

# Waterford Mennonite Church

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*As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we*

September 25, 2016

**Welcome** everyone to faith and fellowship in Jesus Christ,

**Minister** to the needs of one another and our neighbors through the Holy Spirit, and

**Call out** each other's gifts for the joyful work of God's reconciling mission.

streams of living  
water



# Charismatic: The Spirit-Filled Life

Prelude		Felix Perez-Diener
Gathering songs		JD Smucker, Anne Lehman
	<i>To God be the glory</i>	H 102
	<i>Ev'ry time I feel the Spirit</i>	
	<i>Holy Spirit, come with power</i>	H 26
Welcome and call to worship		Andrew Hartzler
Lighting the peace lamp		
Offering	(Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise) <i>Please pass the friendship pads as we give our offerings.</i>	
Children's Time		Aaron Lehman
Licensing and installation of Katie Misz, Pastor of Family Life		Doug Kaufman
Congregational song		
Hearing, singing and praying the Scriptures		
	<i>Through our fragmentary prayers</i>	H 347
	John 14:15-17	
	John 14:25-26	
	John 15:26-27	
	John 16:7-15	
Sermon	"As the Spirit Leads"	Neil Amstutz
Song of response	<i>Veni Sancte Spiritus</i>	
Congregational prayer		Cindy Voth
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>You shall go out with joy</i>	H 427

H = *Hymnal: A Worship Book*; SJ = *Sing the Journey*; SS = *Sing the Story*

\*We light the peace lamp every Sunday to lament all unnecessary and violent loss of life around the world.

**Living Stream Worship: The service is live streamed at [www.waterfordchurch.org](http://www.waterfordchurch.org)**

## **Prayers for Brothers and Sisters**

*Our guests from Interfaith Hospitality Network* who stayed at Waterford this week, for God to continue to be a companion and guide on their life journeys.

*Evonna King* as she turns 93 on Wednesday, Sept. 28, and *Charlene Christophel* as she turns 92 on Thursday, Sept. 29, for God's grace and joy to be poured out on them. Join in their celebration by signing a card for them at the table in the foyer.

Our First Grade students – *Lucas Bateman, Grant Kauffmann, Bervalie Lehman, and Elijah Voth* – and their Sunday School teachers *Lorna Claassen, Audrey Oostland, and Luke Voth*.

*Jonathan Brenneman of Mennonite Mission Network* as he begins a one-year Mennonite Voluntary Service assignment helping implement the Israel-Palestine Partners in Peacemaking resolution adopted by Mennonite Church USA delegates at the Kansas City convention.

*All affected* by the war, violence, and unrest around the world.

*For people of peace* to grow in our understanding of what is our role with those in power and the powerless in racial injustice.

*Our congregation* as we prepare to welcome our BBI guests beginning October 3, including filling hosting needs. (See *Life Beyond Waterford* for specific hosting needs.)

## **Welcome Team**

Greeter/Hosts	Loren & Miriam Stauffer; Velma Swartz
Ushers	Ken Otto, Glenn Reinford (1 <sup>st</sup> ); Joanna Yoder, Herb Resler, Wade Ramer (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
Nursery	Jane Otto, Andrea Golden (1 <sup>st</sup> ); Alan & Lyz Zimmerman (Nurture); Elmer & Deloris Wyse (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
Audiovisual	Shawn Stutzman, Karen Sommers, Tony Miller

**Last Sunday Attendance:** Worship—338 (149 + 181 + 8-Agape service trip); Nurture—265

### Finances – September 18

Operating Fund	\$ 10,407.55	Mennonite Education	\$ 1,725.00
Either Fund	\$ 1,340.00	Budget subtotal	\$ 13,472.55
<i>Weekly giving needed to meet budget</i>			<i>\$ 14,586.00</i>
Children's Offering	\$ 5.25	MEF above budget	\$ 100.00
Kokomo tornado relief	\$ 2,268.89	Jubilee Fund	\$ 75.00
Mennonite Central Committee	\$ 50.00	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 15,971.69</b>

### Today

8:00/10:45 a.m. Worship  
9:15 a.m. Coffee and fellowship  
9:30 a.m. Nurture hour—classes for all ages  
12:00 noon Carry-in meal hosted by Bridgebuilders and MYF

### This Week at Waterford

Wednesday 5:30 p.m. Soul Food Wednesday supper  
6:30 p.m. Adult activity  
6:30 p.m. Venture Club  
6:30 p.m. Jr. MYF  
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Thursday 7:00 a.m. Morning prayers  
7:00 p.m. Ecuador Ministry Support Team/Room 22

### Looking Ahead

October 2 Sermon: Neil Amstutz; Streams of Living Water: Evangelical Stream  
(*Luke 4:16-20a; John 11:25-26; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Eph. 2:4-9*)  
World Communion Sunday  
October 9 Sermon: Pierre Kinkponwe, BBI guest

### Pastoral Team

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