

MT. CLINTON MENNONITE CHURCH

August 4, 2024

Campout

Greetings to each of you this morning! We meet in person at Highland Retreat to worship God together. Sunday school is canceled this morning. There is no internet or cell phone capability at Highland Retreat so today there is no Zoom or Facebook live broadcast of our service.

Here is the order of service for our worship time together at 10:00.

Opening and Prayer

Singing

Children's Lesson

Singing

Offering

Scripture

Sermon Table Fellowship in the Gospel of Luke

Sharing and prayer

Announcements

Sending song

Benediction

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| Worship Leader | Andrew Shantz |
| Song Leader | Dale and Barb Hartzler |
| Sermon | David and Rebecca Stutzman |
| Children's Lesson | Gordie Shantz |
| Scripture Readers | Chris and Martha Kratz, Jim Hershberger |

Prayer Focus: Let's give thanks to God for the many persons in our Mennonite community and others that have given time, money and talents to develop the many ministries of Highland Retreat.

Announcements

Lets welcome VMMission workers David and Rebecca Stutzman in our worship service this morning as they share with us about sharing the Gospel of Jesus in their German setting.

Park View Mennonite Women will hold an all-day comforter blitz on August 7 from 9 am - 4 pm in the fireplace room. Bring a dish to share for our noon potluck. Folks of all ages / genders from our participating churches (PVMC, Mt. Clinton, and Community) as well as others in the area are invited to join us. There will also be a table for stringing school kit bags.

Lee and Peg Martin are finishing their Mennonite Central Committee assignment in Kimball, West Virginia next month. If anyone would like to mail them a card, please do so by August 10th. Mail cards to: Lee and Peg Martin, PO Box 708, Kimball, WV 24853. Also, all are invited to attend a celebration of their service to the people of Kimball on Saturday, August 17th at 3 pm at the Houston United Methodist Church in Kimball, WV.

We will sing from some of the old hymn books used in the last 150 years in the September 29 celebration and will have several choir practices in the next weeks to prepare. Watch for an announcement of the practice times.

It's time to start collecting for My Coins Count! Plan to bring your change to add to the jug during offering time. MCC funds will go toward educational programs for special needs children in Ukraine, and VMM funds will go toward local recovery ministries.

Mennonite Women of VA invites you to register for the Women's Fall Retreat at the Marriott in Short Pump, November 8-10th this year! Enjoy time away from the business of life to spiritually connect and spend time in fellowship with other ladies. This year, LaShonda Russell will be presenting on *Embracing God's Story: A Journey of Faith, Trust, and Renewal*. To register view the brochure on the foyer table, or contact us at mwvsecretary@gmail.com. **EARLY REGISTRATION ends August 5. Invite all your sisters!**

150 Year Celebration Information

Sunday September 8th - Harmonia Sacra - 7pm

Sunday September 29th - Morning and afternoon celebration with a carry in meal

Saturday, October 26th - Pork roast, tree planting and historical sharing, 12:00 pm

WE WANT YOU TO KNOW

July 28

Offering: Budget – \$899.00

Attendance: Worship Service – Church 55; Zoom 5; Facebook 2; Total 62

Adult Sunday School – Total 29

Southwest Classroom – Church 13; Zoom 0; Other 7

Downstairs Classroom – 9

Children's Sunday School – Children 3; Adults 4

August 4 Greeters: LeVon & Cindy Smoker

August 11 Greeters: Lowell & Sharyn Tieszen

Our Vision: God calls us to be a worshipping, 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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**WELCOME TO MCMC WORSHIP
AT HIGHLAND RETREAT!**