

North Goshen Mennonite Church

September 3, 2017

Christ is before all things, and in him all things hold together.

Colossians 1:17

Gathering as God's people

Reuniendonos como pueblo de Dios

Come, let us all unite to sing

Welcome & Community Life Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymnal: A Worship Book 12

Norm Kauffman

Praising God's name

Alabando el nombre de Dios

Alleluia! Gracious Jesus!

Abre mis ojos

Sing the Story 110

Sing the Story 65

Sharing in God's fellowship

Compartiendo en compañerismo cristiano

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts

Children Bring Birthday & MCC Offerings

Jesus

Children ages 4 through grade 2 are dismissed to Children's Church

Sharing & Congregational Prayer

Where have you witnessed God's work during the week?

Where is God's presence needed?

Hearing God's word

Escuchando la palabra de Dios

1 Corinthians 15:1-10

"Just as we are"

Kevin Swartzendruber

In Christ alone

Maria Juarez & Harlan Stoltzfus

Sending to serve

Enviando a servir

Go, my children

Benediction

Hymnal 433

Our Prayers

Those recovering: Ken Thomas, Margaret Metzler

Those unable to attend services: Bill Yoder, Thelma Harley,

Judy Yoder, Elroy & Alberta Troyer

Congregational members who have lost spouses and family members

Those taking the citizenship class at LaCasa, Inc.

Pastor Mario, Carmen and family with the San Lucas Church, our sister church in San Martin, Mexico.

Nurture

Sunday school classes for all ages are held from 9-10am

Children's Church: *To help assure the safety of the children, we ask that a responsible person meet your children at the Children's Church door as soon as they are dismissed.*

Today: Jeri Burkholder, Joan Ulrich, Francisco Behan Morillo, Nicole Blacut

Childcare is available in the basement nursery for children ages 3 years and younger.

Today: Terri Yeater, Michele & Devin Stoltzfus

The Peace Lamp is lit each week as a reminder to pray for peace in our community and world.

To make an announcement, please go to the front of the church where there is a microphone.

Thank You.

Announcements

●**Sign-Up** on the sheet across from Cheryl's office. September is a designated month for North Goshen to provide support and encouragement to Chamberlain Elementary School. While all church members are encouraged to support Chamberlain through notes of encouragement, emails, treats, gifts, or needed supplies, it would be great to have at least one person or group designated for each week of September. Please consider signing up by yourself, as a Mentor/Mentee pair, as a Sunday School class, small group, or family.

THANK YOU for supporting the dedicated staff at Chamberlain!

Questions: contact Lori Martin or Izaete Nafziger

●**Everyone** is invited to an Open House for Freeman and Velda Hershberger to celebrate 60 years of marriage! Please correct the date on your church calendar to **Sunday, September 17, 2-4pm.**

●**Ladies Lunch Bunch** will meet at Martin's Supermarket on Bashor Road, the first Tuesday of the month, September 5, at 11:30am. Join us to enjoy a leisurely lunch, catch up and get to know each other better.

●**Volunteers are needed** to pick up one or two people at Greencroft on Sunday mornings. The van is full. Please contact Lester Mast at 535-3394.

●**My Coins Count** offerings are being collected each Sunday until the relief sale.

●**Wedding Shower** for Andrea Yeater and Dallas Colley. Celebrate the upcoming wedding of this happy couple by showering them with cards and gifts. We are trying something new and, instead of a traditional open house, a basket will be under the literature boxes for the next several weeks. Please place your wrapped gifts and cards in the basket. The couple is registered at Target.

●**Bible Study** Consider joining a group of North Goshen women for one hour (8:00-9:00) each Thursday morning beginning on September 7. Prayer time will open the meeting, followed by a time of reading and listening to the scripture text for Sunday's worship. Meet in the Personal Dining Room, Manor 4, Greencroft. (Map on bulletin board)

Prayer Requests/Notes

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If you have a prayer concern or need, you are encouraged to contact Mark Schloneger, Izaete Nafziger or one of the Elders, either after worship today or during the week. Available elders are Bob Steury, Robert Morillo & Gail Yoder.

***On this mountain, will prepare
a feastrich food for all peoples . . .
Isaiah 25:6***