

Greater Things

ARTHUR MENNONITE
MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
MAY 2025

CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE 2025 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES!
Join us at AMC on Sunday, May 18th as we recognize and celebrate them



AMBER GINGERICH
daughter of
Joe & Lanora Gingerich
Arcola High School

1. In high school, I participated in 2024 Cheer (Football season), National Honors Society, American Field Service, Principles Advisory Committee, and Class of 2025 Class Officers.
2. I currently work at Yoder's Kitchen in carryout and as a server.
3. The first fond memory I have of high school is going to many of the sporting events and supporting Arcola in the student section. The second one is being able to go on our Senior Trip to New York City. Lastly, getting to go to all the school dances and being able to hangout with friends before, during, and after the dance.
4. My advice to incoming freshmen is to step out of your comfort zone and try new things!
5. After graduation, I plan on going to Parkland College and study nursing.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God." Philippians 4:6



SIMON KAUFFMAN
son of
Peter Kauffman
A.L.A.H. High School

1. Simon currently works at Caseys in Atwood in the Pizza Kitchen.
2. Simon likes to cook and experiment in the kitchen. He loves coming up with new ideas. He likes to be forward thinking and ambitious.
3. After graduation, Simon plans to pursue a career in the U.S. Air Force.

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5-6



KENDALL SCHROCK
son of
Kenny & Erica Schrock
A.L.A.H. High School

1. In high school, I participated in Basketball, Baseball, Golf, and attended RYLA Leadership Camp.
2. I currently work at Yoder's Kitchen as a busser and dish washer, as well as part-time at 300+ Performance for my Uncle Luke.
3. A fond memory I have of high school is trying to cook noodles in my cooking class...with no water.
4. My advice to incoming freshmen is that no matter how much people hate on you for being yourself, try not to listen to them.
5. After graduation, I plan to go to Lake Land College in trades to become an Auto Mechanic.

"The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen." 2 Timothy 4:18

AMC
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MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes
Minister of
Discipling
(M.T. Leader)

Sam Miller
Minister of Youth
and Family Life
(Community Life)

Emily Kauffman
Minister of
Outreach

Les Helmuth
Minister of
Administration

Nadine Miller
Minister of
Worship

CELEBRATING WOMEN AT ARTHUR MENNONITE CHURCH

MOTHER'S DAY LADIES BANQUET

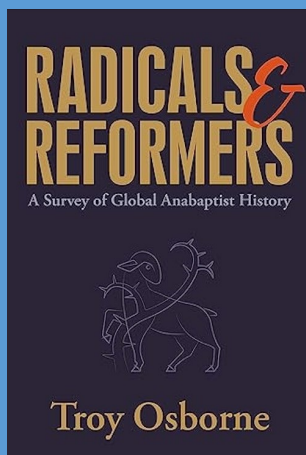
Saturday, May 10 in fellowship hall
doors open at 5:30pm | catered meal at 6pm
short program to follow

Invite ladies to join you! Sign up on bulletin board

Join us at Arthur Mennonite Church
on Sunday, May 11 during worship to
celebrate the women at AMC.
Make sure to take a photo together in front
of the special Mother's Day backdrop!

BOOK OF THE MONTH

~ Anabaptism at 500 ~
Radicals & Reformers
by Troy Osborne



With Bibles and baptism, a movement was born. From renegade gatherings of Christian believers in the 1500s to more than 2.1 million members, the Anabaptist-Mennonite movement has been marked by faithfulness and failure, continuity and conflict, radicalism and reformation. In this engaging history, author and historian Troy Osborne traces the origins and development of the Anabaptist and Mennonite movements. He also reflects on the ways that Anabaptists have defined their identity in new settings and in response to new theological, intellectual, geographic, and political contexts.

Find this book in our foyer book rack and check it out today!

SAM MILLER ORDINATION



AMC Youth & Family Life minister Sam Miller will be ordained by LMC: A Fellowship of Anabaptist Churches on Sunday, June 1 here at AMC. Our Great Lakes West Bishop John Nissley will be here along with family and friends of Sam from Indiana. We will have a First Sunday Fellowship meal as normal on this Sunday and will need people to bring extra food for our many guests. Plan to join us for this wonderful service and meal!

WORSHIP IN THE PARK

JUNE 15 AT BRAD-O-CLEN

ROAD TRIP

Arthur Community VBS
June 16 - 20, 2025
9:00 - 11:30am daily

First Fruits Stewardship ~ Giving God Our Best

3.30.25-\$5,663 | 4.6.25-\$20,244 | 4.13.25-\$4,860 | 4.20.25-\$4,414

If you would like to give tithes & offerings, please place them in the boxes at the back of the sanctuary or mail your envelope/check to the church at: 710 E Park, Arthur, IL 61911

Please include your envelope so your number can be recorded.

MAY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

1 - Lamar Miller
2 - Carol Yoder
3 - Laura Saathoff
5 - Mike Taylor
6 - Kat Burdick
7 - Chris Mast
9 - Lester Schrock
11 - Lonnie Plank
13 - Karen Litteral
14 - Ronnie & Renee Olivero
16 - Mary Kingery
18 - Lamar & Nadine Miller

19 - Judy Beachey
21 - Emma Schrock
23 - Marla Kauffman
24 - Bradley Taylor
27 - Drew Gingerich
28 - Marlon Miller
Sondra Gingerich
Zeb & Kendra Hughes
29 - Joanna Yoder
30 - Kenny Schrock
31 - Erica Schrock