

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Nomination and Gifts Discernment: The gifts discernment ballot and elder nominations are being handed out today. Please take them home and prayerfully fill them out. We will be collecting them on May 19.

“Say Yes”: Today begins our “Recruitment Month” for the 2019/2020 Sunday School year. There is a table set up in the Gathering Area where you can “Say Yes” to serving in Children’s Ministry, Jr. Youth, High School and Post High programs. Please prayerfully consider where and how you might serve in these important church ministries.

Lindsey’s graduation party: Everyone is invited to celebrate Lindsey Mast’s high school graduation at the church this afternoon from 2-5pm.

CPR and First Aid Classes: We will be having a CPR and First Aid class at the church on Saturday, June 1, beginning at 1:00pm. Each class is 2 hours long and \$15 each, a total of \$30 for both classes. The CPR class will begin at 1:00pm and the First Aid class will follow. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested in taking the classes and mark whether you want to do CPR, First Aid, or both. Any questions talk to Rhoda Gingerich or Pastor Mervin.

Thank you: We would like to say thank you to our church family for the financial support and words of encouragement you have shown to us as we prepare for our trip to Nicaragua. We covet your prayers as we travel May 11-18 and as we spend time with the CFCI missionaries, see the work they do and live in their homes to experience their culture. We will be sharing our experience with you on May 26. Muchas Gracias! Les & Janet Shoup

Harvest Festival: The Harvest Festival is planned for Saturday, September 14th. The Harvest Festival team would like to encourage everyone to help with the festival this year. We would like to have some creative service items for the auction. Consider what service you could provide that may be sold to the highest bidder. The more creative, the more interest there will be. Please contact one of the team members with any questions or suggestions. This year’s Harvest Festival team are: Al Hershberger, Nelson Mast,

Paul Schlabach, Jessica Miller, Larry and Lori Wengerd and Yvonne Yoder.

Redemptive Compassion: Love INC is offering a Redemptive Compassion class on Monday evenings, May 6-June 17, from 7:00-8:00pm at Martins Creek Mennonite Church (during our Fresh Start Program). It is open to anyone interested. Call the Love INC office at 330.473.6017 to register.

Save & Serve: Volunteers are needed for Wednesday, June 5, from 1-5pm.

Vacation Bible School Announcements:

“Roar: Life is Wild, God is Good.” is June 9-13.

- Stop by the VBS table this morning to sign up for how you can help with VBS, register your children, and pick up your CD of Bible school songs. (Only one CD per family, please)

- Sunday, June 9, the kickoff supper at 5:00pm. Hot dogs will be furnished, bring a side dish to share. VBS activities from 6-8pm.

- Monday – Thursday (June 10-13) VBS activities will be from 9:00am-12noon.

- We will be collecting donations for Baskets of Blessings for the offering project.

Any questions talk to Kristle Weaver, Superintendent or Amanda Mast, Assistant Superintendent.

Gospel Echoes: Everyone is invited to join the Gospel Echoes for their annual banquet on May 8 at the Carlisle Inn in Walnut Creek. There is a lunch banquet at 11:30 and a dinner banquet at 6:30. For complimentary tickets, which are required, contact Freda Miller 540.272.5212. See the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

Happy Birthday!!

Lisa Mast, Terrell Gingerich, Mary Hostetler

Happy Anniversary!!

David & Rachel Kuhns

DATES TO REMEMBER

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

September 14 – Harvest Festival

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

May Collection: hygiene items such as toothbrush, combs, hairbrush, washcloths, Band-Aids, and soap. Remember to keep items small enough to fit in the boxes. Items are for ages 2-14. See Janet Shoup with questions. There are lists on the table for May through August collections, if you are interested in picking one up.

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

Sewing: All ladies are invited to the sewing on Wednesday, May 8, for a time of quilting and comfort knotting.

Women’s Sewing Project: This month’s sewing project is collecting good quality dressmaker shears. Place your donations in the basket provided or you may put a monetary donation in the box provided and someone will shop for you.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

**May 5 – Meeting for those going on the SWAP trip after the morning service.

**May 8 – Bible Study

**May 15- Bible Study

**May 22 – Fun Night

**May 25 – Columbus Zoo

July 8-13 – SWAP trip to Harlan KY

HOSPITALITY CENTER: May -

NEW SONG FOR MAY: Counting Every Blessing-Rend Collective

NURSERY SCHEDULE: SS: Kristin Raber, Betty Miller
Worship: Arlene Hershberger, Emma Hershberger

This Week at the LEAF

Today:

2-5pm Lindsey Mast's graduation party

Wednesday:

All Day Sewing

6:30 pm Youth/Young Adults Bible study

8:00pm Worship Team Practice

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Allen Miller, Terrell Gingerich, Les and Janet Shoup for Nicaragua trip, Pastoral search

Continued prayers for those with cancer:

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

MONGOLIA & NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

Laura Schlabach

Valentin & Judith Herrera; Melvin & Paola Mendez & family

FOR THE RECORD Sunday, April 28, 2019

Offering: \$4,980.00	Les Shoup's Trip: \$400.00
Let's Thrive: \$595.00	Love Offering: \$20.00
SS Attendance: 74	Attendance: 157



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



May 5, 2019
Sunday School 9:00 am
Worship 10:10 am

Prelude: *Monica Miller*

Welcome: *Travis Kurtz*

Praising God in Song

Offering

Praising God in Song

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayer

Greeting

My Coins Count

Read-A-Thon Recognition

Scripture: *1 Corinthians 12 & 13*

Message: "The Love Factor"

Ernie Raber

Closing Song

Benediction