

April 24, 2022



INTO THE WILD

FINDING GOD IN THE WILDERNESS

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

Liberation Fellowship Hall

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH (GRADES 9-12)

Explore: Philippians, Colossians, Philemon
Youth House

JR HIGH YOUTH (GRADES 6-8)

Talking With God Youth House

PRIMARY KIDS (AGE 2—GRADE 5)

Gospel Light West Basement

AMC'S NEW VISION

"NURTURE THE FUTURE CHURCH"

By 2027, Arthur Mennonite Church will become a community of children and adults who build deeper relationships with each other. We will guide our children to learn God's Word and know Jesus personally. Opportunities for the spiritual growth of all ages will be provided as we boldly share God's love to the world.

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	152
Christian Education	48

Offering

Total Offering Apr 17	\$4,210
*General Fund - \$4,110	
*Youth Fund - \$100	

2022 Weekly Goal \$4,719

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

REMINDERS

Nursery

Today: Brittney & Michael Y.

Next Sunday: Heather & Alex W.

Fellowship Meal For May 1

DuWayne & Karen M., Karen L., Jamison & Cheyanne M., Ashley Stone, Tony Pearsall

Fellowship Groups (Organizers for April)

Pathfinders: Ed & Joanna Y.

Legacy: Matt & Jacque L.

Homebuilders: Cliff & Kathy Y.

Care 'n Share: February - April

Carol Y., Delilah E., Sarah S., Lela R., Phyllis K.



CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion Shared Today!

We are sharing the Lord's Supper today during worship. Please be in prayer and preparation for this time of remembering Christ's sacrifice for us on the cross of Calvary. We will come forward to receive the bread and cup.

AMC Family Fun Night Coming

The Community Life Commission is planning an AMC family fun night in place of Cruise Night this year. This fun event will take place on Saturday, June 4th at Penn Station in Arthur. Pre-dinner appetizers & fellowship will begin at 5:00 pm with dinner at 6:00. Entertainment for the evening will be The Ryan & Friends Christian Ventriloquist Show from Ephrata, PA. Tickets (\$15) will be available in the foyer on May 1, 8, & 15. We want all to be able to attend so if finances are a problem please see Vera Yoder.

SAGA Conference at AMC

The Swiss Anabaptist Genealogical Association (SAGA) is going to hold their annual meeting here at AMC this Saturday, April 30. Anyone can attend but you need to register. See the information on the bulletin board. The AMC Community Life Commission will be serving them snacks and lunch during the day as a fundraiser.

Fellowship Meal Next Sunday

It's that time again. Time for our First Sunday Fellowship meal in May. Bring a dish to share next Sunday and stay after worship for great food and fellowship as always.

Mothers Day Salad Supper Change

Due to other conflicting events on the original date, Mother's Day (Ladies) Salad Supper will now be held on Saturday, May 14 beginning at 5:30pm. This will be a carry-in salad supper with a program to follow. There will also be some children friendly food items provided. Bring your moms and daughters as we celebrate Mother's Day. All AMC ladies are invited and encouraged to attend.

LMC Leadership Assembly in PA

Glen Rhodes will be attending the LMC Church Leadership Assembly at the end of this week with other pastors from the Great Lakes West District. It is being held in Willow Street, PA. Pray for good meetings and safe travels.



BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthday This Week

Colby Herschberger	Monday
Galen Tully	Tuesday

Anniversaries This Week

Justin & Tiffany Grimsley	Today
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YOUTH

Junior High Youth

Christian Ed at Youth House	9:30am
Next Gathering: May 1	3:00pm

High School Youth

Christian Ed. at Youth House	9:30am
Next Gathering: Tonight	7:00pm

EVENTS

TODAY

Christian Ed. Classes	9:30am
Worship (Communion)	10:25am
HS Youth	7:00pm

Wednesday

AMC Ladies B-fast at Yoders	8:30am
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Thursday

Explore Life Group	7:00pm
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Friday

LMC Leadership Assembly	In PA
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Saturday

SAGA Conference at AMC	All Day
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Next Sunday

Christian Ed. Classes	9:30am
Worship	10:25am
First Sunday Fellowship Meal	11:30am
JH Youth	3:00pm
HS Youth	7:00pm

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Today's Message: "Itchy Ears & A Good Doc" 2 Timothy 4:1-8
Message by Glen Rhodes, Minister of Discipling & Worship

Worship Service

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

Songs of Praise and Worship

River of Life

Great Are You Lord

*Call To Worship

**Guide My Feet (BL546) v. 1,3,5*

**It Is Well With My Soul (BR493) v. 1,2,4*

**Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone*

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Children's Time

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Reading

Psalm 118:1-14; John 20:19-22

*Intercessory Prayer

Message "Itchy Ears & A Good Doc"

Communion

*Prayer of Response

A Ministry Team member will be at the front of the church for prayer following the service!

Keeping Up With AMCers!

- Jake & Maranna Chupp are spending some time this month in Arizona with their family. They sent this picture to us from the southwest desert.



- Logan Schrock hit his first home run last week in a baseball game in Ivesdale. Great job Logan! Many more to come in the future.

Thank You!

We would like to thank everyone for all of the diapers and gifts we received for Eve! We are grateful to be a part of such a thoughtful & generous church family.

- Zeb, Kendra, Emma & Eve Hughes

Prayer List

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Larry Beachy (Health)
- Sarah Storm (Hip surgery/healing)
- Valerie Carter (Jackie's mom, health)
- Jacque Lane & Family (Father passed)
- Ray Shunk (Health, back home now)
- Marla Kauffman (foot surgery May 2)
- Henry H. & Esther Y. (Arthur Home)
- Dee Kuhns (Carriage Crossing, Arcola)
- Families with loved ones who passed.
- Rena Herschberger (Cancer)

NATION & WORLD

- Pray for culture/morals in the U.S.
- Peace between Ukraine & Russia
- Ukraine refugees fleeing the country
- AMC supported Missionaries
- Afghan refugees and those left behind
- Worldwide pandemic

AMC Snapshot



Congratulations to Denton Marnier who recently earned his Boy Scouts Arrow of Light award to move from Cub Scouts to Boy Scouts.