Today

8:30-9:15am Coffee and Connections in the fellowship hall
Nursery – Michelle Beck/Janelle Beck; Sunday School – Bethany Stuckey
Sound – Keith Short; Video – Mason Stuckey; Projection – John Dinius
10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

This Week at Lockport

TUESDAY

9:30am Ladies Bible Study will be having a potluck meal.

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 meet at the church to go Christmas shopping for a family in need. The youth can be picked up at 8:00pm.
- 7:00pm Life Planning will be meeting. We will discuss how Christ taught us to love. We hope to see you there!

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 Aaron Stuckey worship leader; Vern Dahl scripture reader; Mark Beck chorister; Megan Weaver children's lesson and Lydia, Jade & Violet Frey candlelighters.
 - Sound Caleb Waidelich; Video Todd Schmucker; Projection Brian Rufenacht
- Nursery Pete & Luana King; Sunday School Lisa Waidelich 4:00pm Church-wide Christmas Caroling

Sharing Together in Community

We extend birthday greetings to *Roger Stuckey* who will celebrate his 82nd birthday on Tuesday, December 3 and to *Wayne Kauffman* who will celebrate his 86th birthday next Sunday, December 8!

<u>Christmas Cheer Tree:</u> Fulton County Christmas Cheer is just around the corner and we have an incredible opportunity to help families in Fulton County this Christmas season. On the tree are tags you can take of items to donate, ranging from groceries, cleaning supplies, blankets, and toys. Take as many tags as you want and bring the items back here by Sunday, December 8th and place them by the tree. We'll transport them to the fairgrounds on Monday, December 9th. Join us as we look to be a blessing in the local community this Christmas!

<u>Christmas Giving</u> It was suggested by Barb Mabus that we collect hats, gloves, and socks to be sent to those in need in Marshall, North Carolina. You can place your items by the sign in the mailbox area.

<u>Christmas Cards & Gift Tags</u> The children at Kids Time have been busy making Christmas cards and gift tags. These cards will be on display on the table behind the sanctuary on Sunday, November 24 and December 1 to purchase with a donation. The proceeds will be used for purchasing Books for Peace for Rwanda and Parachutes for Peace for Ukraine through MCC, and school lunches through Grace Community outreach.

<u>Christmas Books</u> There is a selection of Christmas books on the carousel in the library. Enjoy!

<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>Lockport Seniors 60+:</u> On Saturday, December 14, 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.

<u>Medicare Education</u> Everence will be hosting a Medicare education session on Monday, December 9 at 6:30pm. This will be a Zoom meeting. Please go to www.everence.com and search for Medicare Monday and click on the December 9, 2024 session to register for this event.

MCC Comforter Bash will be held at Zion Mennonite Church, Archbold, Ohio, on Wednesday, January 8, 2025 from 3:00-8:00pm. Everyone, including youth groups, are welcome to come and help knot comforters for MCC. A meal will be provided for a donation. All necessary tools will be provided. For more information contact Chris Wyse at 419-516-4164.

Prayer List

Prayers of Intercession for: The family of Mona Riegsecker in her passing

Those with health concerns:

Cooper Stuckey, Rod Miller, Nancy Crossgrove, Rollin Miller, Mary Lou Thomas, Sherm Hathaway, Donna Kelly, Deb Votaw, Dave Votaw, Harvey Bok, Bruce Yancey, Veria Frank, Barb Mabus, Jon Stuckey, Ron Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer, Carl Short, Alice Risser, Kent Juillard, Laura Nafziger, Dr. Gery Williams, Harold Banks, Felicia Stuckey, Verlene Drohan, Mark Stamm, Robert Reyes, Isaac Grieser, Keith Schroeder, Tyler Mignin, Shauna Rasor, Stella Campbell

Our Church Family:

Nancy Crossgrove & Janice Foor, Seniors of the week

Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

The Church in Mission
Mike & Linda Stuckey serving
with MDS in Texas
Jon & Jenny Stuckey serving with
MDS in Mississippi
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 Angie Earl as she
represents Jesus in relating
to unbelievers (Mission

Global Requests

Minder)

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

Other Requests

Worship Service	155
Budget	\$12,102.50
Missions	\$1,000.00
YFC	\$300.00
Dollar Fund	\$87.00
MYF	\$25.00

Coming Events

Primary Sunday School

Dec 8	Church-wide Christmas Caroling
Dec 14	Lockport Seniors see Christmas musical
Dec 17	Lockport hosts the community meal
Dec 22	Longest Night Service
Dec 24	Christmas Eve Service

\$19.00

Mission Minders

Pray that Angie Earl will faithfully represent Jesus in her relationships with those who are not believers in the United States. May she be a witness to His way of peace.

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Lockport Mennonite Church December 1, 2024

Prelude

Welcome/Call to Worship

Lighting of Advent Candles

Congregational Singing

Children's Lesson

Moments in Mission

Congregational Hymn

Sharing and Prayer

Offering

Scripture Isaiah 10:33 -11:5

Message "Peace in the Pieces of Life"

Song of Response

Sending

Postlude

Worship Leader – Sandy Stuckey

Lighting Advent Candles – Sandy Stuckey, Mason & Evynn Stuckey

Congregational Singing – Blue Grass Band

Children's Lesson – Megan Weaver

Moments in Mission – Isaac & Jacinda Dahl Sharing and Prayer – Pastor Matt Weaver Scripture Reader – Stephanie Schmucker

Message – Pastor Gary Stuckey