

Today

8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connections in the fellowship hall
Nursery – Bette Dahl (Sandy Stuckey); Sunday School – Erika Nofziger
Sound – Keith Short; Video – Jace Beck; Projection – John Dinius
10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages
After the Primary and Youth classes and teachers are dismissed, we ask that everyone else remain in your seats to view the RightNow video. There will be a break for coffee and soda, then re-gather in the overflow areas to discuss the video.
6:00pm Harrison Lake Gospel Drive-In with Sullivan & Jane Rosario

This Week at Lockport

TUESDAY

5:00-7:30pm Fairlawn Family Picnic on their front lawn, to celebrate their 60th anniversary. All are welcome!
6:30pm Leadership Team meeting

WEDNESDAY

Mennonite Women will be meeting from 8:30-12-12:30, or anytime between those hours.
8:30pm The MYF will be meeting at Jeff and Angie Wyse's house for an outdoor movie night. Bring a lawn chair.

NEXT SUNDAY

8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connections in the fellowship hall
9:30am Mike Kelly will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Vicki Schaffner – worship leader; Rose Miller – scripture reader; Jen Cobb – chorister; and Pastor Gary Stuckey – sharing & prayer time. Rose Miller will be the coordinator.
Nursery – Lisa Waidelich (Michelle Beck); Sunday School – Ashley Stuckey
Sound – Keith Short; Video – Jace Beck; Projection – John Dinius

Sharing Together in Community

We extend birthday greetings to **Kendra Bernath** who will celebrate her 78th birthday on Wednesday, August 7; **Nancy Nofziger** who will celebrate her 81st birthday on Thursday, August 8; to **Mona Riegsecker** who will celebrate her 88th birthday on Thursday, August 8; to **A J Short** who will celebrate his 79th birthday on Thursday, August 8; to **John Wyse** who will celebrate his 90th birthday also on Thursday, August 8 and to **Gloria Graber** who will celebrate her 80th birthday on Saturday, August 10!

Just a reminder: The Dollar Fund is available to assist those with financial needs in our community. Contact us when you see a need. Thank you, Mike Kelly, Wyman and Rhonda Stuckey

Please Note: The bulletin will be printed on Thursday this week. So please turn in all your information for the bulletin to the office by Thursday morning.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY: We are looking for a crew of people on August 17th to hang drywall at the Habitat house in Bryan. Planning to start around 8:00am and lunch will be provided. The house is located at 222 East Butler, Bryan, Ohio. If you are interested, please contact Anthony Stuckey, Eric Beck or Aaron Stuckey.

School Kits The Lockport MW is again collecting school kits for MCC to distribute to families around the world struggling to afford basic school supplies. School bags are located in the north entrance for you to take and bring back filled. Please sign your name and the number of bags you take. Items to put in the bags are as follows: 4 spiral or perforated-pages notebooks with 70 sheets; 1 ruler (flat, good quality); 12 colored pencils; 8 new unsharpened pencils; 1 large eraser; 4 new black or blue ballpoint pens. Please return your filled bags by September 1. **The MW will add a small metal pencil sharpener to each bag upon returning.**

Lockport Seniors 60+ Since we were rained out at the June Mud Hens ballgame, we are rescheduling it for Wednesday, September 18. Game is at noon. Bus and driver are available. Tickets are \$9 each; lunch ticket is \$8. Please let Donna or Gloria know if you would like to be added to the list.

Lockport Seniors: Our fall trip to the Hillsdale Gospel Barn will be Saturday, September 28, for the 6pm show featuring the Texas Star Quartet. Bus and driver are available. The bus will leave the church parking lot by 3:45pm; tickets are \$7 at the door, and sandwiches and drinks can be purchased there. The Texas Star Quartet was formed in 2022 after members individually performed and recorded with other groups, such as the Blackwood Brothers, Oakridge Boys, Gatlin Brothers and the Imperials. They perform at rodeos, fairs and churches. Please contact Donna or Gloria to get on the list.

Youth Savings Week Everence Federal Credit Union is having their annual Youth Savings Celebration August 7-9! We offer a great rate on our youth savings account – currently 5% on the first \$1,000 – and when a youth makes a deposit of \$15 or more into a new or existing youth savings account during this week, Everence will deposit an additional \$5. This is a great way to encourage healthy habits to start saving early, as well as educating children on the advantages of saving for short and long-term goals. Please share this information with friends and/or family members that could benefit from starting a youth savings account. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Everence. For more information on how you can be a part of Youth Savings Celebration, visit [everence.com/youth-savings-celebration](https://www.everence.com/youth-savings-celebration). Applications can be filled out online or drop off your application and deposit at the Archbold office.

Prayer List

Prayers of Intercession for:

Janet Turner, dealing with an infectious brain disease
Amy Johns, under Hospice Care

Others with health concerns:

Deb Votaw, Donna Kelly, Dave Votaw, Eldon Birky, Harvey Bok, Bruce Yancey, Veria Frank, Barb Mabus, Rollin Miller, Sherm Hathaway, Carl Short, Nancy Crossgrove, Jon Stuckey, Ron Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer, Felicia Stuckey, Verlene Drohan, Marvin Short, Mark Stamm, Robert Reyes, Isaac Grieser, Jeff Clark, Dave Buehrer, Keith Schroeder, Tyler Mignin, Shauna Razor, Stella Campbell

Those dealing with grief:

Stockburger family
Bill Butler family

Our Church Family:

Pat Nafziger & Nancy Nofziger,
Seniors of the week
Matt & Megan Weaver & family on sabbatical

The Church in Mission

Lukas Schaffner family,
serving with Life Action in
Michigan

Isaac and Jacinda Dahl,
serving with MCC in Juarez,
Mexico

Compassion Medial Clinic of
Williams County

Free Clinic of Fulton County
CPC Women's Health Resource
Pray for Sibonokuhle Ncube, a
director in Africa and
Europe (Mission Minder)

Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil
Conflict in Israel & Palestine
Haiti

Other Requests

Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service	144
Budget	\$4,070.00
MDS	\$400.00
Family Fun Day	\$150.00
Dollar Offering	\$92.00

Coming Events

Aug 25	Back to School kick-off pond party
Sept 18	Lockport Seniors go to Mud Hens game
Sept 20-22	Church Campout at Sauder Village
Sept 28	Lockport Seniors to Hillsdale Gospel Barn

Mission Minders

Sibonokuhle Ncube, one of Mennonite Mission Network's regional directors for Africa and Europe, is spending the summer on the African continent. Pray for her as she gets acquainted with African partners and builds on the agency's more than 100-year-old legacy.

Lockport Mennonite Church

August 4, 2024

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering/Dollar Offering

Congregational Singing

Scripture John 10:1-10

Message "Choosing the Abundant Life"

Song of Response

Sharing & Prayer

Sending

Worship Leader – Art Chupp
Chorister – Pete King
Scripture Reader – Becky Kauffman
Message – Pastor Gary Stuckey
Sharing & Prayer – Kayla King

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