

Rejoice always,  
pray continually,  
give thanks in all circumstances;  
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.  
(1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

## North Goshen Mennonite Church

September 30, 2018

*God, You reign*

Welcome & Call to Worship

Merv Helmuth

*My life flows on*

*My soul is filled with joy*

*Longing for light*

Hymnal: A Worship Book 580

Sing the Journey 13

Sing the Journey 54

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts

*Children Bring Cards*

*Precious Lord, take my hand*

Hymnal: A Worship Book 575

(Instrumental)

Celebrating Mark's Time with North Goshen

Elva Yoder

Margaret Metzler

Kendel Martin

Brad Graber

Fiona Yeakey

Maria & Miguel Juarez

Tim Burkholder, IN/MI Representative

"Graced, Blessed, Peaced Together" (Ephesians 3:14-21) Mark Schloneger

Congregational Litany

Marian Hostetler

"Blessings" by Laura Story

Izaete Nafziger

*May the Lord, mighty God*

(Edelwiess tune)

Hymnal: A Worship Book 435

Benediction

(Respond with: Blessed be the name of the Lord!)

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

### **Announcements**

●**Thank you** to Velma Peck for designing the bulletin cover for today.

●**MYF** will meet at Culver's at 7 PM on Wednesday.

●**Next Sunday** is our monthly food drive. Please pick up some extras this week to donate.

Here are some needs:

Pasta; Rice; Dried Beans (pinto, black, small red beans, etc.)

Vegetable Oil; Harina flour for making tortillas

Sugar; White Flour; Healthy after-school Snacks

Laundry Soap

●**Birthday & MCC offerings** will be collected next Sunday, October 7.

●**There is a need** in our church neighborhood for diapers, sizes 1 & 4. Pick up a package or two and place them under the literature boxes or give them to Izaete. Thanks!

●**Coordinating Council** meeting minutes are posted on the bulletin board after each meeting.

Minutes are also available upon request.

Let Cheryl know if you would like them emailed to you or if you would like a paper copy.

●**Announcements** for the Bulletin or Plowshare need to be given to the administrative assistant, Cheryl Beachey, on or before, the Thursday before printing. Thank You.

Thank you, to Jerry & Ruth Ann Wittrig for sharing their beautiful Dahlias with us this month!

The beautiful fall décor around the church is thanks to Santa Morales, who will be sharing her talent for visual creativity with us this year. We are grateful for her sharing that gift with us!

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oren sin cesar,  
den gracias a Dios en toda situación,  
porque esta es su voluntad para ustedes en Cristo Jesús.  
(1 Tesalonicenses 5:16-18)

*If you have a prayer concern or need, you are encouraged to contact Izaete Nafziger or one of the Elders, either after worship today or during the week.*

*Available elders are Jonathan Nussbaum, Merv Helmuth & Ruth Ann Wittrig.*

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