

Sunday, January 29, 2011

Sunday School – 110      Worship – 160

**Offering**

Spending Plan                      \$3,090.96  
Other                                      5.78

**Upcoming Events**

**February 12 – 5:00 p.m.** Church Game Night

**February 18 – 9:45 am -3:00 pm** Central District Conference

Regional Meeting at First Mennonite Church Wadsworth

**February 22 – March 28** – Wednesday Family Nights

**March 3 – 9:00 am – 2:00 pm.** **Lois Hochstetler Blood Drive** at the Oak Grove Fellowship Center

**March 9–10** – Annual Conference Assembly at First Mennonite, Berne, IN.

**Upcoming Events for MYF**

**February 22** - Jeff Polen concert @ Smithville

**Upcoming Junior High activities:**

**Wed. Feb. 22** – Polen concert at Smithville Mennonite

**OrrVilla Retirement Community** would like to invite the public to attend a free concert by Andy Carr and Eric Fairhurst of the band Standard Time Jazz on Monday, Feb. 6, at 2:30 p.m. in the Maple Terrace assisted living building located at 333 E. Sassafras St. in Orrville. Refreshments will be served following the concert. For more information call [330-466-6360](tel:330-466-6360).

**OrrVilla Retirement Community** would like to invite the public to attend a free gospel music concert given by Willie and Rodi Longnecker on Thursday, Feb. 9, at 7 p.m. in the Maple Terrace assisted living building located at 333 E. Sassafras St. in Orrville. Refreshments will be served following the concert. For more information call [330-466-6360](tel:330-466-6360).

**The Frohliche Dorf show: Saturday, February 11, at 7 pm.** Central Christian School's own old-time variety radio show is back by popular demand, in the school's Performing Arts Center. Don't miss out! Reserve your tickets while they last by calling [330.857.7311](tel:330.857.7311). For details, visit [www.ccscomets.org](http://www.ccscomets.org)

**Open House: Monday, February 20, At Central Christian.**

Interested in a change for your children? Come explore the Central Christian experience with us on Monday, February 20. To schedule an appointment call 330.857.7311 or e-mail

[BruceK@CentralChristianSchool.org](mailto:BruceK@CentralChristianSchool.org). Visit [www.ccscomets.org](http://www.ccscomets.org) for details.

**Taste of Central: Friday, February 25 at 5:30 pm.** The sixth annual taste-testing extravaganza is almost here! Come hungry and ready to sample main dishes, appetizers and desserts before voting on your favorites. Tickets can be purchased ahead of time by calling the school, or are available at the door while they last. Visit [www.ccscomets.org](http://www.ccscomets.org) for details.

**Happy birthday, Mennonite Church USA!** On Feb. 1, 2012, our denomination turned 10 years old. We invite you to join us in celebrating this milestone and giving thanks for the countless amazing ways that God's Spirit has been at work among us in this last decade—in our lives and relationships, in our congregations and communities, in our agencies and organizations. May God bless each of our congregations and strengthen us all in our efforts to live out our denominational vision: *God calls us to be followers of Jesus Christ and, by the power of the Holy Spirit, to grow as communities of grace, joy and peace, so that God's healing and hope flow through us to the world.*

—Mennonite Church USA national staff

**You're invited to the 2012 Celebrate Mennonite Central Committee Gathering** with MCC Great Lakes! The two-day event will take place on February 24-25 at Berlin Mennonite Church (4718 US Rte. 62 E., Berlin, OH 44610). Join fellow MCC supporters from across the region as we explore MCC's theme of *"Relief, development and peace in the name of Christ."* Doug Amstutz, recently returned MCC representative in Ethiopia, will be speaking on Friday evening, and Ron Byler, MCC US Interim Executive Director, will be speaking on Saturday afternoon. A variety of workshops will be offered on topics such as meat canning, thrift shops, material resources and relief sales. For more information call the MCC Great Lakes Office at (574) 534-4133 or register online at [greatlakes.mcc.org/annualgathering](http://greatlakes.mcc.org/annualgathering).



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Sunday, February 5, 2012

**Prelude** – *Dora Short*

**Welcome** – *Matt Hochstetler*, Worship Leader

**Call to Worship**

**Prayer**

**Hymns:** HWB#107 “Blessed Savior, We Adore Thee”

HWB#120 “Holy, Holy, Holy”

– *Paula Vasichko*

**Community Life Announcements**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Offering**

**Offertory** – *Dora Short*

**Hymn:** HWB#502 “Spirit of God! Descend”

**Light Seekers** (children Age 2 – preschool) are dismissed

– *c/o Reneda Miller*

**Jr. Church** – (children K-Gr. 3) - are dismissed *c/o Erin Baker*

**Scripture:** Isaiah 40:21-31; 1Corinthians 9:16-23

**Sermon:** “Talk the Talk. Walk the Walk. Live the Life”

– *Tamara Gill*

**Hymn of Response:** HWB#582

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

**Benediction**

**THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE**  
**Sunday, February 5**

**8:45 a.m.** – Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

**9:15 a.m.** – Sunday School

**10:00 a.m.** – Worship at OrrVilla – Gladene Hershberger & John Hanlon

**10:30 a.m.** – Worship – Tamara Gill

**Visitation Ministry will meet after church in the conference room.**

**Noon** – One on One Meets

**Greeters:** Leonard & Nancy Douce

**Nursery:**

**9:15 a.m.** – Diane Schrock & Gladene Hershberger

**10:30 a.m.** – Hannah Miedel & Erin Baker

**Thursday, February 9**

**7:00 p.m.** – Church Board

**Birthdays This Week**

February 6 – Bev Plessinger (80)  
Ruth Scheufler

February 8 – Bud Berndt  
Craig Martin

February 9 – Amy Lichti

February 10 – Carolyn Warren (82)

**Anniversaries This Week**

February 6 – Doug & Miriam Zehr (30)  
Shawn & Tracy Stutzman

**"SUPER BOWL" PIZZAS** - Thanks to everyone for ordering pizza from the MYF. Just a reminder to pick up your "SUPER BOWL" pizza(s) after church today.  
Thanks again! The MYF

**NEXT SUNDAY**  
**Sunday, February 12**

**8:45 a.m.** – Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

**9:15 a.m.** – Sunday School

**10:30 a.m.** – Worship – Pastor Doug  
“Prayer at the Heart” I Timothy 2:1-7

**4:00 p.m.** – Single & Single Again, “Valentine Dinner”, at Lois Morrison’s home. Bring food for a covered dish meal and everything should be the color of **RED**.

**5:30 p.m.** Game Night

**Greeters:** Anson & Hannah Miedel

**Nursery:**

**9:15 a.m.** – Craig & Krista Martin

**10:30 a.m.** – John & Aimee Hanlon

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**STEWARDSHIP/GIVING MESSAGE:** TURN OFF LIGHTS WHEN NOT IN USE, ALSO LOWER YOUR THERMOSTAT AND WEAR WARMER CLOTHES.

**Visitation Ministry will be meeting today after church** in the conference room. If you cannot attend but would like to make visits to our shut-ins, see Marilyn Jaquet

**We offer our sympathy** to Bruce & Donna Kindy and family on the death of his father, Dean Kindy. He passed away last January 27. Memorial services will be February 12, at 2:00 p.m., at Silver Lake, IN. Remember Bruce & Donna and the family at this time. May God surround you with comfort and hope as you grieve.

**Gift discernment forms are available today** in Sunday School classes and also in the foyer. Please take time to fill out these important surveys and return them to the box in the foyer or to Mary Lou Brady's mail box by **February 19**. Your valuable input is very important in the planning for next year. ~ Thank you.

**The Lois Hochstetler Blood Drive** will be held at the Oak Grove Fellowship Center on Saturday, March 3. Donors can make an appointment with the Wayne County Chapter of the American Red Cross or arrive between 9:00am and 2:00pm.

**Remember to sign up for the Adult Sunday School classes being offered Spring Quarter.** Option classes begin **March 4th**. Sign-up sheets will be available in the foyer through Sunday, January 29th. We request that you choose one class for the entire quarter since we will be ordering materials according to the sign-up list. Thanks for your prompt attention to this.  
– Education Commission

**Save the Date:** Oak Grove Vacation Bible School will be held on Monday, June 11 to Friday, June 15 from 9am until 12pm. Please mark your calendars if you are a parent or child (4 years old to 5th grade) or if you are a volunteer (6th grade to 120 years old). We want everyone to join in the fun!

**Friends, two images stand out from our first time preparing food for Friendship Meals.** Before the meal was served, one man asked, "Is there enough for seconds?" The second was the lit-up eyes of several young men who realized there were homemade cookies left over they could take home. Sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board, and help spoil the people in Orrville. ~~(Questions? Contact Susan Mark Landis.)

**MCC has included in its mission to promote, train and model conflict transformation skills.**

Conflict Transformation Skill resources are very valuable and particularly to you as a member of a group in your church or with a volunteer group supporting MCC.

Thanks to Crown Hill Mennonite Church we are fortunate to have Lombard Mennonite Peace Center come into our area to offer this training on Feb 11.

This is a time to tap other leaders' shoulders to join you in attending this event. Come as group of 5 to reduce your cost and travel expenses.

In order to have materials available for you, it is **important to register now by calling 330 927 1716**

For more information brochures are on the bulletin board in the foyer .