

JANUARY 21, 2024

love like  
**Jesus**

1 JOHN 4:19

**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.

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CONTACT US

## MINISTERS

All of Jesus' Followers here at AMC

## MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes (Team Leader):

*Discipling & Administration*

Nancy Kuhns:

*Community Life and Worship*

Emily Kauffman:

*Outreach*

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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GET  
INVOLVED

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

**ADULTS**

**FELLOWSHIP HALL**

*Faith That Pleases God*

**PRIMARY KIDS (AGE 2—GRADE 5)**

**WEST BASEMENT**

*Gospel Light*

**JR HIGH YOUTH (GRADES 6-8)**

**AND**

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH (GRADES 9-12)**

**AT YOUTH HOUSE**

*Exploring the Book of John*

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**ASK ABOUT LIFE GROUPS!**

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**AMC YOUTH GROUP**  
**JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL**

**Junior High Winter Retreat at Camp  
Menno Haven this weekend!**

**Next Youth Gathering:**  
**Next Sunday**

The next youth event will be a combined gathering with Sunnyside Mennonite's youth in the gym at Sunnyside at 5:30 pm for games, food, and fellowship.

# TODAY'S MESSAGE

“Love Over Hate” 1 John 3:11-24

Glen Rhodes, Minister of Discipling & Administration

## Today's Worship Service

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

### Songs of Praise and Worship

10,000 Reasons

Take My Life and Let It Be (BL389)

### \*Call To Worship

\*The Lord Is By My Side

\*Hymn Of Heaven

\*Standing On the Promises (BR271)

### Welcome & Announcements

#### Opening Prayer

#### Children's Time

#### Tithes & Offering Prayer

#### Scripture Readings

Luke 6:27-31 | 1 Corinthians 13:1-7

#### \*Intercessory Prayer

#### Message

#### Song Of Response

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 80

C.E. Classes 36

### Offering

Total Offering - Jan. 14 \$1,655

\*all for General Fund

2024 Weekly Goal \$4,911

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

## AMC SNAPSHOT



It's that time of year when  
many AMCsers are in Florida.  
Nancy Kuhns was able to  
celebrate her birthday there  
this week with many of them!  
Happy Birthday, Nancy!

## CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Dee Kuhns family (passed away on Monday)
- Peter Kauffman (infection in leg, healing)
- Bernadine Yoder (procedure on leg)
- Judy Beachey (cont. healing following stroke)
- Denny Binion family (passed away)
- Cory Kauffman (healing, torn achilles)
- DuWayne Miller (healing)
- Michelle S. & Kevin E. (Engagement)
- Elva Gingerich family (Ed's brother passed)
- Lonnie Plank (Surgery, healing for leg/foot)
- retired pastor Leroy Allison (cancer)
- Esther Yoder (Arthur Home)

## NATION & WORLD

- Wars in Israel, Gaza & Ukraine (Peace)
- Revival & people turning back to God
- Families/Marriages/Children/Seniors
- AMC supported Missionaries  
Prknovi's in Czech Republic  
Wigginton/Bravo's in Ecuador  
Birkey's in Arizona  
Shelby Fredrick  
(NC State Mission)

## PRAYER REQUESTS

# CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**THIS  
WEEK**

## TODAY

9:30am:  
CE Classes

10:30am:  
Worship

AMC JHYouth  
return from  
Winter Retreat

## MONDAY

6pm: Discipling Comm. Meeting

## TUESDAY

6:30pm: Ministry Team Meeting  
7:30pm: GDCC Meeting

## WEDNESDAY

8:30am: Ladies' Breakfast  
7pm: Explore Life Group

## NEXT SUNDAY

9:30am:  
CE Classes

10:30am:  
Worship

5:30pm: AMC Youth  
at Sunnyside

## Youth Super Bowl Sub Orders

Order from any youth or call the church office with your order. The youth will be taking orders in the foyer today. Subs are \$8 this year and will be made for pickup on February 11. The last day for orders will be February 4.

Support our youth and enjoy delicious sub sandwiches again this year!



## 2024 Church Directory

Don't forget to check your info on the rough drafts in the church foyer. Please make necessary changes to your info, or mark "OK" if we got it all correct. We would like to finalize all information by the end of January.

## Arrangements for Dee Kuhns

A dear sister in our church and servant of the Lord passed away this past Monday in Dee Kuhns. She has been such a big part of this church family for many years. Please keep her husband Willis, her two boys J.D. and Mark, and their extended family in your prayers. Here are the arrangements.

Visitation - Today at AMC 2-4 & 6-8pm

Celebration of Life Service - Monday at AMC at 10:00am with meal to follow.

## Winter Retreat

Pray for the four AMC Junior High Youth that are at the Menno Haven Winter Retreat this weekend. Pray for safe travels, relationship building, and a wonderful time of growing in their faith. Thank you to Drew & Courtney Gingerich who took them in the church van and are the sponsors this weekend.

## Fellowship Food Assistance

During last Sunday's fellowship meal a suggestion was made to have a table in the foyer on fellowship meal Sunday's for seniors to put their food on so that they don't have to carry them up the stairs. We agree; thank you for this great suggestion. The fellowship meal workers will then move the food up to the kitchen as items show up on the table. Hopefully this will help seniors and others who need this assistance.

## Mission Trip Fund - Kendall Burdick

We have had some donations come through the church offering recently for Kendall Burdick's mission trip support for this summer. We have set up a special account for these funds until they are needed for her trip. You can also donate directly to Kendall by putting a check in their mailbox. If you put your donation with your offering envelope please make the check to Arthur Mennonite Church, but notate Kendall's name on the special designation line.

*Someone ripped the 5th month out my new 2024 calendar! I'm dismayed!*

**LOL**

*I choked on a carrot today and all I could think of was, 'I bet a donut wouldn't have done this.'*

## RE M I N D E R S

**Visitor this week:** Levi Yoder

**Nursery:**

**Today:** Alexis H. & Evonda Y.

**Next Sunday:** Jory & Natalie B.