



This week please remember the following people in prayer: The Guatemala group and their families at home. They will be returning Saturday morning (3/31) very early.

Michelle & Hadley Boshart, Brad Eichelberger, Heather Freyenberger, Bridgett Smith, Garry & Lori Leichty, Karma & Olivia Leichty, Nathan, Rachelle & Mattias Luitjens, Lindsey Roth, Randy, Jan & Makenzie Shelman, Ethan & Elizabeth Spronk and Paul & Annette VonTersch

Pray for those dealing with and recovering from medical issues: Dwight Graber, Dick Yoder, Ermadine Boshart, Steve Manning (Mary Jo Richard's brother), Thomas Bennett (Cassie Graber's brother), Bob Speake (Martha Marsh's brother), Ollie Yutzy, Lela Miller

Pray for the leaders and children and youth involved in Promiseland, Xplore, JYF, and MYF. Pray for God to bless the leaders with wisdom, understanding, and love for the children and youth they lead. Pray for God to bless the children and youth with willing hearts and the chance to be examples to others.

Mennonite Mission Network: Last month, soon after Deb Byler began a Mennonite Mission Network assignment in Guatemala, she had a medical emergency that necessitated surgery in Chicago. Pray for health and energy for Deb as she prepares to return to work with women's leadership development in the Kekchi Mennonite Church.

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance: 136

Offering: Home Missions: \$8,113; Conference: \$20; Word Alive: \$200; Sound System: \$100; Sound System Total: \$34,232.28.

March 25, 2018

*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 am: Prayer in the Prayer Room
9:15 am: Sunday School for all ages
10:10 am: Fellowship Time
10:30 am: Worship

Worship Leader: Matt Slagel
Song Leader: Kathy Roth
Piano: Abbey Roth

6th Sunday of Lent – Between Me & You

Welcome / Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Scripture: John 12:12-19

WB 238 Hosanna, Loud hosanna

Special music by Primary Department

Offering: Conference & loose change (4/1 Home Missions)

Announcements, sharing & prayers

WB 237 All glory, laud, and honor

Scripture reading: Mark 11:1-11

Confession & Assurance

Bob Hartzler, "Following Jesus to the cross"

WB 43 Christ is our cornerstone

Passion Reading: Matt & Jen Slagel

WB 257 Were you there vs. 1-4

TODAY

•**2:00 pm**, Easter Choir Practice. Everyone is welcome!

THIS WEEK

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Monday, March 26-Saturday, March 31 from 7 am to 8 pm

The Stations of the Cross will be open to the public. The Stations of the Cross are an opportunity for personal meditation and prayer to remember the journey to the cross by Jesus. Bring your family to share in this experience.

WEDNESDAY, March 28

•**No JYF** - Enjoy your Spring break!

•**5:30-7 pm, Stations of the Cross meal.** Bring your family and experience the journey that Jesus made to the cross. Following your self-guided walk, you're invited to the fellowship hall for a light meal.

NEXT SUNDAY ~ EASTER MORNING , April 1, 2018

Between Me & You

•**8:00 am** – Easter SonRise service with breakfast to follow

•**8:45 am** – Worship at Parkview with the Easter Choir.

•**10:30 am** – Easter Choir with meditation by Nathan,
"Nothing between us"

MYF News

March 25 No MYF – Spring Break

March 31 4 pm, Practice for SonRise service

April 1 8 am, Easter SonRise Service-Breakfast following

THANK YOU to Lori & Sheldon Miller for serving in the nursery today!

SUGAR CREEK NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

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If you are in need of pastoral care this week, as Nathan & Rachele are serving in Guatemala, please contact the Elders.

Baskets for the Elders' Sharing Fund will be set out next week. The Elders' Sharing Fund is used at the discretion of the Elders to take care of special needs of individuals and families in the congregation and in our community.

After years of searching and digging, a cemetery book entitled 'A Silent Community' has been compiled by Carole (Ayers) Taylor. There is a book placed in the library. If anyone is interested in purchasing a book see Norm Boshart. The cost is \$25.

Mark your Calendar! Ladies' Spring Salad Supper will be April 11th at 6:30pm in the fellowship hall. Sign up on the North bulletin board in the foyer. You are encouraged to invite friends, daughters and mothers! We ask you to bring a salad to share! We are privileged to have Pam Gerig Unruh as our speaker.

Nursery sign up is available at Sign up Genius or contact Maria Roth at 319.750.4125. Thank you!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4fa8ac29a5fb6-sunday>

CROOKED CREEK CHRISITAN CAMP

Save the date for *Crooked Creek Wild*, **May 5, 2018!** Registration is open NOW! www.crookedcreekcamp.org/crooked-creek-wild The challenge-course run begins at 10:00a with a free-will donation lunch to follow. More details and photos of last year's event online.

Please consider joining us for Spring Cleaning this April at Crooked Creek. We're looking for volunteers to help clean, landscape, organize and MORE! Go online to sign-up for a date and time that works for you!

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AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

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PEACE LAB VBS 2018

June 4-8 (8:45-11:45)

Ways to sign up to help!

- Sign up Genius
- Blue Sheet in your mailbox
- Bulletin board in the Foyer

Positions Needing Filled

VBS Class Leaders (12 more needed)

VBS Class Helpers

Kitchen Leader

Craft Leader

Recreation Leader

Rolls

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