

# NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you ordered subs from the youth/post high, they can be picked up this morning following the service in the Hospitality Center. The roses and fudge dipped strawberries will be available next Sunday morning.

If you ordered bulk sausage from Heffelfinger Meats and have not picked it up yet it can be picked up this morning following the service. Sausage is \$3.00/pound and is in 1 pound and 2 pound packages. If you have not signed up and would like some, see Mervin Kurtz.

Please remember the quizzers, Jacob and Julia Boswell, Carrie and Andrea Hamsher, and Rachael Troyer, in your prayers as they study and learn God's word. Last week the team won 1 of 5 matches, but had several close matches. Everyone is welcome to come support the Quiz team each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at Sonnenberg Mennonite Church! Today they will be quizzing over Genesis 20-22:19 & chapter 23.

Family night activities for adults and the primary department will resume again on Wednesday evening at 6:30pm.

Join us on Wednesday evening, February 14, for a special Ash Wednesday service at 6:30pm.

Sign up on the bulletin board to volunteer at Save N Serve on March 7 from 1-5pm.

Love INC will be hosting Fresh Start workshops again on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month January through April. Upcoming workshops are February 12 – God's Pure Love/Relationship Revival and February 26 – Banking, Savings & more. Anyone is welcome to attend only the workshops, but we need to let Love INC know. Childcare is provided.

Monday, February 19, from 6:30pm – 8:00pm there will be a *MEDA Women Empowering Women* gathering at New Grounds Café. Come enjoy hot drinks, light snacks and each other's company, as we hear stories from Bethany Nussbaum's recent trip to MEDA's project in Myanmar, brainstorm ways for collaborating to make a difference in poverty alleviation through MEDA and experience a day in the life of a Myanmar woman. *An RSVP to Eva Keim by Feb. 15 is encouraged ([ebkeim@yahoo.com](mailto:ebkeim@yahoo.com)) or text [330-763-4317](tel:330-763-4317).*

On Saturday, March 3, from 9am – 4pm there is A Better Way Conference at The Amish Country Theater in Walnut Creek. A Better Way exists as a nondenominational Christian organization that equips trusted adults in children's lives with the tools to recognize and respond to potential and actual child sexual abuse. Register at 330-775-7432 or [registration@abetterway.org](mailto:registration@abetterway.org). Seating is limited. There is a poster on the bulletin board and brochures on the table with more information.

Central Christian's Frohliche Dorf Show is Saturday, February 17 at 7 pm. Join us for an evening of fantastic music and fun-filled skits celebrating small-town life in Ohio and our "cheerful village" produced by Tim Shue and Brenda Troyer. Proceeds from the show help subsidize the 44-member Concert Choir's spring tour and participation in Mennonite School Council's annual choir festival. Tickets are \$14 – \$17 and may be purchased by visiting [www.ccscomets.org/events](http://www.ccscomets.org/events)

Central Christian's Annual Auction is Saturday, March 3, with breakfast starting at 7 am and the auction at 9 am. With a match of 200 percent, we guarantee this auction to be fun and successful. All dollars raised go toward Central's annual operating budget and mission of growing leaders and building the church. We are seeking creative and quality item donations from you! Print the Item Donation Form found on our website, [www.CCSComets.org](http://www.CCSComets.org) and return it to Joel Otto.

## Happy Birthday!!

Larry Wengerd, Miriam Kline, Mabel Schlabach, Earl Miller, Daniel Weaver, Marvin Kandel

### Dates to Remember:

\*\*February 7 – Family night activities resume for primary department and adults  
\*\*February 14 – Ash Wednesday service  
\*\*March 10-17 – MDS trip to LaGrange Texas  
\*\*June 3-7 – Vacation Bible School  
\*\*June 29 – July 3 – ReGen at Taylor University. See Mervin Kurtz if you are interested in attending.

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Items to be donated in February: accessories such as jewelry, hair bows, barrettes, flashlights, water bottles, watches. See the bulletin insert for a bigger list of items that you can include. There are extra inserts on the table if you would like one. *Please make sure that your items will fit in the shoebox on display in the gathering area. The shoeboxes are for children ages 2-14.* Any questions talk to Dave Schluep or Janet Shoup.

### SENIORS

Seniors meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month at *Amish Door* at 8:30am for a time of fellowship. All ages are welcome.

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

\*\*Our project is adult toothbrushes for MCC Relief Buckets. There is a basket in the gathering area for your donations. *Donations need to be here by next Sunday, February 11.*

### YOUTH & POST HIGH

\*\*February 4 – Super Bowl party at Mervin Kurtz's  
\*\*February 7 – Fun Night  
\*\*February 14 – Ash Wednesday service

### IR YOUTH

\*\*February 7 – bible study  
\*\*February 9 – Lock-in from 7pm-7am. We will have pizza and snacks at 7:30pm. Boys bring a snack, girls a 2 liter of pop, everyone bring \$5 to help cover the pizza, and sleeping bags and pillows. Feel free to bring a friend.

## This Week at the LEAF

### Today:

2:30pm Quiz Meet at Sonnenberg Mennonite  
Youth/Post High Super Bowl Party at  
Mervin Kurtz's

### Wednesday:

5:45pm Quiz team practice at the church  
6:30pm Family Night activities  
Adult Bible Study  
Kids Club  
Jr Youth Bible Study  
Youth/Post High fun night

### Friday - Saturday:

7pm-7am Jr Youth Lock-in

### PRAYER REQUESTS:

Daniel Hershberger, Les Shoup

Continued prayers for those with cancer:

Janet Shoup, Raymond Raber, Jeanie Gatti, Lee Byler,  
Nicole Wheeler, Janice Troyer, Atlee Mast and his wife

### MONGOLIA MISSIONARIES:

Laura Schlabach

### HOSPITALITY CENTER:

February – Royal & Sharon Mast

### FOR THE RECORD Sunday January 28, 2018

Offering: \$2525.00

Let's Thrive Together Campaign: \$2890.00

SS Attendance: 92 Attendance: 144

### NURSERY SCHEDULE

Sunday School: Betty Miller, Mattie Yoder

Worship: Delores Raber, Emma Hershberger

## The Mission

of LEAF is to call individuals to a growing,  
personal relationship with  
Jesus Christ by demonstrating  
His love through everything  
we do and by providing  
opportunities for Worship,  
Nurture, Fellowship and Service.



### CONTACT INFORMATION

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**Sunday School 9:00am**

**Worship Service 10:10am**

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### One Call Now: 1-877-698-3261

(Call this number to listen to the prayer chain.)

## Welcome to Longenecker Evangelical Anabaptist Fellowship



**February 4, 2018**

**Worship 10:10am**

**Prelude:** *Merlin Gingerich*

**Welcome:** *Dave Schlupe*

**Praising God in Song**

**Offering**

**Praising God in Song**

**Sharing Joys & Concerns**

**Prayer**

**Greeting**

**My Coins Count Collection**

**Scripture:** *Ps.147:1-11, 2 Cor.12:1-10*

**Message:** *"Faithfulness not Successfulness"*

*Matt Hamsher*

**Closing Song**

**Benediction**