

Happy Birthday to:

Today	Jen Himes
Monday	Abbey Schmaltz
Tuesday	Greg Hostetler
Wednesday	Wendy Williams
	Nathan Kalapodis
Thursday	Andréa Ressler



Please remember these persons by sending a card, calling them or offering a special prayer of thanks for them.

Coming Events:

January 10	Communion
January 24	All Church Baby Shower for Tara & Denver Steiner beginning with a carry-in meal after worship



"We are dedicated to loving God and loving people"

To the glory of God and through the power of the Holy Spirit, we will be a loving fellowship of believers who intentionally further God's kingdom by making disciples and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CENTERING

HYMNS "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice" (WB 210)
"O Come, All Ye Faithful" (WB 212)

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 2:1-12

ONE GIFT ONE CHANGE SHARING Jen Bixler

HYMNS "The First Noel, The Angel Did Say" (WB 199)
"Angels We Have Heard On High" (WB 197)
(This carol was requested by Drew Fisher.)

OFFERING/PRAYER
Offertory

SCRIPTURE READING John 1:1-5, 10-14

HYMN SING

BENEDICTION

Worship Leader: Marilyn Kamp
Song Leader: Carol Rheinheimer
Accompanist: Katie Immel
Scripture Reader: Mark Bixler



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Ministers: Each member of the congregation		

Today (December 27)

8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in Bill's Office
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Sharing and Reflection on
One Gift One Change Challenge

Monday

8:30 p.m. Footprints – *New Year's Eve Eve Eve Eve Party*

Wednesday

6:30 p.m. Prayer Time in Library

Next Sunday (January 3)

8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in Bill's Office
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Steve Yoder preaching
2:30 p.m. Bible Quizzing

Last Sunday (December 20)

Offering (Ministry Spending Plan): \$8,363.00
Partnership Plan: \$1,020.00
Mennonite Mission Network: \$20.00
Compassion Fund: \$58.00

Greeters Today Ken and Rita Wenger, Wilma Eash

Next Sunday Mel and Mim Wenger, Shelley Farver

Elder Greeter Today Marilyn Kamp

Next Sunday Mel Wenger

Sunday School Nursery Today Shelley Farver

Next Sunday Sharon Hershberger

Worship Nursery Today Joel and Lisa Otto

Next Sunday Jeff and Anita Fisher

Welcome to our worship service! If you are a visitor or guest, please fill out one of the welcome cards found on the ends of each pew and place it in the offering plate. There is space on the back of these cards for anyone to share a prayer request or concern. You can hand it to Pastor Bill or an elder or put it in the box outside the church office.

Encouragement cards are available at the end of each pew. Please feel free to use these cards to write a note of encouragement to someone this week. You can leave your note on the pew and Jan will mail it for you or you can mail/deliver it yourself.

On Saturday, December 19, Aimee Landry and Ryan Jenkins were married at College First Church of God in Findlay, Ohio. As a congregation we offer our congratulations to Aimee and Ryan as they begin married life together!

Elder Council is encouraging prayers for our congregation. All are invited to come spend time in prayer on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the church library and/or Sunday mornings at 8:45 a.m. in Pastor Bill's office.



The young adults are getting together in the adult library during the Sunday School hour. Anyone who feels like a young adult is invited to join us as we get to know each other, worship, and fellowship together. ~ Mel Wenger

Please check your mailbox for January calendar of events. Also, copies of Mennonite Mission Networks' *Prayer Vine* for the month of January are available by the mailboxes.

Pastor Bill is taking some vacation time the week after Christmas (December 26-January 3). Please contact an elder if a need arises during this time.

Email Address update.

- Leo and Dorothy Miller – ljdmmiller@embarqmail.com



Offering envelope sets are available by the mailboxes. Please sign your name on the numbered card and place it in the box provided.