

September 26, 2021

Welcome to Walnut Creek Mennonite Church

“We are so glad you are here! It’s so wonderful to be together as brothers and sisters in Christ to worship!”

Weekly News/Updates

Sunday Services

Sunday School : 9:00-10:00

Worship: 10:00-11:00

Live streaming is available
on our website.

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This Weeks Birthdays!

*Happy Birthday!
May God Richly Bless Your
Lives!*

9/29 - Nora Yoder

10/02 - Connor Hershberger

10/2 - Sarah Hochstetler

10/3 - Maynard Wengerd

10/3 - Jason Yoder

*Happy
Birthday!*

Today's Service

Scripture

2 Corinthians 5:16-21

“Ambassadors of Reconciliation”

By: Pastor Charlie Grimes



**GREAT IS THE LORD
AND GREATLY TO BE PRAISED
IN THE CITY OF OUR GOD
IN THE HOLY MOUNTAIN
BEAUTIFUL IN ELEVATION
THE JOY OF THE WHOLE EARTH
ON MOUNT ZION ON SIDES ON NORTH
THE CITY OF THE GREAT KING**

Nursery Schedule for September/October

- **September 26th**
 - Nursery: Jen Yoder
 - Toddler Room: Ashlie & Hannah Hershberger

Next Week

- **October 3rd**
 - Nursery: Nancy Hershberger
 - Toddler Room: Rachelle Miller

Announcements

Wednesday Nights - .Wednesday evening meals and fellowship beginning in October! Welcome back to our mid-week meal and fellowship time! We are excited to begin on **October 6th**, meeting each week through November 17th! **Our cooks are planning to serve dinner from approximately 5:30pm-6:45pm each Wednesday**, with the following class options available for everyone to fellowship after the meal:

- Children's classes for all ages (upstairs)
- Middle school and high school youth with Pastor Charlie (youth room)
- Adult class #1 - A RightNow video series and discussion will be led by our elder team and will meet in the Jr. Auditorium.
- Additional adult and small group options will be added as needed!

All are welcome to come to enjoy a great dinner and spend time learning and encouraging each other! Donations to help the meal cost will be accepted but are not necessary!

Ladies Bible Study - Ladies Bible Study will **be resuming on October 7th** meeting on Thursdays There will be a morning and evening session available. We will be studying "**12 Women of the Bible.**" This study looks at the spiritual lessons learned from twelve biblical women and their implications in life today. A sign up sheet is available at the welcome center.

Marriage for Life - There will be a Marriage for Life event **on Saturday October 16th held at Grace Church in Berlin from 6PM-8PM. Dr. Greg and Erin Smalley** will be featured at this event. Tickets are limited to attend in person, but you may also connect and watch online. **All Registration information can be found on the Marriage for Life website. <https://mfl.family/>**

Announcements Continued

Souper Thursday October Collection - Collection items for **October** are **Soup & Mac& Cheese** Please place items on the foyer table. **Souper Thursday will be on October 14th** from **9:30-10:15 a.m.** at Barrs Mills Church of Go



Save & Serve - Our Church is responsible to provide four volunteers to be cashiers on **November 6th** from **1:00 - 5:00 PM**. If you have any questions contract Sarah Hochstetler.



Love INC is Looking for Phone Volunteers - If you like to talk on the phone and have meaningful conversations with others, this just might be something you would like. Hours are flexible. If you are intimidated and would like to talk to someone from our church that volunteers at Love INC, talk to Teresa Hershberger!

Call Love INC if you are interested in volunteering.
(330) 473-6017

Love INC Annual Online Auction - Love INC is asking surrounding Churches to make a **theme basket** or two for their annual online auction. The silent auction starts Friday September 24 and will end Friday October 1. Pictures of baskets need to be taken by **September 2**, and sent to loveincghc@gmail.com for the online auction. The baskets need to be dropped off at Martins Creek by **September 29th**. **The Banquet that was scheduled for October 2 is now canceled.**



Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) -is building eleven houses in partnership with Keim! These houses will be assembled entirely at Keim on **October 15th and 16th!** **(That's right, 11 houses in just 2 days!).** They will then be moved and installed in **West Virginia (2) and Dayton, OH (9).**

Both **Maurice and Merle Stutzman** are available to discuss how you might best support this effort. These houses are not yet fully funded, and additional monetary gifts are needed. To read more about these life changing MDS work projects, click here:

<https://www.timesreporter.com/story/news/2021/03/20/charities-build-homes-two-west-virginia-women/4754457001/>

Announcements Continued



Mennonite Central Committee
Relief, development and peace in the name of Christ

You can provide relief and prayers for Haiti - The people of Haiti need our help. Families who have already suffered so much have been hit once again. The 7.2 magnitude earthquake killed at least 1,300 people and injured many more. Thousands are sleeping outside, with little food and no protection from the elements. With your help, we can reach the people most affected by this tragic event. Your prayers and financial gifts will provide emergency support. Donate today at mcc.org/haiti-earthquake.

Continue to pray for the people of Afghanistan, including vulnerable women and children, and the many partners with whom MCC works. Pray that hope would not be extinguished during this season of uncertainty and fear.

New Praise & Prayer

- **Al and Clara Mast** - Clara is home and is slowly regaining her health and strength. Al is not progressing as expected. He has was readmitted to the hospital on Monday with blood clots. He will be in the hospital for a few days for observation, but we are hopeful that he will be home by the end of the week. Please continue to pray for Al, Clara, Conrad, Jane, and the rest of the family.
- **Dr Roy Schlabach** - at Walnut Hills rehab recovering and healing from several health issues. Please continue to keep Roy in your prayers.
- **Vivian Miller** - Vivian will be heading home soon from Walnut Hills rehab. Pray for her and Duane as she regains her strength.
- **Abe and Mary Miller** - They are both recovering from Covid. Abe will begin physical therapy when he strong enough. Continue to lift Abe and Mary in prayer.
- **Our CFCI Nicaraguan Friends** - Please continue to pray for **Bismarck Aburto, Mario Amador, Fabricio Mendoza, Josue Araica**, along with **Carlos and Aracelis Reyes** as the deal with Covid. We pray for healing for them all and the community around them.
- **Nancy Hershberger** - At home recovering from Covid. Please keep Nancy in your thoughts and prayers during this time.
- **Covid** - Please lets remember that God is still on his thrown and that he will see us through this chapter of uncertainties. Extend love and grace to those around you.
- **Anonymous Prayer Request** - The Lord knows what is needed for those needed prayers. Pray that those prayers be answered.

Any Prayer or Praise request please contact the leadership team or the church office.

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Matt Yoder : (330) 473-7032

Church Office : (330) 852-2560

Continued Praise & Prayer

- **WCMC** - Please pray for our Church in every aspect
- **Youth & Children** of WCMC
- **New Believers** - As they grow in their relationship with Christ
- **Rod & Valerie Hochstetler** - Serving in Congo
- **Emily Hochstetler** - Serving in Kinshasa through ReachGlobal Ministries
- **Agora Christian Fellowship in Columbus** - Work with at risk kids & showing them Jesus's love
- **Blake Stutzman** (*son of Rod and Jill*) - Dealing with side effects of encephalitis
- **Jim & June Boltz** - Health
- **Ada Weaver** - Health
- **Mario Amador & Xochil Lacayo Casco, Carlos Reyes and Aracelis Lacayo Casco and their three children, Fernando, Ruben and Ximena** - Ministering in Nicaragua with CFCI
- **Kurt Stutzman** - Brother of Jane 'Mast (cancer)
- **Mary Miller (Doc)** - diagnosed with Waldenstorm's macroglobulinemia
- **Mel McCombs** - Father of Laura Coblentz - Health
- **Amy Miller** - Chemo for tumor in Esophagus
- **Kyle Snyder** - Health
- **Mike Palmer** - Recovering at home after surgery



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Attendance

Primary Sunday School : 25

Worship : 155

Giving

First Fruits: \$11,110.00

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