Psalm 119:96 (TM) "I see the limits to everything human, but the horizons can't contain your commands!"

MT. CLINTON MENNONITE CHURCH January 28, 2024

Blessings to you this day! We welcome you to our Sunday School at 9:30. We have a combined Sunday School class that is exploring the Voices Together hymnal, and meets in the sanctuary. Children's SS classes are in the basement Sunday School rooms. Our worship service begins at 10:30. Today the Chamber Choir from Eastern Mennonite School led by Jared Stutzman lead us in our worship service.

Call to Worship & Prayer

Psalm 119:89-96

Songs

Offering

Worship in Scripture and Song
In the Beginning was the Word...

Sharing and Prayer

Announcements

Closing Song

Benediction

Worship Leader
Song Leader
Sonya Eberly
Prelude/Offertory
Worship in Scripture & Song
Eastern Mennonite School
Chamber Choir

Prayer Focus: Let us pray for all those in our church who teach or are students in the public and private schools. May they see their work as a vocation of Christian discipleship and service.

Announcements

Welcome the singers in the Chamber Choir of Eastern Mennonite School this morning and their director Jared Stutzman as they sing, read scripture and lead us in singing.

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There will be a fellowship meal following service next Sunday, Feb. 4.

Next Sunday evening, February 4 at 7 pm there is a Harmonia Sacra Sing at Strite Auditorium at the Virginia Mennonite Retirement Center

Wednesday Night Fellowship on February 14th! Details to come.

Come out to the SS class singing through the Voices Together hymn book in January and February. Bring your copy if you have one. We have loaners to use also. We will learn text and tunes/harmonies of new songs in the various sections of the hymnal.

We all can acknowledge the importance of prayer and the difficulty of praying. The Adult Sunday School class that meets downstairs will begin a study of the Psalms in March using Eugene Peterson's *Answering God: The Psalms as Tools for Prayer*. The book provides guidelines on prayer as a movement of listening to and answering God rather than solely asking God to hear our prayers. Additionally, Eugene Peterson's book emphasizes the poetic, honest nature of the Psalms in stirring people's biblical imagination and highlighting the breadth of the human condition.

There will be a joint Central District and Southern District worship service Febrauary 18 at 6 pm at Springdale Mennonite Church. The purpose for the service is to worship together and seek renewal, healing and hope.

There are hearing aids for those that desire them in our worship service. Please speak with Jim Horst or others at the computers in the sanctuary if you need this assistance.

There are printouts on the back table of reading through the Bible in a Year Schedules. This schedule is set up to read 1 of 7 varieties of scripture text each day of the week, such as History, the Law, the Gospels and so forth.

WE WANT YOU TO KNOW

January 21

Offering: Budget - \$4,333.50

WRFP - \$150.00

Attendance: Worship Service - Church 65; Zoom 7; Facebook 4; Total 76

Adult Sunday School - Total 35

Sanctuary Classroom - Church 26; Zoom, 0; Other 9

Children's Sunday School - Children 6; Adults 4

January 28 Greeter: Chuck Eberly

February 4 Greeters: Wilmer & Mary Louise Lehman

Our Vision: God calls us to be a worshiping, welcoming and united family of faith, following Jesus Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit, and ministering God's salvation, healing and hope to the local community, the nation, and the world.

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