

## Praises and Prayer Requests

### Global Outreach Partners for the Month:

Operation Christmas Child  
Gideons  
AWANA  
Central Pennsylvania Youth Ministries

### Recent Updates on the Global Outreach Wall:

### Homebound or in Nursing/Assisted Care:

Eunice Auker, Louis Brubaker, Judy Elsasser,  
Dorothy Leitzel, Donald and Donna Moyer, Audrey  
Renninger, Eleanor Snyder

### Ongoing Health Issues:

Louise Apple, Mary Fogle, Jackie Graybill,  
Esther Shaffer

## What's Going On?

### This week:

**Mon.** 9:00am Staff Meeting  
6:30pm Elder Meeting

**Tues.** 6:00am Men's Bible Study

**Wed.** 8:45pm Ladies Bible Study  
6:30pm AWANA, Trek, Crux, &  
Prayer Meeting

**Fri.** Monthly Meal Prep & Distribution

**Sept. 26** Monthly Meal  
**28** Communion

**Oct. 13** M.C.C. Trip to Ephrata  
**19** Gideon Sunday

**Nov. 1** Ladies One-Day Retreat  
**4** O.C.C. Turkey Meal

**Dec. 23** Christmas Eve Eve

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Bryan Alderfer Mike Wolf  
Ken Alderfer

- Life Groups and Journey Groups meet at various times and locations. For more information, call the church office.
- Meetings of the Council of Elders and Administration Team are held monthly. Minutes and financial information from the previous month's meetings are approved at the next month's meetings and are available at the welcome center after approval.

### Last Week's Sunday Morning Attendance

8:00 am: 160 10:30 am: 487

### Wednesday Night Attendance

AWANA: 125 Leaders: 57  
Youth: 67 Leaders: 8



**Richfield Life**  
MINISTRIES CHURCH

## **September 21, 2025**

8:00 am Worship - Sanctuary  
9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship - Sanctuary

*Welcome*  
We're Glad You're Here!

## Worship Service

### **Welcome and Announcements**

### **Opening Praise**

**Scripture:** Acts 7: 54-60

**Message:** *Everyday Gospel Unto Death*

**Speaker:** Aaron Benner, Lead Pastor

### **Closing Song**

**Offering:** General Fund

Offering boxes are located near the main entrances of the Sanctuary, or you can give online by going to richfieldlife.com or by using the church app.

## Items of Interest

**Study/Discipleship Groups:** Tuesday morning Men's Bible Study in the Lobby Conference room (meet.google.com/fzc-nhny-geq), Wednesday morning Ladies' Bible Study in the Lobby Conference Room, Men's & Women's Journey Groups, BUILT for women, and Men of Iron. If you are interested in more information about any of these study groups, please contact the church office at 717-694-3490.

**A Fellowship Meal** will not be held for this month.

**Child Dedication** is scheduled for Sunday, October 12 and every second Sunday of each month. If you are interested in having your child dedicated, contact the church office.

**Mom's Group** will be held in the Family Life Center on Tuesday, October 14 at 10:00 a.m. and the second Tuesday of every month. All moms and their children are invited! This is a time of fellowship for moms and children along with a short devotion.

**A Yard Sale** will be held in the FLC October 16-17 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Donated items can be directly placed in the FLC starting Sunday, October 12. No TVs or computer monitors are accepted as we cannot dispose of them.

**A day trip to MCC in Ephrata** to work in their warehouse is planned for Monday, October 13. All men, women and older children/teens are invited. We will leave the church parking lot in the church van at 7:00 a.m. Bring a bag lunch and we will stop at Cracker Barrel on the way back, returning to the church at approximately 6:00 p.m. There is a wide range of opportunities to serve while there. Sign up on the sheets available at the welcome centers or contact Bunni Newman with questions.

**A speaker from Gideons International** will be sharing on Sunday, October 19 during both worship services.

**The O.C.C. Fundraiser Meal** is coming up on Tuesday, November 4. In the past, the turkey for the meal has been donated, but we are unable to get it donated this year. We are looking for monetary donations to buy the turkey. If you are willing to help in this way, donations can be dropped in the offering. Be sure to mark your envelope for O.C.C. Meal so that it gets to the right place.

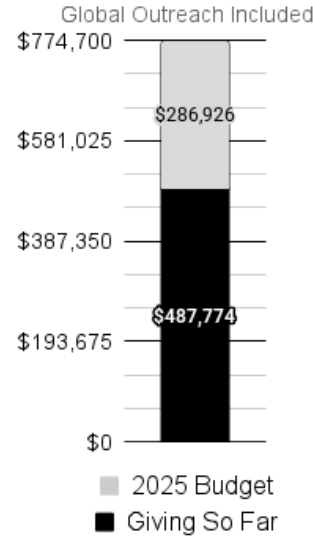
**Men's 4-Person Volleyball League** will be starting in October. If you are interested in putting a team in the league contact Sylvan Martin at 570-274-6594.

## Financial Information

### Last Week's Treasurer's Report

General Fund Offering total: \$18,663  
Building Fund Offering total: \$ 2,347

### General Fund



**Ministry Team Appreciation:** October is known as Pastor Appreciation Month. We would like to show our Ministry Team (Aaron, Ryan, Josh, Ashley, and Teresa) how much we appreciate them and all they do for RLMC. Cards of appreciation and encouragement along with gift cards or monetary gifts (if you feel led) can be placed in the card boxes located near the offering box starting Sunday, October 5. Cards and gifts will be presented on Sunday, October 26.

Then he fell on his knees and cried out,  
"Lord, do not  
hold this sin  
against them."  
When he had said this, he fell asleep.



ACTS 7:60

For your convenience, a room with a live stream of the second worship service is available for nursing mothers in the Nursing Mothers Room.

| Childcare                              | Today's Volunteers   | Next Week's Volunteers  |
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| <b>Infants</b><br>Ages 0-24 months     | Erin Sheaffer<br>Emily Moyer<br>Maddie Martin<br>Aspen Hoffman<br>Carly Lehman     | Joan Horst<br>Amber Heimbach<br>Cara Lehman<br>Mallory Heimbach |
| <b>Toddlers</b><br>Ages 2-3 yrs.       | Karen Stauffer<br>Bob Stauffer<br>Ashlyn Hoffman<br>Ali Sheaffer<br>Ayden Heimbach | Amber Moyer<br>Betty Scholl<br>Kelli Beachy<br>Mazie Neimond    |
| <b>Pre-K</b><br>4 yrs- Pre-K           | Chad Maurer<br>Jolene Maurer<br>Noah Yakamook                                      | Emily Moyer<br>Krista Gearhart                                  |
| <b>Children's Church</b><br>Grades K-4 | Teresa Sheaffer<br>Trish Hoffman   | Go M.A.D. project<br>for grades K-6 in<br>The Garage.           |
| <b>Sunday School Nursery</b>           | Emily Moyer<br>Cierra Hunsberger   | Sara Osgood<br>Erin Sheaffer                                    |

**The Christmas season** is only a few short weeks away! Along with the many wonderful events Christmas brings, the RLMC Children's Christmas Program is always a highlight! Christmas program practice for children in grades K-6 will begin on Sunday, October 5 during the second worship service. The program will be held on Sunday, December 14 at 9:15 a.m. We are in search of adults who would like to assist in coordinating the production. If this person is you, please contact Brenda Esterline in person, at 717-694-3095, or [bjesterline@gmail.com](mailto:bjesterline@gmail.com).

**O.C.C. Item of the Month:** Washcloths, soccer balls, and ball pumps

Each month different items are collected to prepare for the annual O.C.C. Shoebox Packing Party held in October. Items can be placed in the boxes available by the church mailboxes.

**The Coffee Station** is looking for volunteers to help set up, make, and clean up the coffee station. Two volunteers are needed each week. Sign-up sheets are available at the welcome center.