

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

## North Goshen Mennonite Church

September 15, 2019

*Lay me down*

Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship

Becky Nussbaum

*God of grace and God of glory  
You are holy*

Hymnal: A Worship Book 366  
Sing the Story 34

Report from Transition Leadership Team

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts

*Children Bring MCC & Birthday Offerings*

*Desert song*

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

Genesis 27:1-23

Tessie Molina & Kathy Nofziger Yeakey

"Blessing"

Steve Slagel

Celebrating the Lord's Table

Benediction

Steve Slagel

*Love the Lord your God*

Sing the Story 55

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

### Our Prayers

**Those unable to attend services:** Elva Yoder, 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.

**Pastor Amado Morales**, church planter/evangelist to native peoples of the Sierra mountains of 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: Joan Ulrich, Bonnie Cripe, Tessa Sommers, Aaron Yeakey

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

Today: Marcos Stoltzfus, Cindy Campion, Christina Elizalde

### **Coming Events**

September 27-28	Michiana Relief Sale
October 1	Lunch Bunch at Juniper
October 6	First Sunday of the month offerings
October 10	Mennonite Women Service Day
October 12	Fall Fogata Bonfire
October 13	Second Sunday Roll Sale
October 16	Community Meal

### **Announcements**

●The Community Meal will be this Wednesday, March 21, 6pm. Bring a dish to share and join in the fellowship with our church neighbors.

●Men's Breakfast is canceled. There will not be a breakfast on Saturday, September 21. *Felix New York Style Restaurant*, has closed.

●The MCC "My Coins Count" offering will be collected each week until the Relief Sale, September 27-28.

Please help us fill up our donation jar!

●Next Sunday, September 22, Enid Schloneger will bring the message.

We will celebrate back to school milestones next Sunday also.

●Becky Helmuth and Izaete Nafziger will lead two 12-week small group discussions beginning Sunday, September 29. These discussions will provide a new way to think about conflict and hopefully help us discover that God can use our difficulties as places of transformation. Each small group will be limited to 10-12 people with one group meeting on Sunday mornings during Sunday school and the other group meeting Wednesday evenings. If you interested in learning more, plan to stay worship next Sunday for a short informational.

You can also call or email Becky with questions (574-370-0767; helmuth2112@gmail.com).

●Meals for the Behan Morillo family - Goshen Family, we can help out Erin, Robert, Francisco and Kristina while they help Nancy (Erin's mom) recover from surgery. Let's bring them some meals! Please follow this link <https://mealtrain.com/487zd7> to sign up or sign up at church on the sheet hanging on the bulletin board.

●The North Goshen Mennonite Church Year-End Financial Report for the time period of September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019 has been placed in church mail boxes. If you have any questions, please contact the Finance Commission Chair, Tim Nafziger.

●Fall Women & Girls Retreat, sponsored by-MI Mennonite Women, October 11-13, 2019 at Amigo Centre.

See the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

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 Jess Stoltzfus.*

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