

JANUARY 8, 2023

12 STONES LEST WE FORGET



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
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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

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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

*Today at 3:00pm
at Youth House*

HIGH SCHOOL

*Today at 7:00pm
at Youth House*

ASK ABOUT LIFE GROUPS!

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"12 Stones" Joshua 4:1-9

Glen Rhodes, Minister of Administration & Discipling

Today's Worship Service

Join us on-site or on Facebook Live
starting at 10:00am

Songs of Praise and Worship

*For the Beauty Of the Earth (BR343)

*Be Thou My Vision (BR382)

Call To Worship

*Father of Creation

*God, You Reign

*Who You Say I Am

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Children's Time

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Readings

Psalm 145:1-8 | Hebrews 12:1-3

*Intercessory Prayer

Message

Sending Song

O Praise the Name

Closing Prayer

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

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance

Worship Celebration	57
Christian Education	13

Offering

Total Offering Jan 1 \$4,190

*General Fund - \$4,140

*Building Fund - \$50

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.

Thank You!

Thank you to our wonderful
AMC church family for the
prayers, messages, texts,
flowers, and love shown to
us during the passing of
Glen's mother Laura in
New Mexico last week.
Your continued prayers
are appreciated.

- Glen & Rhonda Rhodes

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Glen Rhodes' Family
(Glen's mother, Laura, passed away)
- John Yoder (health, healing)
- Ray Kauffman Family (Gary K.'s uncle passed)
- Sherryl Herschberger (relief from pain)
- Rodebaugh Family (lost everything in house
fire and welcomed newborn baby this week)
- Kenny Bontrager (brain tumor)
- Esther Y. (Arthur Home)
- Dee K. (Carriage Crossing in Arcola)

PRAYER REQUESTS

NATION & WORLD

- Inflation & Economic situation
- violence in our communities
and throughout our country
- Damar Hamlin (NFL player injured)
- peace between Ukraine & Russia
- AMC supported Missionaries

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



**THIS
WEEK**

TODAY

9:30am: CE Classes
10:30am: Worship Celebration
Noon: Fellowship Meal

3:00pm: JRYouth
7:00pm: HSYouth

TUESDAY

3-5pm: Coffee & Convo at Roselens
5pm: Ministry Team Meeting

WEDNESDAY

8:30am: Ladies' Breakfast at Yoders

THURSDAY

7pm: Admin. Commission Meeting

FRIDAY

HSYouth leave for Winter Retreat

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30am: CE Classes
10:30am: Worship Celebration

HSYouth return from Winter Retreat

Fellowship Meal Today

We hope you will stay and join us for our Fellowship Meal following the worship service, even if you forgot a dish to share. There is always plenty of food and great conversation!

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, and relaxation. There will be no cost for lodging or food. We hope you and your family will plan to join us! We need to know numbers by January 29th, so please sign up soon on the bulletin board. More details coming soon!



MDS IL Unit Volunteers Needed

Earlier this year, there was flooding in St. Claire County. The IL Unit needs volunteers to help with the response. Work will include mucking out, framing, drywall, painting, etc. Volunteers who can spend a couple days or a week helping with the project are needed, but the biggest need is to fill volunteer leadership positions. This includes project director, project coordinator, and crew leaders. If you are able to volunteer, speak with Lamar Miller soon.

12 Stones Devotional Book

The 13-week object lesson devotional project that Glen & Rhonda Rhodes worked on as a part of their sabbatical this past summer is now printed and in your mailboxes. Some extra copies are also available on the table in the foyer.

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!

Christian Unity Sunday

On Sunday, January 22, AMC will be celebrating Christian Unity Sunday with an Arthur Ministerial Association Pulpit Exchange. Pastor Bob Silvanik from Vine Street Christian Church will give the message here at AMC. Glen Rhodes will be bringing the message that Sunday at First Baptist Church. We hope you will join us for this special Sunday to worship and fellowship with our other brothers and sisters in Christ in our community!

Just For Fun

My new year's resolution is to read more. So, I've permanently turned on the TV subtitles.

RE M I N D E R S

Fellowship Meal Helpers Today:

Ryan & Kat B, Gary & Dorothy K, Lynn M, and Michelle Schrock

Nursery:

Today: Harold Y. & Jackie C.

Next Sunday: Zeb & Kendra H.