

November 28, 2021

Advent

A SEASON OF EXPECTATION

AMC
arthur mennonite church

710 East Park Street // Arthur, Illinois 61911 // 217-543-2781

Welcome!

First-time Guests

- We are glad you are here!
- Need more info about AMC?
Please speak with a member of the AMC ministry team
- Nursery is available for children ages 5 and under.
- Buddy bags for older children are available in the foyer.
- Large print hymnals are available.

WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

Worship singing begins at 10:25 a.m.

CHRISTIAN EDU 9:30 A.M.

ADULTS

Uraimov's Sharing in Sanctuary

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH (GRADES 9-12)

Uraimov's Sharing in Sanctuary

JR HIGH YOUTH (GRADES 6-8)

Uraimov's Sharing in Sanctuary

PRIMARY KIDS (AGE 2—GRADE 5)

Gospel Light ~ West Basement

AMC's VISION

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

CONNECT



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Services are streamed on Facebook Live each Sunday morning at 10:25.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Erica Schrock

MINISTERS

All of Jesus' Followers here at AMC

MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes (Team Leader)

Discipling & Worship

Jeff Marner: *Administration & Youth*

Nancy Kuhns: *Community Life*

Emily Kauffman: *Outreach*

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance

Worship Celebration	121
Christian Education	43

Offering

Total Offering Nov. 21	\$3,675
<i>*all for General Fund</i>	

2021 Weekly Goal \$4,585

2021 Budget Goal YTD + 3.5%

Tithes & Offerings can be placed in the boxes at the back of the Sanctuary or online through the church app or website.

No Arthur Home services at this time.

REMINDERS

Nursery

Today: Nancy P. & Olivia G.

Next Sunday: Brittney & Michael Y.

Fellowship Groups (Organizers for November)

Pathfinders: Kenny & Melissa S.

Legacy: Glen & Rhonda R.

Homebuilders: DuWayne & Karen M.

Care 'n Share: Nov. - Jan.

Levi & Glo Y., Floyd & Anna Mary B., Sarah Storm



CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome the Uraimov's to AMC

Ravshan & Lisa Uraimov are with us this morning to share about their mission work in various places around the world. They will share at 9:30 am in the sanctuary and also be sharing during the morning worship service. Welcome Ravshan and Lisa!

First Sunday Of Advent

Today is the first Sunday of Advent. During this advent season we will be celebrating the themes of Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love. Today's theme is Hope. "Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength." Isaiah 40:31



Desserts For Community Meals

The third Wednesday of each month is AMC's turn to provide desserts for the Methodist Community Meals. Please help out with this by signing up on the bulletin board. Details on sheet.

Care N Share Fellowship Group

The Care N Share Christmas Dinner will be held on Friday, December 3rd. The cost is \$13 per person. Sign up on the bulletin board today. Contact Gloria Y., Sarah S. or Anna Mary B. for more information.

Fellowship Meal Next Sunday

Next Sunday is our First Sunday Fellowship Meal for December. Bring a dish to share and stay after worship for wonderful food and fellowship.

Grocery Shower Next Sunday

We are having a grocery shower next Sunday for newlyweds Jamison & Cheyenne Miller. Bring a bag of groceries and/or cards to bless this couple. Table will be in fellowship hall.

Cong. Meeting Next Sunday

The final meeting of 2021 will be held after the fellowship meal next Sunday at 1:00 pm in the sanctuary. The budget, GDCC affirmations, the new vision, sabbatical, and many other commission items will be covered. Plan to join us for this important meeting.

Sign Up For Christmas Poinsettias

You can now sign up for a poinsettia to decorate the sanctuary and foyer this Christmas. These can be in Memory of a loved one or you can just take one home after the service on Dec. 26. They will be \$12 each. Please put your money with name in the secretary box.

Community Life Forms

Please take time to fill out the response forms for fellowship meals and funeral dinners that were in boxes last Sunday. Extra forms are available on the table in the foyer.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays This Week

DuWayne Miller	Monday
Henry Herschberger	Wednesday
Jake Chupp	Thursday
Sandy Snyder	Friday

Anniversary This Week

Delmar & Linda Schrock	Monday
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YOUTH

Junior High

Christian Ed at Youth House	9:30am
Next Meeting: Dec. 12	3-5pm

High School

Christian Ed at Youth House	9:30am
Next Meeting: December 1	7:00 pm

EVENTS

TODAY

Christian Ed. Classes	9:30am
Worship (Uraimov's)	10:25am

Tuesday

Worship Comm. Meeting	6:00pm
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Wednesday

High School Youth	7:00pm
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Thursday

Explore Life Group	7:00pm
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Friday

Care N Share Christmas	5:30pm
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Next Sunday

Christian Ed. Classes	9:30am
Worship (2nd Advent)	10:25am
Fellowship Meal/Shower	11:45am
Cong. Meeting in Sanctuary	1:00pm

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Today's Message: "How The Gospel Is Changing the 10-40 Window"
Message by Ravshan & Lisa Uraimov

Worship Service

Join us on-site or on Facebook Live: 10:25am
* Please stand if you are able

Songs of Praise and Worship

You Are Salt For The Earth (BL226)
Together

*Welcome & Prayer

**Father Of Creation*
**Let It Be Said Of Us*
**Build Your Kingdom Here*

Announcements

Words of Worship

Children's Time

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Reading

Psalm 2

*Intercessory Prayer

Message

The Gospel & The 10-40 Window
Missionaries Ravshan & Lisa Uraimov

*Sending Prayer

Prayer List



CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Those trying to heal from illness/covid
- AMC Vision Team (New Vision in 2022)
- Amanda Chupp (Healing, knee surgery)
- AMC GDCC (Gift Discernment process)
- Kendra Hughes (Due date is Nov. 30)
- Wayne King Family (Wayne's passing)
- Michelle Schrock (Cancer/chemo free)
- Henry Herschberger (was in hospital)
- Lonnie Plank (Healing/had leg surgery)
- Esther Yoder (Brother Nelson passed)

NATION & WORLD



- Afghanistan situation
- Christian Aid Ministries missionaries kidnapped in Haiti
- AMC supported Missionaries
- Families in Wisconsin parade tragedy
- Economic/Worker situation in U.S.
- Disagreements over mandates/laws
- Worldwide pandemic

AMC Snapshot



Youth Leader Jeff Marner, helping Simon Kauffman and Jamin Caskey put their handprints on the walls at the youth house.

Keeping Up With AMCers!

- Praise! Michelle Schrock is all done with her chemo treatments and is cancer free. Continue to pray for Michelle in the days ahead.
- Jeff & Jenni Marner's family were visiting Jeff's side of the family in Iowa over Thanksgiving.
- Glen & Rhonda Rhodes were in Texas with Glen's side of the family over Thanksgiving. They are driving home today.

Just
For
Fun

What's the best way to stuff a turkey?
Feed him lots of pizza and ice cream

