



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Senior Luncheon** will be held this Tuesday, March 10 at 12 pm at the Franconia Café. Please be sure to sign up on the mailboxes.

The **Clemens Group** will be taping a documentary on the origins of the company. They will be using the church on **Thursday, March 12 from 8 am - 6 pm**.

Mennonite Women will meet **Saturday, March 14 at 7 am** for a **Bible study, fellowship and breakfast** at **Dawn Zucca's home**. Parking space is limited, please consider carpooling if possible. See **Alyssa Rank** if you have any questions.

Stephanie Biechy was involved in a devastating accident on February 12. Please keep her and her family in your prayers as she recovers. Scan the QR code for GoFundMe to help with Stephanie's expenses.



The **MYF Youth Auction** will be **Saturday, March 21**. Dinner will begin at **5 pm** and the auction will follow at **6:30 pm**. You can find more information and an Auction Donation Form in your mailbox. Please see **Pastor Brandon Lee** if you have any questions.

There will be a **5th Sunday Offering on March 29**. We will be collecting pantry items for the Feast Ministry in Lansdale.



Our **children's ministry** needs teachers for the month of April. Sign up on SignUpGenius or see Diane Keeler for more information. Clean out your toy boxes! The **children's Sunday School** is seeking new or lightly used **toys or craft donations** for the prize room.

Men's Encounter is a powerful weekend for men 18 years and up to find more freedom in Christ. The next event is coming up **April 10 to 12**. You won't regret this jam-packed weekend full of teaching, powerful testimonies, worship, fellowship, and fun surprises! Come and be encouraged and challenged in your walk with the Lord. Register and pay online at mensencounterpa.org. Scholarships are available. See Pastor Charlie with questions.



Kids, build a car and race it at our **Pinewood Derby** on **Saturday, May 9 at 5 pm**. Car building nights will be **Wednesday, April 8** and **April 22 at 7 pm**. Please be sure to register on the table in the foyer. Food and fellowship will be included the night of the race! Adults, come to support our kids and cheer them on!

Grab your rakes and join us for our **Spring Clean-Up Church Work Day** on **May 2, starting at 7 am**. Come lend a hand as we work together to spruce up the church grounds. Your help is greatly appreciated.

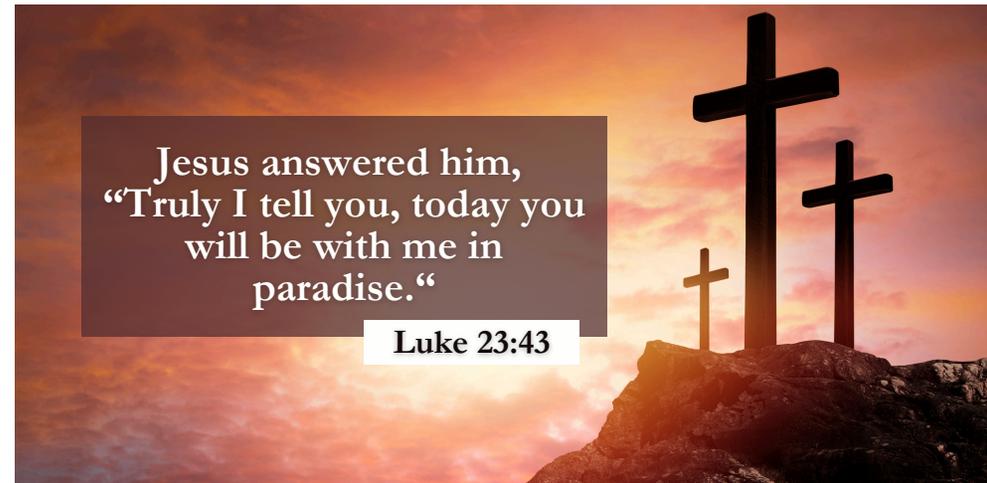
Thank you for bringing me a bulletin for the service each week, I really appreciate finding it in my mailbox. - **Marian Quick**

Greeters next week, March 15 will be the DiTullio Family.

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MARCH 8, 2026



Jesus answered him,
"Truly I tell you, today you
will be with me in
paradise."

Luke 23:43

WELCOME

We're glad you've joined us today! As we are empowered by the Holy Spirit, our mission is to extend God's healing, hope, and forgiveness to all. Our prayer is that you receive grace and peace from Jesus Christ as we worship together.

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY

Senior Luncheon | 12 pm

MYF Meeting | 7 pm

Ministry Council Meeting | 7 pm

WEDNESDAY

Men's Discipleship | 6:30 am

Praise & Prayer Meeting | 7 pm

SATURDAY

Mennonite Women's Bible Study | 7 am

LOOKING AHEAD

MYF Auction

March 21 | 5 pm

Pinewood Derby

April 8 & 22 | 7 pm (Build nights)

May 9 | 5 pm (Race day)

Church Workday

May 2 | 7 am

Fellowship Meal

May 17 | 12 pm

Pastor Ken Hoover | 717-892-9256

Associate Pastor Charlie Ness | 215-896-8830

Youth Pastor Brandon Lee | 203-260-9278



TODAY'S WORSHIP

Gathering: The Church as a Community
Songs of Worship | Worship Team
Greeting | Pastor Charlie Ness
Announcements & Offering

Singing: The Church Worshiping God

Learning: The Church Studying God's Word
Scripture Reading: Luke 23:26-46 | Joy Hoover
Sermon: The Weight of the Cross | Derek Cassel

Responding: The Church Ministering
Song of Response | Worship Team

Sending: The Church Going Out on Mission
Benediction

Refreshments in Fellowship Hall following service.

Sunday School for all ages at 10:45 am downstairs.

Today's Nursery Care:

Courtney & Johanna L. (Service)
Janet N. & Amber K. (Sunday School)



PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Give thanks to the Lord for His **goodness and faithfulness** to our church family.

Thank the Lord for the **safety and blessing** for the men who served with **MDS** last week in North Carolina.

Pray for God's grace with the **Senior Luncheon** on Tuesday.

Pray for wisdom for the **Ministry Council** as they meet on Tuesday evening.

Pray for God's healing and recovery for the following persons:

Marlin Bergey - foot issues

Nalini Patel - physical pain and grieving the death of her brother

Will Schirmer - foot issues

Bill & Grace Wolfgang - recovery from heart procedure and broken wrist

Stephanie Fields Biechy - recovery from an accident and financial needs

Pastor Glenn Alderfer - recovery from cancer surgery

Pray for the **Missionary of the Month**, Miguel Hernandez family pastor of the San Miguel Tenango Church in Mexico. See insert.

Pray that God will **protect innocent life** in the conflict in the Middle East and that world leaders will seek God's peace over conflict.

Praise God for the musical gifts He has given **Aaron Leatherman, Tiffany Good, Jessica Leatherman, Galen Knechel, Andre Leatherman, and Chelsia Rosato** to lead in worship next week. Pray also for God's leading as **Pastor Ken Hoover** prepares his message for next Sunday.

Ask God to bless those who have birthdays this week: **Mason Keeler, Wanda Kintner, Jessalyn Weaver, and Chelsia Rosato.**

If the office missed listing any birthdays or wedding anniversaries, please let us know.



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Prayer Request:

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