

February 11, 2018

WHAT IS YOUR PATH?

AMC
arthur mennonite church

TODAY'S WORSHIP CELEBRATION
10:30 am Sunday, February 11, 2018

Worship Leader: Ashley Litwiller
Music Leader: Erica Schrock **Message:** Glen Rhodes
*indicates those who are able may stand

GATHERING AS A CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY

*Gathering Song: *Together*
Welcome & Congregational Information
Call to Worship: Fundamental
Opening Prayer

PRAISING AND WORSHIPPING GOD

Children's Time
We Worship God by Presenting our Tithes & Offerings
*With Voices We Sing
Brown #372 *Living for Jesus (v.1,3)*
Brown #376 *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (v.1,2)*
Brown #349 *Trust & Obey*
Intercessory Prayer - Lamar Miller
Menno Haven Winter Retreat Sharing
Jr High and High School Youth and Sponsors

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading: Psalm 17:1-6; Romans 12:1-2
Message: "The Steps Along God's Path" Exodus 20:1-17

SENT FORTH IN THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

*Prayer of Response & Sending
*Sending Song: *Obey My Voice*

**Come forward following the service for anything
in your life that you would like prayer for.**
Have a blessed week!

WELCOME TO AMC!

*If you are a guest we look forward to meeting you
and invite you to join us again next Sunday.*

- Information about AMC is available in the literature rack near the north doors and for more information visit our website at arthurmennonite.org.
- Children are welcome in the service and buddy bags are in the foyer for their use. We also have a nursery for children 5 and under in the east basement.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES TODAY

Classes start at 9:30 a.m.

Children: Ages 2-5th Grade

West Basement

Jr High: Grades 6-8 - Youth House

Youth: Grades 9-12 - Youth House

Adult Choices:

Fell. Hall: Faith in Action

Room 1: Psalms Bible Study

Room 5: Variety of Lessons

SERMON QUESTIONS FOR THOUGHT AND DISCUSSION

- How have you viewed the Ten Commandments in the past?
As rules and regulations or as life-giving steps to a fruitful life?
- What heart issues, mind issues, mouth issues, and place issues do you need to address in your life?
- Are you taking responsibility for the things in your life? Are you repentant for missteps and sin? Are you washed in the grace of Jesus?

Going Deeper: During Lent we will be looking at what Jesus had to say in the New Testament about these Ten Commandments. Get a head start and start reading the book of Matthew.

PERSONAL WORSHIP NOTES



Outreach Our Relationships with the World

MEALS ON WHEELS

In March



March is AMC's turn to help with the Meals on Wheels program. Please take a moment today to sign up on the Outreach Board. Meals on Wheels delivers lunch Monday through Friday to members of our community that have a need. Helpers meet the driver at a local restaurant at 10:45 and delivery time takes less than an hour. If you can help, just put your name and number on the calendar.

SHOVEL SNOW!

At MCC Thrift Shop

MCC Thrift Shop is in need of someone to help shovel their sidewalk . If you are willing to donate some time on snowy mornings, please talk to Nadine Miller.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

April 6-8

Menno Haven is having a Women's Retreat April 6-8. "As I Am . . . Live in Me" will feature speaker Jane Roeschley, an associate pastor at Mennonite Church of Normal. More information is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.

READY TO RETIRE?

Everence Seminar

Everence Financial will present an informational seminar at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 15th on both Medicare and Social Security. Reps from Everence will provide instructions on how to enroll, explain your options if you continue to work and answer related questions. The seminar will be at Hawthorn Suites in Champaign. RSVP to Jennifer Birkey at 891-1417 or via email at: jennifer.birkey@everence.com



JUNIOR HIGH

Feb 18

How Do We Show Love?

Youth House @ 3pm

Arthur Mennonite Church
YOUTH

HIGH SCHOOL

TONIGHT

St. Valentine & Game Night!

Youth House @ 6pm

KEEPING UP WITH AMC

BIRTHDAY

Ryan Burdick *Wednesday*

ANNIVERSARIES!

Levi & Gloria Yoder
54 yrs. *Wednesday*

Sam & Janette Petersheim
38 yrs. *Friday*

Happy Valentine's Day
LOVE ONE ANOTHER

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Community Life Our Relationships with Each Other

BULLETIN AND BOARDS

Changes

Beginning Sunday, Feb. 25th we are going to make a few updates and changes to our Sunday bulletin and foyer bulletin boards. The printed bulletin will include less pages and shorter announcements while still keeping much of the same information. We will use the bulletin board in the lower foyer for longer announcements, and other things that need to be communicated. We will also continue to pass along information via our website and two weekly emails that are sent each week. If you have any feedback to offer once this change is made please share it with the Ministry Team or Worship Commission.

CRUISE NIGHT

Thank You!

Thanks to all those who helped make another Cruise Night a success last night.

It takes many people to organize, decorate, write skits, share their talents, and put it all together. It is always a fun night for our church family and we thank the captain for getting us home safely.



PATHFINDERS

Feb. 17th

The Pathfinders fellowship group will meet Saturday, Feb. 17th at La Cascada in Arthur at 6 p.m. for dinner and then go back to Kenny & Melissa's house for dessert and games. Talk to Melissa if you have questions.



Discipling Growing in our Relationship with Jesus

The Year of Your Bible

One of the themes at AMC in 2018 is to make this year the year of your Bible. We are listing daily Bible passages in the bulletin each week that will take you from Genesis to Revelation this year.



- Feb. 12 Deut. 6.10-25 Worship Only the LORD
- Feb. 13 Deut. 8.1-20 The LORD Cares
- Feb. 14 Deut. 16.1-8 Remembering How God Rescued His People
- Feb. 15 Deut. 26.1-11 The LORD's Share of Your Harvest
- Feb. 16 Deut. 30.1-20 Choose Life
- Feb. 17 Deut. 32.1-43 The Song of Moses
- Feb. 18 Josh. 1.1-9 Joshua Becomes Israel's Leader



Administration Developing & Coordinating our Relationships

CHURCH SECRETARY Transitions

Church secretary Melissa Schrock has been hired as the new administrative assistant at ALAH High School. In the weeks ahead she will be transitioning into that new role and out of her role at AMC. We thank Melissa for the wonderful job she has done the past 9 years in this part-time position and we wish her the best in her full-time job. The Administration Commission and Ministry Team will be in discussions about this transition as far as the church office and staff is concerned. Please keep them in your prayers.

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance	
Worship Celebration	109
Christian Education	47
Offering	
General Offering	\$3,034
Primary Dept. Mission Offering	
2017 Total	\$405.19

REMINDERS

- Nursery
- Today:** Lamar & Karen M.
- Feb. 18:** Gary & Ashley M.
- Visitor of the Week:** Lela R.
- Arthur Home Service - Feb. 25th**
- Andy Marner
- Fellowship Meal - March 25th**
- Zeb & Kendra Hughes
- Vernon & Irlene Chupp
- Tim Mast / Chris Mast



Worship Our Relationship with Jesus

ARTHUR HOME SVC.

Tuesday,
Feb. 13th

Lamar Miller and the Legacy fellowship group will be helping with the Arthur Home Service this Tuesday night, Feb. 13th. Others are welcome to join in and be a part of this service that blesses the residents. Meet at the Arthur Home shortly before 6 p.m. that night.

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Kim Kauffman - Had another surgery in Ohio this past week.
- Duane Oye - Having heart surgery in St. Louis this Wednesday.
- Caleb Lane - Health. Has been having pain in hip and legs.
- Nancy Kuhns mother Norma Dolan - Fell and broke hip recently
- Pray for all those families who have lost loved ones recently.
- Ben Miller - Chemo treatments continue.
- Southern Baptist pastor Doug Davis - Broke leg falling on ice.
- Adriene Lane - Serving in Ecuador with World Teach

PRAYERS FOR OUR WORLD

- Pray for safety at Olympics in South Korea this month.
- Pray for the situation in Myanmar. Genocide and refugee exodus.
- Pray for all nations and their leaders.
- Pray for the Middle East and ongoing conflicts.
- AMC supported missionaries.
- Pray over the ongoing situation with North Korea.



AMC's VISION

By 2022, Arthur Mennonite Church will be a courageous people guided by God to rely on Christian practices and to deepen our intergenerational relationships. We will use a spectrum of spiritual gifts and embrace our welcoming atmosphere to show God's love through our actions and fearlessly share his gospel with words.

Grow Like Mary, Serve Like Martha

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today	9:30 a.m.	Christian Education
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration
	6:00 p.m.	High School Youth
Tues., Feb. 13	6:00 p.m.	Arthur Home Service
	7:00 p.m.	Administration Commission Mtg.
Wed., Feb. 14	8:15 a.m.	Breakfast Club
Thurs., Feb. 15	3-5:00 p.m.	Coffee & Conversations
Sat., Feb. 17	6:00 p.m.	Pathfinders
Sun., Feb. 18	9:30 a.m.	Christian Education
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration
	3:00 p.m.	Jr. High Youth
	6:00 p.m.	High School Youth

SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK



Homebuilders fellowship group on their real cruise last week:

(left to right) Darrel, Janet, Sandy, Nancy, Ervin, Dory, Larry K., Larry H., Deb, Sherryl, Janette, Sam, Cliff, Kathy, Larry, Pat, Karen and DuWayne.

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