



**This week please remember the following people in prayer:** Patsy Trussell and Jim & Jane Miller

**Pray for those dealing with cancer:**

Thomas Bennett (Cassie Graber's brother), Christopher Liechty (Shirlyn Graber's brother)

**Pray for those dealing with medical issues:** Patsy Trussell, Inez Roth, Benjie Roth, Collins DeVaul, Lela Miller, Martha

Marsh, Mercedes Ellard, Denise Nebel, Gerald Nebel, Kathryn Nebel, Gary Garton (April Eichelberger's father).

Please pray for Patsy Trussell this week as she will be having partial knee replacement surgery at Mt. Pleasant on Monday.

Please pray for Thomas Bennett (Cassie Graber's brother). He has a Sarcoma in his leg. He will have five weeks of radiation to shrink the mass, followed by surgery.

**Crooked Creek Christian Camp.** Pray for the ministry of camp this week and 5th-6th grade camp starting today.

**Today we offer anointing for:**

**Healing –**

- Physical, emotional, or spiritual brokenness and pain

**Struggling with something in your life –**

- Longing to be set free from something that seems to have you trapped
- Dealing with a difficult decision
- Dealing with relationships in your life that are causing you pain
- Difficult situation that you don't know how to deal with

**Looking forward to something new in your life –**

- New opportunity or relationship that you are excited about
- You feel God is calling you to try something and you need God's strength and wisdom for the task.

**If you would like to be anointed, please go forward after the service.**

**LAST SUNDAY**

**Attendance:** 108

**Offering:** Home Missions: \$3,199.10; VBS: \$100; Word Alive Ministries: \$200

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**TRUST  
GOD  
AND  
REMAIN  
FAITHFUL**

**June 25, 2017**

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**June 25, 2017**

*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: Selection of recorded music

**Gathering**

*They that Wait*  
Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Prayer

**Praising**

*WB 598 A wonderful Savior is Jesus*  
*WB 580 My life flows on*

**Hear the Word**

Come & See Children's Story  
Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 4:12-19  
Message: Nathan, "Remain faithful to the One who is faithful"

**Response**

*WB 575 Precious Lord, take my hand*  
Offering: Conference & Loose Change (7/2 Home Missions)  
Sharing and Prayers

**We Are Sent**

Benediction  
*May the Lord, mighty God*

**NEXT SUNDAY**

Message by Nathan, Scripture: 1 Peter 5:1-14

**MYF NEWS**

<i>TODAY</i>	Bible Study, Michelle has devotions & snack
<i>July 2</i>	MYF Send Off during worship service
<i>July 3-July 10</i>	Orlando Convention <i>LOVE is a Verb</i>
<i>July 16</i>	Sharing at the morning worship service

**SUGAR CREEK NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS**

Mennonite Women will meet on Wednesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. The project is *Soap, Fabric & Towels*. Please bring a salad to share for lunch.

Debbie Leichy has consented to put her name on the elder ballot. We thank Debbie for her willingness to serve and we will be holding an affirmation ballot next Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Summer Food Program & Back Packs –**

Thank you for the food that has been donated and those who helped put together and deliver meals. Additional helpers are needed. Please see the sign-up on the North Bulletin Board. Groceries are needed for delivery on June 30. Please bring food items by June 28 to fill the summer back packs for 18 families. We will be providing food to make a chicken casserole. Items needed are: 10 oz. cans of chicken, cream of mushroom soup, chicken broth, and a 1 lb. box of Velveeta. 18 of each will be needed. Fresh fruit is always good to send home and is welcomed too.

The July Prayer Vine calendar is available in the wooden rack in the foyer.

**AREA NEWS AND EVENTS**

Thank you to everyone who has donated food to our community! As we continue the back pack program throughout the summer, we still need food donations to stock the pantry. Canned fruits, applesauce or raisins are always a big hit and a huge need. Also, we could use canned vegetables and meats (chicken and tuna), pasta sauce, tortillas, seasonings, cereal and rice. If you need someone to pick up donations at your church, please contact Tamara at 319-217-2456.

**The Wayland Youth Center needs your help!** We are in need of funding to pay the electric bill, which is our only monthly expense. We need people to help by donating funds and/or having a fundraiser, donating supplies, and volunteering your time. If you value what we have for the community please donate or volunteer to help keep the Wayland Youth Center running. Anonymous donations can be made at the Wayland State Bank, or money or supplies can be taken to Wayland City Hall, and let them know it's for the Wayland Youth Center. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Barbi Roth at 319-750-1630. Thank you in advance for your support.

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**Towels & Cloth Diapers Needed!** The MCC Material Resources Center in North Newton, Kansas is currently running very low on towels for MCC relief kits and hygiene kits. Dark colored bath towels, dark colored hand towels and cloth diapers for infant care kits (flat fold preferred) are needed at this time. Donations can be brought to 121 E. 30th in North Newton, or you can purchase

items from [Amazon Smile](https://www.amazon.com) or elsewhere online and have them shipped directly to MCC. Please contact Kate Mast with questions, [katemast@mcc.org](mailto:katemast@mcc.org), 316.283.2720.

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**Science Instructor** IMS is searching for a candidate to join our Science Department for the 2017-2018 school year. The ideal faculty member would have their Iowa Licensure with endorsements in Secondary Physics and Secondary Chemistry, other endorsement areas are a great asset as well. Additionally, the position calls for teaching Advanced Placement classes. This full-time position also includes other responsibilities consistent with other faculty members. The candidate would be available to start on August 23, 2017, be certified in areas listed (whether permanent or temp – but working towards), be involved in a local church community (or be searching for a church community).

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