

Allensville Mennonite Church

Generation to Generation



His mercy extends to those who fear him,
from generation to generation.
Luke 1:50

Coffee Fellowship 8:45 AM
Worship Service 9:15 AM • Sunday School 10:40 AM

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

Prelude - *Marilyn Isaac*

Announcements/Devotional - *Jason Peachey*

Congregational Singing

Message - **Pastor Adam Peachey**

"Full Of..." - John 1:14

Congregational Singing

Sharing & Prayer - *Jason Peachey*

An offering box is placed at the exits of the sanctuary.

Sunday School ~ 10:40 - 11:45 AM

Adult Superintendent ~ Lavern Peachey

Children's Superintendents ~ Marlene Peachey, Sonny Peachey

NURSERY

A quiet nursery is available outside the back of the auditorium. An active nursery is located in the Sunday school wing and is staffed during the worship service (at the start of the message, after congregational singing) through the Sunday school hour. Those serving in nursery today are:

- ▶ **Neal & Michelle Yorks** - *Morning Worship*
- ▶ **Lester & Shirley Peachey** - *Sunday School*

Juli Sunderland is serving in the library today.

Next Week's Service - November 10, 2024

Message.....Pastor Adam Peachey
Nursery Worship Service.....Sammy & Karie Kauffman
Nursery Sunday School.....Marcus & Joan Peachey
Library.....Michelle Yorks

Upcoming Events

Tues, Nov 5: Ladies' Sewing Circle, 8 AM - 2 PM

Tues, Nov 5: Leadership Team Meeting, 7 PM

Tues, Nov 19: Leadership Prayer Meeting, 7 PM

Wed, Nov 20: Building Team Meeting, 7 PM

Sun, Nov 24: Missions Sunday with Jerry Sauder. Sunday school in the sanctuary with a fellowship meal to follow.

Sun, Dec 1: Prayer Circle during Sunday school in Prayer Room

Sun, Dec 22: Christmas Program, 7 PM

Sun, Dec 29: Building Fund Special Offering

Wed, Jan 29: Annual Congregational Meeting, 7 PM

Service Notes

November 3, 2024

Last Week's Service - October 27, 2024

Worship Attendance - 179

Sunday School Attendance - 169

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Send to: announcements@allensvillemennonite.org or call 717-483-6774, ext. 2. Deadline is 7 AM on Thursdays to be included in the bulletin/announcements for the following Sunday.

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

SHINE Jr. High

- *Wed, Nov 6:* Bible study 7 - 8:30 PM at Adam & Becca's
- *Wed, Nov 13:* Valley View Thanksgiving Bingo 6:30 - 8 PM
- *Wed, Dec 4:* Bible study 7 - 8:30 PM at Adam & Becca's

KOL Sr. High

- *Wed, Nov 6:* Bible study, 7 PM at church.
- *Sat, Nov 16:* Hayride Progressive Supper
- *Wed, Nov 20:* Bible study, 7 PM at church.
- *Wed, Dec 4:* Bible study, 7 PM at church

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes are available for pick up in the foyer again this year. Each box should have a label in it, but if not there are extras by the mailboxes. These labels can be used to track your shoe box. You do not need to add the \$10 donation when you register your box as the Jr. Department is collecting offering to help cover the cost of shipping (see additional details below). Please return your filled shoe boxes to the church by Sunday, November 17. Thanks for being the hands and feet of Christ in this way again this year as we partner with Samaritan's Purse to spread the love of Jesus to children around the world!

The Jr Department fall offering project is helping to pay the \$10 shipping fee for the Operation Christmas child boxes. If you prefer not to fill a box, you can still be involved by helping with the shipping fees. If anyone in the congregation would like to help us in our goal of paying for 80 (or more) boxes please see Sonny or Marlene.

BUILDING FUND PROGRESS

Building Fund Special Offering 9/29/24 - \$31,478

Building Fund (Amount received to date) - **\$792,489.96 (Goal \$833,333)**

PRAYER CONNECT MAGAZINE

The October - December Prayer Connect Issue was emailed last week. Printed copies are available by the mailboxes. The Study Guide is now included within the issue for personal or group use.

UPDATE FROM THE BUILDING TEAM AND BUILDING FINANCE TEAM

The Building Team continues to work on details of finalizing building prints. Once the prints are finalized, they will be able to finalize pricing. After pricing is finalized, the Building Finance Team will review the updated pricing. We are praising the Lord for the provisions He has given us so far towards the down payment and towards our goal of personal loans. For personal loans we currently have \$405,000 pledged (goal of \$833,333). Continue to pray for wisdom and discernment for the Building Team and the Building Finance Team as they prayerfully work through these steps.

GRIEF SHARE

GriefShare will again be meeting starting January 2025. At GriefShare, we find a safe, comforting place where we can talk with others about our grief. We will find support, direction, and guidance in the context of community. Please contact Bob Zook if you would like to participate as a group facilitator and/or a participant.

AMC's New App!

In coordination with Subsplash, AMC has a new app that can be downloaded on mobile devices and tablets! The bulletin insert today displays the look of the app. Current features include worship service information, bulletins, upcoming events, live stream, online giving, and the Bible. We hope you find this to be a helpful tool! If you have questions or need help downloading the app to your device, please contact Dustin Kauffman, Pastor Randy, or Danielle Peachey.

THANKSGIVING OFFERING

A Thanksgiving Offering will be received on Sunday, November 24 for the recipients including: Antoine and Chris van den Assem (Vision for Asia); Backyard Club; Central PA Youth Ministries (Lewistown Focus); Crossroads Pregnancy Center; Dion and Naty Peachey (Frontier Ventures); Gideons International; Habitat for Humanity; Pablo and Rosa Gallego (Partners in Evangelism); Shelter Services; Meals on Wheels; Valley View Benevolence Fund; Duane and Genie Zook; Rudy's Sister- Rhoda Yoder (car accident); Jesse K Sr (open heart surgery and then significant complications); Bob Glick; and Charlie Murphy.

ACTIVE PARTICIPANT CONNECTION

Over the past several years, the Pastors and Elders have been exploring ways to help active participants stay connected with church events and activities. We've considered various methods, including mailboxes, calendars, phone trees, and both online and printed church directories, as well as digital options like email. One result of this process is the creation of an active participation list, which includes individuals who regularly engage in church activities. The goal is to strengthen the sense of community among active participants. You may notice fewer names on the calendar and fewer mailboxes. If you have any questions, feel free to speak with any of the pastors or elders.

BELLEVILLE BASKETBALL HALL BALL

Belleville Basketball Hall Ball sign ups will be held on Thursday, November 14 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm and Saturday, November 16 from 10:00 - 12:00 am. All sign-ups will take place at the Belleville Community Hall. This is for 2nd through 6th grades. Younger grades will have opportunity to sign up in January.

MCC MEAT CANNING KICKOFF

Mennonite Central Committee will host a kickoff meal on Saturday, November 16 for their annual meat canning season. The meal will be held at Locust Grove Mennonite Church at 5 PM. The guest speaker will be Ken Litwiller, MCC Canning and Truck Technical Coordinator. RSVP by November 11 by calling Jonathan Coldren at 717.250.6840 or Louise Byler at 814.386.0980.

JUNIATA VALLEY INTERNATIONAL GIFTS & BAKE SALE

The Juniata Valley International Gifts & Bake Sale will be held at Cedar Grove BIC Church at 287 Deerville Road, Mifflintown, PA, on Thursday, November 14 from 6-8 PM, Friday, November 15 from 9 AM to 7 PM, and Saturday, November 16 from 9 AM to 3 PM. For more information, visit us on Facebook or at: www.juniatainternationalgiftssale.com.

Church Phone - (717) 483-6774

Use the church phone number above and extensions below to direct your call

Prayer Chain Message: ext. 1

Danielle Peachey, Secretary - secretary@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 2

Randy Sunderland, Admin. Pastor - randy@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 3

Bob Zook, Care Ministry Pastor - bob@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 4

Bob's Church Office Hours - Mondays from 8 AM to 12 PM

Adam Peachey, Teaching Pastor - adam@allensvillemennonite.org, ext 5

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