

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mowing the yard for Allen and Karen Miller: See Pastor Mervin or one of the elders if you would like to volunteer to mow the yard for Allen and Karen for a week in September. A mower will be provided. If you have any questions please contact Karen at 330-231-6511.

Gifts Discernment: There are several positions that still need filled: Wednesday Evening Children's Ministry, Vacation Bible School Superintendent, and MDS Representative. If you are willing to fill any of these positions contact Pastor Mervin or one of the gifts discernment members: Dave Schlupe, Les Shoup, Helen Schlabach, and Bruce Raber.

September Sewing: Our monthly sewing is normally the second Wednesday of the month, however this month it would be the same week as the Harvest Festival. The September sewing will be held on September 18.

Business Meeting: Our annual business meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, September 25, at 6:30pm. The following departments should submit reports: Elder, Jr Youth, Library, LEAF Women's Sewing Ministry, Missions, Stitch & Share, Trustee, Vacation Bible School, Wednesday Evening Children's Program, and Worship Ministry/ Sunday Evening Program. Please email your reports to Rhoda at lmcsecretary1@gmail.com or place them on Rhoda's desk by Sunday, September 15.

Love INC: New Fresh Start classes will be on Monday evenings starting September 16, at Martins Creek Mennonite. Anyone is welcome to join. See the bulletin board for a list of classes.

Love INC Fundraising Banquet: September 28 at 6:00pm at Harvest Ridge. *Sign up today if interested, so we can let Love INC know a total that will be coming.* There is no charge for the banquet. Doors open at 5:00pm to give you a change to explore their ministry displays and check out their silent auction. This is a great opportunity for anyone interested to see how Love INC is helping our community!!

Camp Luz Fall Festival Fundraiser: the 2nd annual festival is on September 22. Activities begin at 3pm, pulled pork dinner is at 5pm and a live auction will begin at 6:30pm. The band Hometown will be providing entertainment from 5:15-6:30pm. All proceeds support the ministry of Camp Luz, which has been providing Christian Summer camp programs for 65 years. Visit www.campluz.com for more information, including a list of auction items.

Haven of Rest Banquet: on Tuesday October 8, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at the Carlisle Inn in Walnut Creek. The theme this year is "Changed Hearts. Changed Lives. One Story at a Time." This evening is a good introduction to the work that they do in Akron Ohio. There is no charge for the meal and they ask that guests be 18 or older. If you would like to attend please contact Les or Janet Shoup to make your reservation by September 22.

HopeQuest Ministries Golf Outing fundraiser: on Saturday, September 28 at The Pines Golf Club in Orrville. HopeQuest Ministries offers Christ-centered counseling/mentoring to married and engaged couples. We would like to invite you to join us for this end-of-the-season golf scramble! To register, or for more information, call Rolin at 330-439-2827. (Registration deadline is September 22.)

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 12 – make apple dumplings, beginning at 2:00

September 13 – Harvest Festival Kick-off Meal 6:30pm

September 14 – Harvest Festival

September 15 – Harvest Festival Sunday. Service begins at 10:00am with no Sunday school.

September 25 – Business Meeting at 6:30pm. This year everyone that submits a report will be responsible to also read, summarize, or share a little about his/her ministry at the business meeting.

September 27 – Ladies Craft Night at 6:30pm.

October 2 – weekly Wednesday evening family night activities begin. There will be men's and women's Bible study, as well as activities for the youth, jr youth, and primary department.

Happy Birthday!!
Norman Yoder, Eric Smith, Dan Hostetler
Happy Anniversary!!
Nelson & Bonnie Weaver

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

September Collection: games. There is a box on the table if you prefer to donate money. Remember all items must fit in the box provided and are for ages 2-14. See Janet Shoup with questions.

SENIORS

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

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Sewing Project: The project for July and August is MCC school kits. *Donations and monetary donations for this project are due today!* If you would like a list of what items are needed to fill each kit, you can pick one up by the donation basket. See Delores Raber with questions.

Fall Craft Night: Join us Friday, September 27th at 6:30pm for a ladies fall craft night! Enjoy a festive evening of crafting, fellowship, and light refreshments in the Family Life Center. If interested in attending, please RSVP to Monica Miller by texting (330)-466-7218 or by signing up on the sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board. A \$2.00 per person donation would be greatly appreciated.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

September 11 – no Wednesday evening service

September 14 – help with drink stand at the Harvest Festival

HOSPITALITY CENTER: Sept.-Mattie Yoder & Pauline Shoup

NEW SONGS: September– Rescuer by Rend Collective

NURSERY SCHEDULE: SS: Kristle Weaver, Monica Miller
Worship: Kaprice Mast, Delores Raber

This Week at the LEAF

Today: Church Reserved

Wednesday:
6:30pm Youth/Young Adult service cancelled
8:00pm Worship Team Practice

Thursday:
2:00pm make apple dumplings

Friday:
6:30pm Harvest Festival Kickoff Meal
Dennis Raber sausage provided, bring a side dish to share

Saturday:
All day Harvest Festival

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Mary Kurtz, Allen Miller, Martin Yoder, Pastoral search

Continued prayers for those with cancer:

Phoebe Killy, Paul Miller, Roy Miller, Sam Kuhns,
Jeanie Gatti, Nicole Wheeler, Janice Troyer, Atlee Mast,
Janet Swisher, Chris Miller, Paula Dodd, Sally Yoder

MONGOLIA & NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

Laura Schlabach

Valentin & Judith Herrera; Melvin & Paola Mendez & family

FOR THE RECORD Sunday, September 1, 2019

Offering: \$2,833.00 Let's Thrive: \$750.00
SS Attendance: 76 Attendance: 103



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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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



September 8, 2019
Sunday School 9:00am
Worship 10:10 am

Prelude: *Nevin & Selah Steiner*

Welcome: *Mervin Kurtz*

Praising God in Song

Offering

Praising God in Song

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayer

Greeting

Message: *"Jesus Lover of My Soul"*

Dave Schluep

Closing Song

Benediction