Today

We would like to welcome all those from the Good Shepherd Church who are worshipping with us today!

8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connections in the fellowship hall

Nursery – Bethany Stuckey/Averie Nofziger; Sunday School – Amanda Wyse

 $Sound-Al\ Stuckey;\ Video-Mason\ Stuckey;\ Projection-Doug\ Nofziger$

10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

Following Sunday School everyone is invited to stay and enjoy the food and fellowship at a soup, salad & dessert potluck.

Following the potluck will be our Fall Festival here at the church. Everyone is invited to stay and join in the fun!

This Week at Lockport

TUESDAY

9:30am Ladies Bible Study will continue their study on the book of Mark.

WEDNESDAY

- Mennonite Women will be meeting from 8:30-12-12:30, or anytime between those hours.
- 6:00pm Kids Time for kids who began Kindergarten through the 4th grade. They will start with a pizza meal, then from 6:30-7:30 will be the group time.
- 6:00pm JYF (5th-8th) will be meeting for pizza. Then from 6:30-8:00 we will be preparing some sweet treats for our fundraiser.
- 7:00pm The MYF (9th-12th) will be meeting at the church for a hayride and campfire.

NEXT SUNDAY

- 8:30-9:15 Coffee and Connection in the fellowship hall
- 9:30am Pastor Matt Weaver will bring the morning message. Other participants will be Keith Short worship leader; Megan Weaver chorister and Lisa Waidelich scripture reader.

Sound – Josh Wyse; Video – Jace Beck; Projection – Colton Nofziger Nursery – Michelle Nofziger/Laurin Wyse; Sunday School – Joilyn Waidelich

Sharing Together in Community

<u>Thank you</u>, Richard & Conna Grieser appreciated the many cards, visits and calls, remembering their 70th wedding anniversary and Conna's 90th birthday, both in the month of October.

Fall Festival The Social Committee has planned a Fall Festival that will be held TODAY, following the soup, salad & dessert potluck. Lots of fun things have been planned like pumpkin games, corn pit, S'mores, caramel apples and more. If you like, bring a comfy chair and relax by the fire. Hope to see you there! Activities will wrap up around 3:00pm. Invite your friends to join us!

JYF FUNDRAISER: The JYF will have some food items available for donation in the breezeway following worship on Sunday, November 10. The funds raised will be used to bless a family during the holiday season.

<u>Lockport Seniors 60+:</u> Saturday, December 14 at 7:00pm, we will plan to attend the musical program "Love Came Down at Christmas" at Lakeview United Brethen Church. Bus and driver are available. Please contact Donna or Gloria to get on the list.

Lockport Written Advent Devotional: What do you know, it's already November which means it's time to begin plans for our Advent devotional preparing us for Christmas. This year's devotional will focus on the "Prince of Peace" and go from December 1-25. Are you willing to write a brief reflection this year? If so, you'll be provided a passage, theme, and some questions to stir your thoughts. The devotional will be distributed daily by email, or if you'd like a paper copy each week let Barb know in the office. If you are willing to write or want to hear more, please contact Pastor Matt by Tuesday, November 12. Join us as we anticipate welcoming the Prince of Peace this Christmas!

<u>Just a reminder:</u> The Dollar Fund is available to assist those with financial needs in our community. Contact us when you see a need. Thank you, Wyman & Rhonda Stuckey

<u>Operation Christmas Child Boxes</u> Shoebox season is here! Boxes are available in the breezeway to take and fill with toys, personal care items, school supplies and more. You can also build a shoebox online and they'll pack it for you for a donation. Let's spread the love of Jesus to children all over the world this Christmas season! Once filled, return boxes under the table in the breezeway by November 17. Any questions contact Erika Nofziger.

Northern Indiana MCC Comforter Bash: Join us on November 8 and 9 for the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Comforter Bash in Goshen. People of all ages are invited to knot comforters at Pleasant View Church, 58529 Co. Rd. 23. Friday, the 8th, the hours will be from 9:00am-5:00pm and on Saturday, the 9th, the hours are 9:00am – 2:00pm. Volunteers are especially needed on Saturday! Door prizes will be awarded throughout the day on Saturday, but you must be present to win. For more information about the event visit mcc.org/northern-in-comforter-bash or contact LaVera Schlabach at 574-538-9629.

Prayer List

Prayers of Intercession for:

Mike & Linda Stuckey, leaving on Tuesday for MDS work in Texas Dr. Grey Williams, dealing with health issues

Farmers as they are harvesting Those with health concerns: Sharon Wyse, Nancy Crossgrove, Rollin Miller, Mary Lou Thomas, Sherm Hathaway, Donna Kelly, Deb Votaw, Dave Votaw, Harvey Bok, Bruce Yancey, Veria Frank, Barb Mabus, Carl Short, Jon Stuckey, Ron Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer, Harold Banks, Janet Turner, Felicia Stuckey, Verlene Drohan, Mark Stamm, Robert Reyes, Isaac Grieser, Dave Buehrer, Keith Schroeder, Tyler Mignin, Shauna Rasor, Stella Campbell

Our Church Family:

Ethel Schmucker & Donna Smith, Seniors of the week

The Church in Mission

Lukas Schaffner family,
serving with Life Action in
Michigan
Isaac and Jacinda Dahl,
serving with MCC in Juarez,
Mexico
Shalom Ministries
The Sanctuary of Williams
County
CCNO Prison Ministry
Pray for Tuesday's election in the
United States (Mission
Minder)

Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil
Conflict in Middle East
Hurricane Helene & Milton
cleanup

Other Requests

Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service

 Budget
 \$11,260.00

 MDS
 \$1,000.00

 Dollar Fund
 \$504.00

 VBS
 \$100.00

 Primary Sunday School
 \$14.75

150

Coming Events

Dec 1 First Sunday of Advent
Dec 14 Lockport Seniors see Christmas musical

Mission Minders

Join Mennonite Mission Network in praying that this Tuesday's elections in the United States will take place without violence and that the leaders who are elected will lead the country in ways of justice and peace,

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Praise and Worship

Scripture

1Peter 1:17-23 & Mark 16:15-20

Word of God
"We are Called to Mission"

A Word on the Building Project

Offering

Sharing and Prayer

Song of Response

Prelude – Lockport Worship Team Worship Leader – Mike Stuckey Praise and Worship – Good Shepherd Worship Team Word of God – Pastor Val Iroha Sharing and Prayer – Pastor Matt Weaver