

MARCH 10, 2024

CHRIST AMONG US!

LENT 2024

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



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CONTACT US

MINISTERS

All of Jesus' Followers here at AMC

MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes (Team Leader):

Discipling & Worship

Nancy Kuhns: *Community Life*

Emily Kauffman: *Outreach*

Les Helmuth: *Administration*

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Erica Schrock

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GET
INVOLVED

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

ADULTS

FELLOWSHIP HALL

Fullness Of Faith

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

Genesis 20-50

AMC YOUTH GROUP
JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Next Gathering: Today at 5pm
Prairie Land Tumbling & Trampoline
(5 miles west of Arthur)

Youth will enjoy activities in the gym, food, games, and a journey through the tree of lights near Bryan Yoder's home. Sponsors will be driving the church van, leaving from the church at 4:45pm, for those who need a ride. Make sure to have the liability waiver signed if you plan to jump.

Sponsors: Drew & Courtney G,
Isai & Becky G, Michelle S, & Kevin E.

Thank you to Bryan Yoder who is providing the gym and food tonight for the youth.

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"In The Light Of His Mercy & Grace" Ephesians 2:1-10

Lamar Miller

Today's Worship Service

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

Songs of Praise and Worship

Holy Spirit, You Are Welcome Here

Great Is Thy Faithfulness (BR43)

*Call To Worship

**Let It Be Said Of Us*

**Graves Into Gardens*

**God You Reign*

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song Of Worship

Hold On

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Readings

John 3:14-21 | Psalm 107:1-3,17-22

*Intercessory Prayer

Message

Prayer of Response

Song of Response

Be Still & Know

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance

Worship Celebration 120
C.E. Classes 44

Offering

Total Offering - Mar. 10 \$5,736

*General Fund - \$5,586

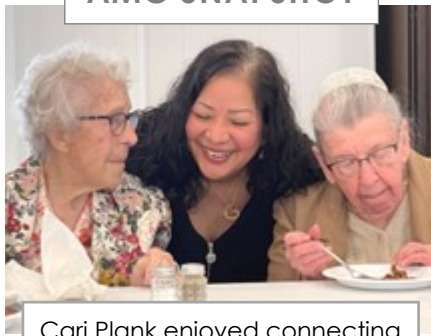
*Funeral Meals - \$50

*Dee Kuhns Memorial Fund - \$100

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



Cari Plank enjoyed connecting with Josephine Marner and Marie Schrock at the fellowship meal last Sunday. We love seeing the blessing of inter-generational friendships! Thank you to Bob Plank for capturing this sweet moment!

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Families who have had loved ones pass away recently. Pray for peace, comfort, & strength.
- Evan, Junior & Judy Beachey's grandson (mission trip to Kenya with U of I students)
- Hannah Keown (pre-term labor, 27 weeks)
- Peter Kauffman (infection in leg, healing)
- Judy Beachey (rehab and continued healing)
- Marie (Wilmer) Schrock (heart attack)
- Howard Kuhns (pastor at Prairieview, stroke)
- Pastor Ken Bunker (cancer, healing)
- Retired pastor Leroy Allison (cancer, healing)
- Esther Yoder (Arthur Home)

NATION & WORLD

- Wildfires in Texas
- Lent and upcoming Easter Season
- Wars in Israel, Gaza & Ukraine (Peace)
- Revival & people turning back to God
- Families/Marriages/Children/Seniors
- AMC supported Missionaries

PRAYER REQUESTS

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



**THIS
WEEK**

TODAY
Spring Forward
9:30am: CE Classes
10:30am: Worship
5pm: VBS Meeting
5pm: AMCYouth
at Prairieland T&T

MONDAY
8:30am: Ladies' Breakfast
WEDNESDAY
4pm: Ministry Team Meeting

NEXT SUNDAY
9:30am:
CE Classes
10:30am:
Worship

New AMC Ministry Team Member

We welcomed Les Helmuth as Minister of Administration as he was affirmed at our congregational meeting last Sunday. Continue to pray for Les and our entire ministry team here at AMC as they serve in these roles this year.

Relief Sale Kickoff Banquet

The Arthur Mennonite Relief Sale Kick-off banquet will be held on Saturday, March 23 at 6:00pm at Yoder's Kitchen. The New Legacy music group from Normal, IL will be the program following the meal. If you would like to sponsor a full (\$100) or half (\$50) table for this event please talk to Glen & Rhonda Rhodes or Lamar & Nadine Miller soon. This event and these table sponsors help this year's sale to cover early expenses associated with the sale on August 23-24. If you can join us for this banquet please sign up on the sign up sheet in the foyer by March 18.

New AMC Sign

At the congregational meeting last Sunday the Administration Commission shared plans for a new sign in front of the church using existing memorial funds. Pictures of the sign and the location are on the foyer bulletin board. Pinnacle Point Graphics in Arthur are helping with these plans.

AMA Community Services Planned

The Arthur Ministerial Association is planning for Good Friday and Easter Sunrise services at the end of March. Good Friday will be held here at AMC on Friday, March 29 from 12-1pm. Easter Sunrise will be held at Arthur First Baptist on Sunday, March 31 at 6:30am. We encourage everyone to join us for these special services!

Easter Tulips Sign Up

If you'd like to help decorate the sanctuary for Easter, which can also be dedicated in memory of a loved one, a sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Tulips are \$12 each and will be a variety of colors. They can be taken home following the Easter service. Please place your money with name in the treasurer's box.

Menno Haven Spring Work Day

You are invited to Menno Haven's Spring Work Day on Saturday March 23. There are many ways to help clean both indoors and outdoors as they prepare



the facilities for the summer season. This is also a great way for high schoolers to get Service Hours! If you would like to attend, talk to Jeff & Jenni Marner, our

AMC camp reps. Bernadine Yoder & Jenni Marner also serve on the Menno Haven board of directors. Keep them and the camp in your prayers.

Summer Camps at Menno Haven

The Discipling Commission has put a letter in mailboxes about how summer camps will be handled and paid for this year. We hope to see many of our AMC children and youth attend camp this year due to your financial support!

Front Handrails

If you need handrails when going up on the front platform in the sanctuary, please remember to use the stairs on the East (right) side which do have handrails available.

RE M I N D E R S

Visitor this week: Sandy Miller

Nursery Today: Michael & Brittney Y.

Next Sunday: Harold Y. & Jackie C.