

# Waterford Mennonite Church

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*As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we*

January 29, 2017

**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.



## UNDER CONSTRUCTION



Prelude		Karen Pfahler
Gathering song	<i>On Jordan's stormy banks I stand</i>	Nick Stoltzfus, John Zehr H 610
Welcome and call to worship		Mark Haarer
Lighting the Peace Lamp*		
Congregational songs	<i>Blessing and honor</i>	SS 109
	<i>Not be shaken</i>	
	<i>Be thou my vision</i>	H 545
Offering	(Gifts are for Mennonite Education unless designated otherwise) <i>Please pass the friendship pads as we give our offerings.</i>	
Scripture	Daniel 6:1-18	
Children's story		Len Harms
Congregational song	<i>Dare to be a Daniel</i>	
Scripture	Daniel 6:19-28	
Sermon		Neil Amstutz
Song of response	<i>Too often, God, your name is used</i>	
Sharing and congregational prayer		Cindy Voth
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>Take my life</i>	H 389

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

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\*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**

*Kara Hostetter* spending a year in Mennonite Voluntary Service in Tucson, Arizona.

*Mary Raber of Mennonite Mission Network* requests prayer for pastors who spend time in the militarized zones of eastern Ukraine and for the thousands of displaced people they serve. May God provide for the physical and spiritual resources for those who have suffered so much.

*Jeremiah Voth, son of Luke and Cindy*, as he has surgery on Friday for tubes in his ears.

*Renewing and strengthening relationships* among congregations in Indiana-Michigan Conference.

*Our government officials* beginning their new positions in leading our country.

*Tornado victims* in Georgia and Mississippi.

*Wisdom and awareness for us, as Christians*, living out our faith.

*Leroy and Sherry Mast* as they prepare to move to the Indianapolis area.

*The Grieser, Hochstetler and Smucker families* grieving the loss of their daughter, niece and cousin, Hannah Hochstetler; and for the *MVS unit in Mississippi* adjusting to the loss of their unit leaders.

## **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

## **Welcome Team**

Greeter/Hosts Loren & Miriam Stauffer; Jon. & Mary Ann Wieand

Ushers Glenn Reinford, Dennis Myers, Ken Otto (1<sup>st</sup>);  
Glenn Reinford, Wade Ramer, Joanna Yoder (2<sup>nd</sup>)

Nursery Melissa and Maddie Chupp (1<sup>st</sup>); Becky Bateman, Waneda Miller (Nurture);  
Melanie & Greg Hire (2<sup>nd</sup>)

Audiovisual Len & Kathy Emery; Felix Perez-Diener, Mark Daniels

**Last Sunday Attendance:** Worship—316 (118 + 198); Nurture—no count

### Finances – January 22, 2017

Operating Fund	\$ 8,536.50	Mennonite Education	\$ 850.00
Either Fund	\$ 2,260.00	Budget subtotal	\$ 11,646.50
<i>Weekly giving needed to meet budget</i>			<i>\$ 14,419.00</i>
Children's Offering	\$ 5.20	MYF	\$ 75.00
MCC SALT	\$ 100.00	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 11,826.70</b>

### This Week at Waterford

Monday	7:00 a.m.	Praying the Office
Wednesday	12:00 p.m.	Noon OWLS
	7:00 p.m.	MYF
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Morning prayers
	6:30 p.m.	Stephen Ministers / Rooms 22, 15
	7:00 p.m.	Gifts Discernment Ministry Team / Room 6

### Looking Ahead

February 5	JYF Sunday; Under Construction: New Traffic Patterns (2 Corinthians 12:1-10)
February 12	Sermon: Cindy Voth; Under Construction: Rough Road Ahead (Ruth)

### Out of Office

Velma Swartz January 29-February 5

### Pastoral Team

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Pastoral Team Leader	Neil Amstutz	831-6865	neil@waterfordchurch.org
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