

Fear not, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name,
you are mine.
Isaiah 43:1

North Goshen Mennonite Church

April 14, 2019
Palm Sunday

Hosanna, praise is rising

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship

Marian Hostetler

Hosanna, loud hosanna
I stand amazed in the presence

Hymnal: A Worship Book 238
Hymnal: A Worship Book 528

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts
Once again

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

Confession & Reconciliation

Sharing & Congregational Prayer
Where have you witnessed God's work during the week?
Where is God's presence needed?

Marian Hostetler

Luke 19:28-40

Katelyn Nussbaum & Jon Yoder

"Pretending for Real"

Steve Slagel

I am thine, O Lord

Hymnal: A Worship Book 505

Benediction

Steve Slagel

It's about the cross

Our Prayers

Those unable to attend services: Warren Bontrager & Ruby Snyder, Ruby Nussbaum, Judy Yoder, Jim & Jeri Burkholder, Bill Yoder, Thelma Harley, Elroy & Alberta Troyer

Pastor Mario, Carmen and family with the Iglesia Arca de Dios, our sister church in San Martin, Mexico.

Congregational members who have lost spouses and family members.

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: Lois Chupp, Carla Crow, Nicole Blacut & Daven Molina

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

Today: Terri Yeater, Michele, Quinn & Devin Stoltzfus

Coming Events

- April 28 1-3pm Wedding Shower for Katelyn Nussbaum & Phil Hochstetler
They are registered at: Target, Bed Bath and Beyond, and
Blueprintregistry.com/registry/katelyn-philip
- April 28 6pm Spring Business Meeting
- May 5 1-3pm Wedding Shower for Grant Yoder & Rachelle Clifford
They are registered at: Bed Bath and Beyond and
theknot.com/us/grachelle (password is: grachelle2019)
- May 5 5pm Discovery Groups
- May 19 1-3pm Wedding Shower for Ross Yeater & Cassie Sweetser
They are registered at: Target and Amazon
- June 9-12 Vacation Bible School (Sunday-Wednesday)

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

Announcements

- **Discovery Groups** will meet this evening at 5pm. We will come together to discover a new possibility through new conversations we have not had before. We do not come together to negotiate interests, or problem-solve. **All are encouraged to join us!**
- **Vacation Bible School** (June 9-12, 6-8:15pm), Sign-up today to help with our program! Information is in the library area and you can speak to Bonnie Cripe or Katelyn Nussbaum. They are our VBS committee along with Ashley Unruh from East Goshen Mennonite.
- **The Community Meal** will be this Wednesday, April 17, 6pm. Bring a dish to share and join in the fellowship with our church neighbors.
- **Easter Choir!** As part of our Easter Sunday celebration this year, an Easter choir is being formed. There is one more practice: **Wednesday 4/17** here at the church at 7pm.
- **Good Friday**, April 19. There will be a service here at North Goshen beginning at 6pm.
- **Easter Breakfast** at 9am next Sunday, April 21. Join us for Easter breakfast in the fellowship hall from 9 -10am on Easter morning! Please sign up to bring pastries, fruit or juice if you are able. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board outside of the fellowship hall. All are welcome!

Worship will begin at 10:15am.

There is no Sunday School next Sunday.

●**June & July Sunday School:** Summer attendance to Sunday school is very unpredictable making it very difficult for planning purposes for classroom teachers. Nurture commission has decided that there will be **no children's Sunday school for the months of June and July**. This will provide teachers with a time to refresh, renew, and rejuvenate to be ready to meet with the kids again in August. Adult classes may decide as a class whether or not to meet over these two months. No attendance will be taken. **Please let Joan Ulrich know if you need material for these two months as soon as possible so they can be ordered.**

No temas, que yo te he redimido;
te ha llamado por tu nombre;
tu eres mio.
Isaias 43:1

*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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