

# NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Matt and his family will be returning this evening from their vacation.

On July 29 we are planning a baptismal service in the morning for Kyle Schlabach. There will be a carry-in following the morning service, please bring a hot and cold dish to share. If you would like to transfer your membership to Longenecker please contact Pastor Matt or Pastor Mervin.

A reminder to those who got an invitation, the cook-out is next Sunday, July 22, at 6:00pm at the Longenecker Church Pavilion. This is a thank you to all who gave of themselves and their time to teaching and interacting with the children during Sunday school and as sponsors. This is for the primary department, jr youth, youth, and young adults.

Be sure to check out the sign-up sheet for the Baskets of Blessing table at Martins Creek Mennonite from 6:45 – around 8:30pm on Monday evenings. We are in need of volunteers July 23 and each Monday in August. Thanks for your willingness to serve in this way!

Sign up on the bulletin board to volunteer at Save & Serve on Wednesday August 1 or September 5 from 1:00-5:00pm.

A note that Laura Schlabach missed putting in her last newsletter:

THANK YOU!!! to all of you who wrote encouraging words to me after my last newsletter. BIG THANK YOU!!! to all of you who have been praying for me, especially during these past several weeks of transition - a supernatural peace has been carrying me.

Blessings to all of you,  
Laura

Join Love INC's lunch & learn video study on Thursdays August 16-September 20 from 12:00-1:00pm at the Farmstead in Berlin. There will be a 10-15 video each week

with a discussion on the book "When Helping Hurts." The session will be kept to one hour so those who are working can participate over their lunch hour. See the bulletin board for more details.

Love INC is once again hosting a Back to School Celebration on August 12 at Millersburg Christian Life Center from 6-8pm. See the bulletin board for more details and ways you can get involved.

Save the Date...Love INC Fundraiser Banquet "Celebrating Each Piece of the Puzzle" will be at Harvest Ridge on September 15, 2018 from 6:00-8:00pm. (5:30-6:00 live worship, display tables & start bidding on silent auction) Mark your calendars and plan to come for an evening of live worship music, a delicious meal, Love INC testimonies and updates, special entertainment and more! Details to come!

## Relief Sale Announcements

The Relief sale is on August 3 & 4 at the Wayne County Fairgrounds. Volunteers are needed to:  
--help with train rides for the children. The rides will start at 5:00pm on Friday and then again at 9:00am on Saturday. If you can help at any time contact Les or Janet Shoup.  
--The Swiss Pantry is in need of 1 volunteer to help on Friday, August 3, from 6-9pm and then 2 volunteers' for Saturday from 12-2pm. If you can help out contact Janet Shoup.  
--help park cars on Friday evening and Saturday. Volunteers should be 16 years or older. Talk to Les or Janet Shoup if you are able to help.  
--Our church has also been asked to staff the drink stand at the Relief Sale, Friday evening and Saturday. The drinks would be provided, we would just need to pass out pop and water and receive donations. If you would be interested in helping either day, talk to Pastor Matt or Rhoda Gingerich.

The Swiss Pantry is also looking for baked items for people to purchase at the Relief Sale. Popular items are pies, cinnamon rolls, homemade bread & cookies. A list of ingredients is helpful for anyone who may have allergies. If

you have any questions or need help getting your baked goods to the sale talk to Janet Shoup.

## Dates to Remember:

- \*\*July 29 – Baptismal Service and carry-in.
- \*\*August 10-12 – Camp CHOF
- \*\*September 22 – Harvest Festival. We will be having a rib cook-off this year. If anyone is interested in making ribs, talk to Paul Schlabach. More exciting details coming!
- \*\*October 4 – Chuck Wagon Gang at 7:00pm

## Happy Birthday!!

Jeanie Gatti, Becky Raber, Janet Shoup,  
Krystal Hewitt, Lisa Miller, Gloria Winkler

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

July donations: school supplies such as pens, pencils, pencil sharpeners, markers, colored pencils, small tablets, paper, solar calculators, glue sticks, scissors, chalk, post it notes, envelopes, 6 inch ruler. *Please be sure that your items will fit in the shoebox on display in the gathering area and 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

\*\* The sewing ministries project for July and August will be school kits. Bags to place your items in, as well as extra bulletin inserts with a list of supplies needed can be picked up on the table in the gathering area. If you would rather donate money for the school kits, place your money in the box provided on the table.

## YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

- \*\*July 15 – scavenger hunt, meet at 4:00pm at the church
- \*\*July 18 – Service project
- \*\*July 25 – Bible Study

## This Week at the LEAF

### Today:

4:00pm Youth/Young Adults Scavenger Hunt

### Wednesday:

6:30pm Youth/Young Adults Service Project

8:00pm Worship Team Practice

### Saturday:

7:30am MMP Prayer Breakfast at Bruce Hummel's

### PRAYER REQUESTS:

Chris Schluep, Colton Amstutz, Donna Shattuck

Continued prayers for those with cancer:

Martin Yoder, Anna Troyer, Jeanie Gatti, Nicole Wheeler,  
Janice Troyer, Atlee Mast & wife, Janet Swisher

### MONGOLIA MISSIONARIES:

Laura Schlabach

### NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

Valentin & Judith Herrera

Melvin & Paola Mendez & family

### HOSPITALITY CENTER:

July - Fannie Mae Miller, Karen Miller

### FOR THE RECORD Sunday, July 18, 2018

Offering: \$6,593.00

Let's Thrive Together Campaign: \$ 9175.00

SS Attendance: 94 Attendance: 137

### NURSERY SCHEDULE

Sunday School: Kristin Raber, Monica Miller

Worship: Arlene Hershberger, Kristin Raber



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

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## Welcome to Longenecker Evangelical Anabaptist Fellowship



**July 15, 2018**  
**Worship 10:10 am**

**Prelude:** *Monica Miller*

**Welcome:** *Les Shoup*

**Praising God in Song**

**Offering**

**Praising God in Song**

**Sharing Joys & Concerns**

**Prayer**

**Greeting**

**Scripture:** *2 Corinthians 10:3-5*

**Message:** *"Proper Thinking"*

*Mervin Kurtz*

**Closing Song**

**Benediction**