

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Matt: Pastor Matt and his family will be leaving on vacation tomorrow, March 25, through next Sunday, March 31. If a pastoral need arises during that time please contact Pastor Mervin.

Pastoral Search Team: There was 100% approval last Sunday on the Pastoral Search Team. Please pray for the search team as they move forward.

Nicaragua Fundraisers: Stop by the table in the gathering area following the morning service to order a Nicaragua t-shirts for \$20 and Lerch's Donuts for \$8/dozen. The deadline for ordering donuts is next Sunday, March 31.

Lunch Fundraiser: Be sure to stay for lunch after the morning service on April 7, for the Youth/Young Adult fundraiser. All proceeds will go towards their SWAP mission trip to Harlan KY in July.

Hospitality Center: Please consider signing up on the bulletin board to host the Hospitality Center in April.

Save & Serve: Sign up to volunteer at Save & Serve from 1-5pm on Wednesday April 3, May 1, and June 5.

Everence Workshop: Two upcoming workshops to provide answers about Medicare and Social Security is presented by Everence Financial on Thursday, April 4, at the Everence Kidron office. *Medicare: An overview* (5:30 - 6:45 p.m.) will provide information on what's covered, the plans that supplement Medicare, and enrollment deadlines. *Social Security: An overview* (7 - 8:15 p.m.) will cover strategies to maximize your benefit, the best time to begin taking Social Security and more. Reservations are not required.

SpringHaven 2019 Summer Horse Camp: The camp will be held June 17-20th from 8:30am-12:00pm at SpringHaven, 15550 Durstine Road, Dundee for ages 8 -13. Cost is \$200.00, but if you register by April 1 the cost will be \$175.00. See www.springhaven.us and the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

Love INC Open House: Stop in to see the new Love INC Clearinghouse offices in Millersburg (same building as Love Center Food Pantry) on Thursday, April 4, from 4:00-7:00pm. More information on the bulletin board.

Camp Luz Announcements:

1) Camp Luz is hiring for their summer staff team. They are in need of counselors, cooks, housekeepers, and lifeguards. Weekly salary and matching staff scholarship for college age staff is available. More info and application can be found at www.campluz.com.

2) There are three great retreats coming up in April at Camp Luz. More info and registration forms can be found at www.campluz.com or pick up a brochure on the table by the bulletin board. Men's Retreat- April 5-7, Mother Daughter Retreat- April 12-13, and a Father Son Retreat- April 26-27.

3) Camp Luz provides Christian overnight camping programs for children for 65 years. This summer campers will learn to be **STRONG and COURAGEOUS**, based on the story of Joshua. Registration is available online. There is a \$10 early bird discount for those who register by April 15. A Campership fund is available for anyone needing assistance. Visit www.campluz.com for more information or call the camp office at 330-683-1246.

SWAP volunteers urgently needed: MCC's Sharing With Appalachia People (SWAP) program has an urgent need for volunteer groups and individuals. Make your summer plans now to join SWAP in Kentucky or West Virginia, serving with this home repair ministry while learning about life in Appalachia. Individuals or groups, including families, adults or youth can volunteer to serve for week-long opportunities. For more information visit swap.mcc.org or contact Angela Maggard at AppalachiaAdmin@mcc.org or 606-633-5065.

Happy Birthday!!

Dave Schluep, Selah Steiner, Lori Wengerd, Ted Miller

Happy Anniversary!!

Sam & Ruby Kuhns

Dates to Remember:

April 7 - Youth/Young Adult Fundraiser Lunch for their summer SWAP Mission trip to KY

April 10 - final Wednesday evening family night activities until fall. Men's and Women's group will decide about continuing to meet.

April 18 - Maundy Thursday service. A light meal will be served beginning at 6:00pm

April 21 - Easter: Sunrise service 6:30am, breakfast 7:15am and worship service begins at 9:00am. No Sunday school.

April 25 - 27 - Community Rummage Sale at Berlin Mennonite from 8:00am-4:00pm. All proceeds will benefit the Nicaraguan Missionaries.

April 28 - Matt's Farewell Sunday - Carry-in lunch.

June 7 & 8 - Church wide garage sale

June 9-13 - Vacation Bible School

June 29 & 30 - ReGenal at Kidron Mennonite and Camp Luz.

August 9,10,11 - Camp CHOF

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

March Collection: craft items, coloring books, and stickers. Remember to include items for younger children. Items are for ages 2-14. A list of items for January through April is available by the collection basket. See Janet Shoup or Matt Hamsher with questions.

SENIORS

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

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Women's Sewing Project: For this month's sewing project we will collect good quality dressmaker shears. Place your donations in the basket on the table in the gathering area. If you prefer, you may put a monetary donation in the box provided and someone else will do the shopping for you.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

**March 27 - Fun Night

**April 3 - Bible Study

**April 7 - Fundraiser Lunch for Mission Trip

**April 10 - Bible Study

**April 17 - No Wednesday evening service

**April 18 - Maundy Thursday Service

July 8-13 - SWAP trip to Harlan KY

HOSPITALITY CENTER: March - Mike & Arlene Hershberger
April -

NEW SONG FOR APRIL: Because He Lives by Matt Maher

NURSERY SCHEDULE

Sunday School: Lori Wengerd, Kristle Weaver

Worship: Krystal Hewitt, Arlene Hershberger

This Week at the LEAF

Tuesday:

All day Stitch & Share

Wednesday:

5:45-6:15pm Supper

6:30pm Family Night Activities for all Ages

8:00pm Worship Team Practice

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Freida Raber, Allen Miller, Phoebe Killy, pastoral search

Continued prayers for those with cancer:

Sam Kuhns, Martin Yoder, Jeanie Gatti, Nicole Wheeler,
Janice Troyer, Atlee Mast & wife, Janet Swisher,
Peg Kuhns, Chris Miller, Paula Dodd

MONGOLIA MISSIONARIES:

Laura Schlabach

Pray for the JCS Executive Director Search committee as they discern who the next executive director will be and Laura as she discerns what is next for her.

NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

Valentin & Judith Herrera; Melvin & Paola Mendez & family

FOR THE RECORD Sunday, March 17, 2019

Offering: \$2,827.00

Let's Thrive Together Campaign: \$345.00

SS Attendance: 59 Attendance: 123



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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One Call Now: 1-877-698-3261

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

Welcome to Longenecker Evangelical Anabaptist Fellowship



March 24, 2019

Worship 10:10 am

Prelude: *Nevin & Selah Steiner*

Welcome: *Dan Hostetler*

Praising God in Song

Offering

Praising God in Song

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayer

Greeting

Children's Church

Scripture: *Luke 13: 1-9*

Message: *"A Call To Repent"*

Matt Hamsher

Closing Song

Benediction