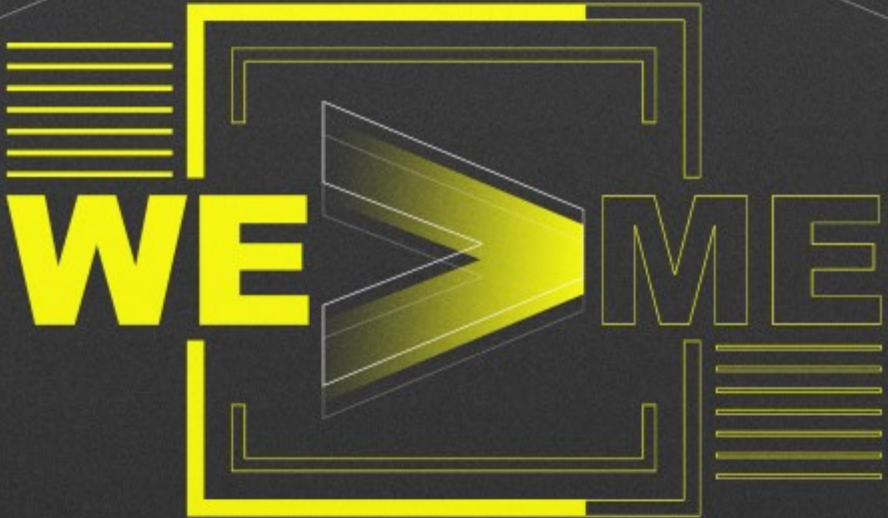


JANUARY 22, 2023

CHRISTIAN UNITY SUNDAY



TOGETHER WE CAN DO MORE

AMC
arthur mennonite church

By 2027, Arthur Mennonite Church will become a community of children and adults who build deeper relationships with each other.

AMC'S VISION
NURTURE THE
FUTURE CHURCH

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.

Welcome to AMC!

Are you a first time guest? We're glad you're here!

Nursery is available for children ages 5 and under. Buddy bags for older children are available in the foyer at the back of the sanctuary.

GET CONNECTED



arthurmennonite.org
arthurmennonite@gmail.com



CONTACT US

MINISTERS

All of Jesus' Followers here at AMC

MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes (Team Leader):
Discipling & Administration
Jeff Marner: *Worship & Youth*
Nancy Kuhns: *Community Life*
Emily Kauffman: *Outreach*

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Erica Schrock

710 E. Park St, Arthur, IL 61911
217.543.2781



GET INVOLVED

CHRISTIAN ED. CLASSES 9:30 A.M. EACH SUNDAY

ADULTS

FELLOWSHIP HALL

Chosen, Not Choice

PRIMARY KIDS (AGE 2—GRADE 5)

WEST BASEMENT

Gospel Light

JR HIGH YOUTH (GRADES 6-8)

YOUTH HOUSE

Knowing Jesus, Trusting God

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH (GRADES 9-12)

YOUTH HOUSE

Explore: John

YOUTH GATHERINGS

JUNIOR HIGH

*Next Meeting:
Sunday, February 5*

HIGH SCHOOL

*Next meeting:
next Sunday at the Youth House*

ASK ABOUT LIFE GROUPS!

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Already One" Isaiah 1:1-17

Pastor Bob Silvanik, Vine Street Christian Church

CHRISTIAN UNITY SUNDAY



Today's Worship Service

Join us on-site or on Facebook Live
starting at 10:25am

Songs of Praise and Worship

God So Loved

Come Thou Fount (BR2)

Call To Worship

*Sing Wherever I Go

*Through Christ In Me

*I Love To Tell the Story (BR297)

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song Of Worship

All My Hope

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Readings

Psalms 134 | Galatians 3:23-29

*Intercessory Prayer

Message

Sending Song

May the Lord Go With You

Closing Prayer

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

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance

Worship Celebration	85
Christian Education	29

Offering

Total Offering Jan 15 \$4,726

*General Fund - \$4,626

*Building Fund - \$100

2023 Weekly Goal \$5,055

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

AMC SNAPSHOT



Kenny, Erica, and
their kids, along with
Deb M., enjoyed
vacation with
Galen & LeAnne T.
in Orange Beach, AL
this past week. Deb
even found the
perfect shirt!

PRAYER REQUESTS

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Nadine Miller (health issues, healing)
- Glen Rhodes' Family (Mother passed away)
- John Yoder (back home, health)
- Ray Kauffman Family (Gary K.'s uncle passed)
- Ed (Katie Ann) Yoder Family (passed away)
- Mary Alice (Herschberger) Yoder Family
(former member of AMC passed away)
- Sherryl Herschberger (in hospital, health)

NATION & WORLD

- flooding & tornadoes in the U.S.
- inflation & economic situation
- peace & reconciliation within families
- peace between Ukraine & Russia
- Christians to live in truth & grace
- AMC supported Missionaries

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



**THIS
WEEK**

TODAY
Christian Unity
Sunday
9:30am:
CE Classes
10:30am: Worship
Celebration
JH Youth return
from Winter Retreat

TUESDAY
3-5pm:
Coffee &
Convo at
Roselens

WEDNESDAY
8:30am:
Ladies' Bfast at Yoders

SATURDAY
6:00pm: Legacy
Fellowship Group

NEXT SUNDAY
9:30am:
CE Classes
10:30am: Worship
Celebration
7pm:
HSYouth at
Youth House

Today is Christian Unity Sunday

This morning we are celebrating Christian Unity Sunday around the world with an Arthur Ministerial Association Pulpit Exchange. We welcome Pastor Bob Silvanik from Vine Street Christian Church who will bring the message here at AMC today. Glen Rhodes will be bringing the message at the Arthur First Baptist Church today. May we always celebrate and encourage unity among the followers of Jesus.



2023 AMC Directory Update

We will again be printing a non-picture church directory this year. Rough drafts will be on a table in the church foyer starting today through the month of January. Please make changes to your info, or mark "OK" if we got it all correct. We want to keep everyone connected!

Thank You!

The AMC Administration Commission would like to thank you all for your generous tithes, offerings, and giving to AMC in 2022. We ended 15.8% *above* our budget goal for the year. What a blessing!

February AMC Church Retreat

Join us for an AMC Family Church Retreat on Feb. 24-26 at Menno Haven Camp & Retreat Center. This retreat will be focused on rest, renewal, relaxation. **There will be no cost for lodging or food.** We will have an organized game on Saturday, along with a Sunday worship time, but otherwise the weekend will be open for whatever you or your family would like to do. There will not be a worship service here in Arthur on February 26. Sign up today in the foyer.

Sanctity of Life Month

January is Sanctity of Human Life month. Choices pregnancy & health centers have sent flyers about this which are in your mailboxes today. It takes a community to protect & celebrate the sanctity of human life. Love never fails!

We would like to thank our church family for the wonderful cards and gifts we received at Christmas time. We also want to say a special thank you to the AMC Christmas Carolers.

~ Ed & Edna Gíngerich

5th Sunday Offering & Fundraiser

The AMC Administration Commission is starting a fundraiser for new playground equipment for the playground area on the church grounds. In the next 4 months we would like to raise \$15,000 for this project. If you would like to donate toward this please note that when you give in the offering. The 5th Sunday offering on Sunday, January 29 will also go towards this fundraising effort. We hope to have some new equipment by this summer.

Annual Super Bowl Subs Fundraiser

It's that time of year to order your sub sandwiches from AMC Youth! They are \$7 each. This fundraiser is a great way to support our HS and JR Youth. Order yours today!



REMINDERS

Nursery:

Today: Michelle & Madison S.

Next Sunday: Olivia G. & Kendall B.