

Waterford Mennonite Church

As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we

May 21, 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.

Proclaiming the Resurrection

Stories from Acts: Paul

Prelude		Anne Lehman
Gathering songs		JD Smucker
	Come, let us all unite to sing	H 12
	I am thine, O Lord	H 505
	Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord	
Welcome and call to worship		Ursula Hess
Lighting the Peace Lamp*		
Offering	(Gifts are for Mennonite Education unless designated otherwise) Please pass the friendship pads as we give our offerings.	
Song	Christ is Alive	SS 89
Children's time		Nick and Amanda Stoltzfus
Scripture	Acts 14: 8-20	
Sermon	"Reaching without Over Reaching"	Neil Amstutz
Song of response	Lord, you give the great commission (v. 1,2, 4,5)	SJ 63
Sharing and congregational prayers		Cindy Voth (1 st Service) Loanne Harms (2 nd Service)
Benediction		

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

The family of Daniel Robles Perez cordially invites you to a Graduation Open House on May 27. Location: Waterford Mennonite Church Fellowship Hall. Time: 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

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 Guests

Large print copies of the bulletin and the hymnal and hearing aid systems are available from the ushers. Sermon boards for children are available at the back door; please pick one up as you enter. You are invited to bring infants through age two children to the nursery. Pick up the newsletter, *Buzz*, from the welcome kiosk in the foyer.

Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

For Shirley Toole as she receives further infusions for the return of cancer.

Seekers Class on retreat this weekend in Indianapolis.

Monica Stutzman as she has thyroid surgery on Tuesday.

Shawn Stutzman as he continues to receive shoulder physical therapy following a fall in February.

Mennonite Mission Network's Service Adventure program as they seek unit leaders for households in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Jackson, Mississippi.

All involved with planning for Vacation Bible School and all participating in Vacation Bible School.

We are grateful for Elvina Schmidt who *faithfully attends to bookkeeping tasks for the church.*

Welcome Team

Greeter/Hosts	Henry and Fanny Mast, Bob and Rachel Brenneman
Ushers	Glenn Reinford, Ken Otto, Len Harms (1 st); Glenn Reinford, Wade Ramer, Ed Swartzendruber
Nursery	Melissa and Maddie Chupp (1 st); Alan & Lyz Zimmerman (Nurture); Zoe Brown and Lauren Hoogenboom (2 nd)
Audiovisual	Colin and Nathan Berkey (1 st), Colin Berkey and Felix Perez-Diener (2 nd)

Last Sunday Attendance: Worship—272(134 + 138); Nurture— 232

Finances – May 14, 2017

Operating Fund	\$ 1,825.00	Mennonite Education	\$ 6,358.00
Either Fund	\$ 3,123.00	Budget subtotal	\$ 11,306.00
Least Coin	\$ 17.00	On-Line Giving	\$300.00
	Total: \$	11,623.00	

This Week at Waterford

Monday	7:00 a.m.	Praying the office/Room 15
Wednesday	6:30 pm	Venture Club
	6:30 p.m.	MYF at Voth residence
	7:00 p.m.	Ministry Leadership Council/Room 22
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Morning prayers/Room 15
	2:30 p.m.	Senor Adult Ministry Team

Looking Ahead

May 28	Sermon: Lyle Miller; High School Senior Recognition Sunday, Psalms 39:13-16
June 4	Sermon: Neil Amstutz, Pentecost
June and July	Worship: 9:00 am, Nurture Hour: 10:30 am

Out of Office

Velma Swartz: May 26 - 29

Pastoral Team

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