

North Goshen Mennonite Church

November 12, 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

10,000 reasons

Welcome & Community Life Announcements

Izaete Nafziger

Call to Worship

Praising God's name

Alabando el nombre de Dios

God of the earth, the sky, the sea

Hymnal: A Worship Book 53

Praise to God, immortal praise

Hymnal: A Worship Book 91

Sharing in God's fellowship

Compartiendo en compañerismo cristiano

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts

Refiner's fire

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

Sharing & Congregational Prayer

Hearing God's word

Escuchando la palabra de Dios

Luke 8:26-39

Ruth Ann Wittrig & Mariana Rodriguez

"Chains"

Mark Schloneger

Jesus has done so much for me

Sing the Story 95

Sending to serve

Enviando a server

Peace before us

Sing the Story 16

Benediction

Respond with: Blessed be the name of the Lord!

Our Prayers

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: Carla & Christopher Craw, Lois & Cheyenne Chupp

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

Today: Terri Yeater, Kerry Cripe, Fiona Yeakey

● **Hygiene Kits** are being collected for families that are struggling to afford necessary supplies. Many people have fled their homes due to disaster or war. You are invited to help by bringing in the following items for kits that the Mennonite Central Committee will send to places in need.

Contents (NEW items, in original packaging)

- 1 adult-size toothbrush
- large bar bath soap
- fingernail clipper (good quality)
- hand towel (dark color)

COMING EVENTS

November 29	6:30pm Christmas Practice—ages 4-Jr. Youth
December 1	Senior Lunch, noon, carry-in Bring a dish to share and a bring a white elephant gift for BINGO
December 6	6:30pm Christmas Practice—all youth
December 9	9am Christmas Practice –all youth
December 10	6pm Christmas Play

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

● **Prayer Partner/Venture Club today.** There will be a meal and fun for the prayer partners and venture club age children.

● **Coordinating Council** will meet Tuesday at 6:30pm.

● **The Community Meal** will be this Wednesday, November 15, 6pm. This is our Thanksgiving

celebration. Please speak to Ruth Ann about what is still needed for the meal. This is not our normal carry-in. See Ruth Ann if you have questions about what you signed up to bring.

●**Practice** for the Christmas program continues this **Wednesday, November 15**. Children ages 4 through Jr. Youth should plan to meet here from 7-8pm.

Saturday, **November 18**, there will be practice for **Jr. Youth age only**. 9:30-11am.

●**Men's Breakfast** Saturday, November 18, 8:30am at *Angel's House of Pancakes*, located in Linway Plaza. Note the new location! All men are welcome!

●**Mennonite Central Committee meat canning** in Goshen will be in Goshen January 8-12 and 15-18, 2018. Consider donating toward costs and marking your calendar to volunteer time.

●**Can You Help?** The nurse at Chamberlain Elementary is in need of "stretchy gloves". These are the small gloves that children can wear but they stretch to adult size too. She also needs sweatpants and underwear in any size. Bring donations to Cheryl's office!

Prayer Requests/Notes

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