzler (Orpha Yoder's brother), Michael Stauffer (Dareld Stauffer's son), Nicky Goehring (Mary Jo Freyenberger's sister) and Tim Detweiler.

Pray for those dealing with medical issues: Jackson Roth, Kole Hudson, Lucy Leichty, Lela Miller, Mercedes Ellard, Denise Nebel, Gerald Nebel, Kathryn Nebel, Gary Garton (April Eichelberger's father).

Central Plains Mennonite: Recently Beth Peachey Miller was installed as part-time pastor at Pleasant View Mennonite Church in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. Pray for Beth and the congregation as they begin their ministry together.

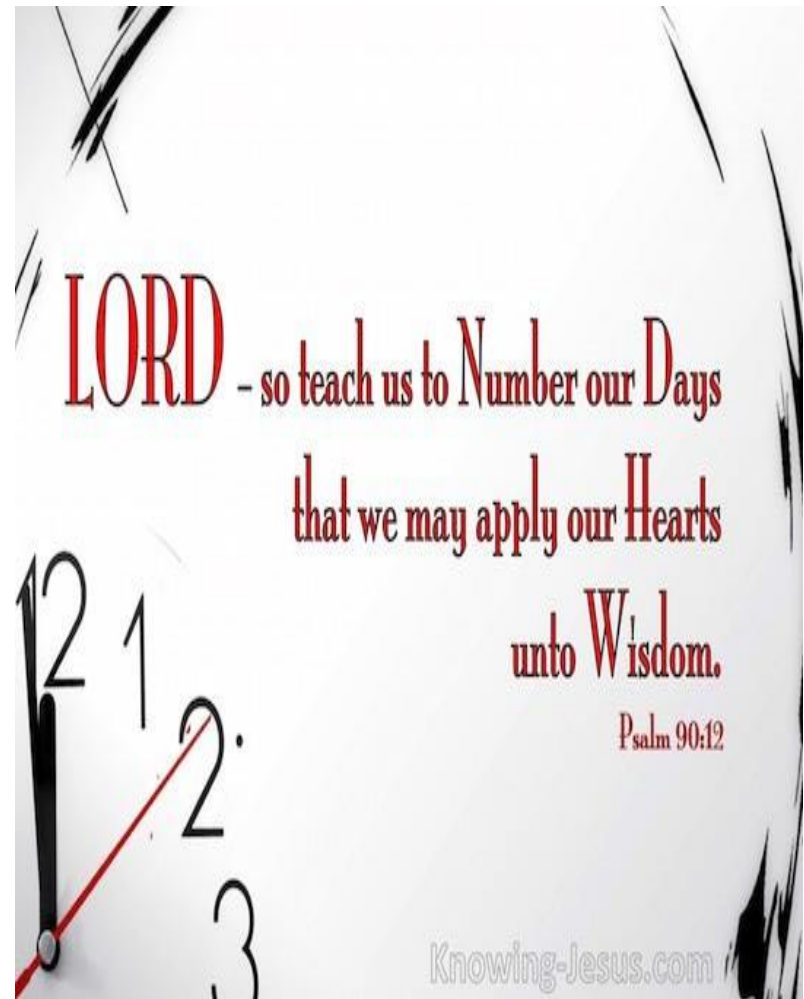
Mennonite Mission Network: Tomorrow is Indigenous Peoples Day. Pray for North American Mennonites of European descent to confess their complicity in the oppression of the original inhabitants of this continent. Pray also for Mennonite Mission Network personnel who support marginalized people groups to reclaim their land, their language, and their dignity.

Pray for Iglesia Menonita Centro Cristiana, the Hispanic church plant in Washington, as they witness, preach, and teach the Word.

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance: 114

Offering: Conference: \$3720; Home Missions: \$778; Missions: \$50; Iglesia Torre Fuerte: \$200; Elder's Sharing: \$290



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*We welcome all to this place
for worship of God and for Christian fellowship.
Let us worship God in spirit and truth,
reaching out to one another in Christ's love.*

8:45 a.m.: Prayer in the Prayer Room
9:15 a.m.: Sunday School
10:10 a.m.: Fellowship Time
10:30 a.m.: Worship

Worship Leaders: Randy & Shirlyn Graber
Song Leader: Kathy Roth
Piano: Lori Graber

Gathering

This is the day
Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Opening Prayer

Praising

STJ 13 My soul is filled with joy
WB 328 O God, our help in ages past

Hear the Word

Come & See Children's Story by Rachelle Luitjens
Scripture Reading: Psalm 90 (OT pg. 425)
Message: Nathan, "Time: Our most valuable resource?"

Responding

WB 389 Take my life
Offering: Home Missions (10/16 Missions)
Sharing and Prayers

We Are Sent

Benediction
As you go out from here

TODAY

MYF Poinsettia Sales have begun! Talk to someone in MYF to order yours today! Orders are due by October 23.

Parkview is hosting a Fall Fundraiser. Come for a Soup and Sundae bar from 11:30-1:30. A free will offering will be taken.

Small Groups Night – Those who signed up for small groups will begin meeting this evening.

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10

•6:30 pm at Holly Roth's home - The Women's Bible Study will meet to study *Interrupted* by Jen Hatmaker.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12

•9:30 am - Women's Midweek Bible Study will begin! Pam will be leading "Interrupted" by Jen Hatmaker. It is not too late to join! Meet in the MYF room.

•7:00 pm in MYF room – Bible study continues on the book of Revelation, led by Nathan. Read Revelations chapters 15-17 in preparation for this week.

MYF NEWS

TONIGHT, Progressive dinner – Meet @ 5 pm at the church
October 16, ING night – Hayride and hotdog roast
October 23, Bible Study, Jackson has snacks/devotions

The MYF would like to replace their sofas in the MYF room. If you have one you would like to donate, please let the sponsors know.

NEXT SUNDAY

Message: Nathan, "Talented & Gifted: For what purpose?"
1 Corinthians 12:12-27

•5:00 pm - ING night - It's ridING and roastING time! Meet at the church for a hayrack ride and wiener roast.

SUGAR CREEK NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Accountability, Digging in God's Word and Prayer; what do these three things have in common? They are the core of missional discipleship groups (MDG), which we launched for the first time last year. We are going to be starting another 8-month round of MDGs beginning in November. We would love to see more people get involved in these groups where people meet together in groups of 3-4 once a week for an hour. If this is something you would like to be involved in you can contact one of the elders or one of the pastors.

Vision for Sugar Creek – Through the listening process that church leadership has been engaged in over the past couple of years our discernment has led us to adopt a vision for Sugar Creek as a community of disciples who are continually working at what it means to follow Jesus. This discipleship theme is why we are inviting people to engage in small groups, missional discipleship groups and Bible studies. If you have any ideas that would help us to sharpen this vision for Sugar Creek the pastors or one of the elders would be happy to meet with you and talk about it. Please drop a blue card in the offering plate, or send an email or text to the pastor or elder you want to visit with and we will get back to you and set up a time to meet.

Cookies for Fellowship Time – If this is something you enjoy or if you are looking for a place to serve in the church, please sign up on the North bulletin board.

October 20th at 7 pm – Council meeting in the MYF room

Mark your Calendar: November 13, 14, and 15 - Fall meetings with guest speaker Bryan Moyer Suderman

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

TODAY Sunday, October 9 is the **Fall Music Concert** in Celebration Hall on the campus of IMS. The Chorale, Concert Choir, and Symphonic Band will perform at 3:00 pm.

•**Spoken4 Quartet** from Branson, MO will be in concert on Saturday, October 15, 6 pm at Lower Deer Creek Mennonite Church. You will enjoy some new songs as well as some old time favorites. Come hear how one group member had to deal with suicide in his immediate family. There will be a freewill offering.

The second Central Plains Bible Study Webinar is around the corner! We had a great turnout for the first one--join us at 7:30pm on Monday, October 24. In *A Two-Edged Sword: Reading the Bible Like an Anabaptist*, we will look at some of the difficult texts in the Bible. These webinars are especially for Sunday School teachers and Bible study leaders, but anyone is welcome. RSVP on the Bible Study Webinars page at www.centralplainsmc.org by Thursday, October 20.

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) welcomes donations of money for its disaster response in Haiti, where people are suffering the effects of Hurricane Matthew, which crossed the country Oct. 4. Matthew's high winds and extensive flooding caused significant damage and increased already heightened cholera concerns in the Artibonite Valley, where MCC's long-term reforestation program operates. To donate, visit mcc.org/hurricane-matthew; call 1-888-563-4676 or send a check to MCC, 21 S. 12th St., PO Box 500, Akron PA 17501.

Kauffman Museum at Bethel College, North Newton, Kansas, seeks artifacts, letters, photos and documents that tell the story of conscientious objectors during World War I. To learn more, or if you have an item for donation or long-term loan, please contact museum director Annette LeZotte at alezotte@bethelks.edu or 316-283-1612.

CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN CAMP

Wood Cutting Day is Saturday, October 15 at 8am. Meet at the office for details about location. Bring chainsaw and log splitter if you have one. Call Tim Friesen if you have questions or plan to attend.