

JULY 24, 2022

# CROWN HILL NEWS

Preaching: Thomas  
Scripture: Ruth  
Sermon Title: Lessons in Loyalty

## PRAYERS

- Remember the unspoken requests for families in our congregation
- Pray for peace between Ukraine & Russia.
- Remember Larry Morrison as he undergoes chemo treatments.
- Praise God for negative test results for Wiley Miller
- Remember our people in nursing homes: Suzan, Carolyn.
- Pray for our shut-ins: Pete Stauffer, Paul Troyer, Elmer Richard, Mary Nussbaum, Ila Zimmerly, and Fred's mother Doris Hoffman.
- Pray for the Elder selection process. We are currently working on scheduling for a service of selection by lot.
- Pray for the search for a new member for the Manor Board.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Remember to bring your coins (and large bills or checks!) for our "My Coins Count" collection. Our donations go to help with water projects around the world through Mennonite Central Committee.
- Mark your calendar for a Back Yard Party at Jim and Esther Lepley's on August 19. Details to follow.
- Dan's phone troubles seem to be resolved and his primary phone number can be used again (330-413-7319) Thanks for your patience. Dan lost most of his!

### 7/3 & 7/10 OFFERING

**\$10,470 GENERAL**

**\$60 MANOR FUND**

**\$1000 FOOD PANTRY**

The best-laid plans of mice and men often go awry.\* The Dunn family can attest to this quote! Our summer travels started off according to plan. After we camped together with friends in Michigan early in June Katrina took the car and continued west to her parents house while Thomas returned to Ohio for a couple of weeks. Then Thomas flew out to Montana to spend a week with 27 extended Schmid family members in East Glacier Village (where John & Kathy live). When the Schmid gathering was over, Katrina and Thomas loaded up their car and headed north. They stopped to see a group of Thomas' friends from Bible College then drove across the Canadian Rockies to a ski resort town where they met the rest of Thomas' family to celebrate Peter & LeAnna's 50th anniversary together. The Dunn's had a great two days together before someone woke up with a sore throat... and tested positive for covid19. Within a few days 6 of the 10 Dunn family had caught covid. It was decided that the best thing to do was for all of us to return home ASAP to finish our isolation instead of attempting to isolate while in a hotel room. Katrina and Thomas quarantine-traveled across the country, camping in isolated campgrounds and sleeping in the car. Katrina's immune system was up to the challenge and she never got sick. Thomas spent the first two days of the journey mostly sleeping and feeling achy. By day three he was feeling much better, but very worn out. Thomas is now mostly better, but still tires out easily. Thanks for your prayers. We are looking forward to getting back into a normal routine again.

\*Katrina and Thomas listened to a lot of John Steinbeck during our hours in the car.



Katrina leading a hike with the youngest members of the Schmid family



The Dunn family in quarantine