Today

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

Nursery – Jenna Stuckey (Michelle Nofziger); Sunday School – Amanda Wyse

Sound – Keith Short; Video – Brody Beck; Projection – Doug Nofziger

10:45am Sunday School classes for all ages

5:04pm GAME NIGHT! Do you enjoy playing games, eating snacks, socializing or maybe all the above?! If so, come to the church this evening at 5:04pm and join us for Game Night here at the church. Bring a snack to share, your favorite games and join us for a fun evening! We would love to play games and visit with everyone so make sure to be there!

This Week at Lockport

TUESDAY

9:30am Ladies Bible Study will be studying the book of Mark.

WEDNESDAY

7:00pm Life Planning will be meeting. Our discussion will center on being children of God – created in His image. Pretty awesome! 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 Galen Nofziger – worship leader; Jeanne Stamm – scripture reader; Averie Nofziger – offertory; Pete King – congregational singing; Jr. High Boys – drama.

Sound – Josh Wyse; Video – Jace Beck; Projection – Colton Nofziger Nursery – Natalie Schmucker (Laurin Wyse); Sunday School – Janelle Beck

Sharing Together in Community

We extend birthday greetings to *Duane Stamm* who will celebrate his 92nd birthday on Saturday, March 1; to *Ron Stockburger* who will celebrate his 80th birthday also on Saturday, March 1 and to *Ruth Ann Yoder* who will celebrate her 75th birthday also on Saturday, March 1!

Greeters for the month of March will be Wayne and Donna Kauffman.

Mail Delivery for the month of March will be taken care of by Jeff Roth.

<u>Habitat for Humanity</u> of Williams County will be building a new home in Stryker this year. They are looking for a family to partner with for this project. There is a flyer on the bulletin board in the back with more information and the basic criteria that needs to be met. You can contact Habitat by email at williamscountyhabitat@gmail.com.

Spring Lockport Seniors Trip will be Sunday, March 23, to the Huntington Center to watch a hockey game between the Toledo Walleye and the Bloomington Bison, (IL). There's a special blanket giveaway for the first 2,500 fans. The Game is at 5:15pm and the bus will leave at 2:45 from the Dough Box. Tickets are \$20 and food can be purchased there. Please sign up by March 2 with Donna or Gloria for this trip.

Renew Sunday School Curriculum In light of our decision to join Evana Network, Leadership Team thought it best to evaluate our prior relationships with different agencies and materials that we had through MC USA and Ohio Conference, including Sunday School materials. Renew follows the Standard Lesson quarterly, which we are used to, while it is written from an evangelical Anabaptist perspective connecting each lesson to the life and teachings of Jesus. The Spring quarter (March-May) starts next week. Teacher Guides are in the office if you are teaching in March. —Christian Ed (Luana King, Rose Miller, Judy Stuckey and Pastor Matt)

Freedup: Everence is offering this popular stewardship training program once again. The FreedUp program is a way for everyone to get their finances in order – and gain a deeper faith perspective on your money. Everence facilitators will lead the group sessions. Sign up early – these fill up fast! Thursdays at 8 pm ET beginning February 27, ending April 10. Register at everence.com/partners. There is a flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

Everence Financial is hosting a FREE educational Medicare Webinar on Monday, March 3, 2025 at 6:30pm. Learn more or view future workshop dates at everence.com/Medicare-Mondays. As you approach retirement, you may have some questions about moving to Medicare and Social Security. During this workshop, Everence discusses the important details you need to know about retirement income and transitioning to Medicare, including: *Enrollment details and deadlines; *Budgeting for health care and income in retirement; *What are your options if you continue to work? *Social Security – when do I start? *Prescription drug coverage; *Plans that supplement Medicare. You can register at September Medicare Seminar (everence.com).

On the Level Our February edition of On the Level is now available. In this edition, an update on the MDS response to the LA Wildfires and recent flooding in Kentucky plus a recap of our 75th Anniversary celebration last week in Wichita, KS. Clink on this link to read more: https://conta.cc/3X9niXl

Prayer List

Prayers of Intercession for:

Kathy Weaver, Matt's mom, recovering at home from hip surgery

Those with health concerns:

Nancy Nofziger, Bill Stuckey, Steve Crossgrove, Harvey Bok, Paul Stuckey, Rollin Miller, Kathy Jezewski, Steve Waidelich, Cooper Stuckey, Rod Miller, Nancy Crossgrove, Donna Kelly, Sherm Hathaway, Deb Votaw, Dave Votaw, Bruce Yancey, Veria Frank, Barb Mabus, Ron Stockburger, Larry Langenderfer, Carl Short, Verlene Drohan, Olive Wilson (Schmucker), Alice Risser, Laura Nafziger, Dr. Gery Williams, Felicia Stuckey, Mark Stamm, Isaac Grieser, Shauna Rasor, Keith Schroeder, Tyler Mignin, Stella Campbell

Our Church Family:

Richard & Conna Grieser, Seniors of the week

Other Requests

The Church in Mission

Mike & Linda Stuckey, serving with MDS in Crisfield, MD 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 the Mark Schoenhals
family, serving in Thailand
(Mission Minder)

Global Requests

The Russian Ukraine turmoil
Conflict in Middle East
Natural Disaster Cleanup around
the country/world

Bible Quiz Schedule

in Lancaster, PA.

Lockport has three Bible Quizzers this year: Preston Nofziger, Mason and Carson Stuckey. This year the quizzers are studying over the end of Luke and the beginning of Acts. There are three more local quiz meets. Everyone is invited to show their support for our quizzers. Any potential quizzers, this would be a great opportunity to check out a quiz meet. 2/23/25 – North Clinton at 2:00pm 3/2/25 – Pettisville Missionary 2:00pm 3/16/25 – Central at 2:00pm (local tournament) The quiz season will wrap up with the Invitational Tournament March 21-23

Attendance & Offerings Last Sunday

Worship Service	87
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 Budget
 \$2,280.00

 MDS Alvordton Project
 \$20,200.00

 Reach Up
 \$250.00

 Dollar Fund
 \$48.00

 Primary Sunday School
 \$5.00

Coming Events

Mar 5	Lent Begins
Mar 23	Lockport Seniors 60+ to hockey game
Mar 25	Lockport Serves Community Meal

Mission Minders

Pray for people to come to faith and be baptized in a village where Mark Schoenhals and other leaders have been doing weekly evangelism for over a year. Pray for perseverance through challenges, and physical, mental, and emotional health for Mark, Sarah, and their daughters.

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Lockport Mennonite Church February 23, 2025

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering

Special Music

Sharing and Prayer

Children's Lesson

Congregational Song

Scripture Psalm 139:1-12

Sermon: "Questioning God: Where Can I Go?"

Song of Response

Sending

Worship Leader – Jo Short

Congregational Singing – Band led by Natalie Schmucker

Special Music – Men's Group

Sharing and Prayer – Pastor Gary Stuckey

Children's Lesson – Ashley Stuckey Scripture Reader – Band Member Sermon – Pastor Matt Weaver