

OCTOBER 1, 2023

CROWN HILL NEWS

World Communion Combined Service

10AM Worship Service,

12Noon Fundraiser Lunch for Monday Meals

PRAYERS

- Remember the unspoken requests for families in our congregation
- Pray for peace between Ukraine & Russia, and in Sudan.
- Remember Larry Morrison & Ken Kurtz as they continue with treatments for cancer.
- Pray for Sherry and Ray Gallion. The memory care facility is not working out for Sherry, so she is currently at home with Ray as caregiver.
- Pray for our shut-ins & nursing home residents: Suzan, Carolyn, Pete, Elmer, Ila and Velma. Pray for the caregivers in the congregation and others who are providing much needed support.

Offering 9/17

General \$4575.00

SUNDAY SONGS

HWB 17 We Gather Together

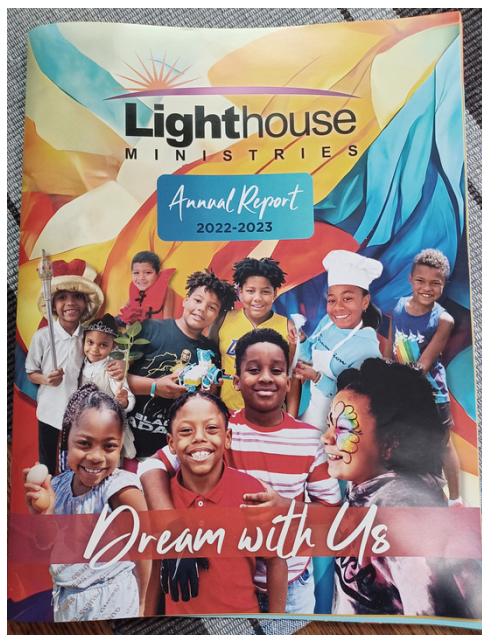
HWB 343 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

HWB 106 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

HWB 332 Blessed Assurance

**Lighthouse Ministries
Appreciates Support!**

Annual Report Cover



Tour

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **WORLD COMMUNION COMBINED SERVICE** Weather permitting, we will meet outside under the maple trees. This will be the last outdoor service of the year. Lunch will be served, with a request for donations for the Orrville Mennonite Monday Meal ministry. Donation checks for the fundraiser should be made out to Orrville Mennonite Church, earmarked for Monday Meals.
- **Meet N' Eat is back!!!!** Back by popular demand, we will be having a Meet N' Eat at the Dutch Kitchen in Dalton (our usual hangout) on Tuesday, October 10th at 5:30. Hope to see you there!
- **S'mores and hot dogs - what could be better on a crisp fall Saturday evening??** Twila is hosting a season ending campfire at her house on Saturday, Oct 14 at 4 PM. Bring a finger food to share and your lawn chair. Further details will be forthcoming.
- **When we move indoors on October 8th we will return to our previous Sunday School classes and teachers.** If you have feedback on how Sunday School went over the summer please share with anyone on the Leadership Team so we can keep that in mind when we plan for next summer. Thank you!
- **FINANCE NOTE** In January, the congregation approved a general fund budget (does not include missions giving) that depends on significant increases in giving compared to our previous year. Between now and December 31 we will need about \$67,500 in donations to meet our planned general fund expenses, or about \$4,800 per week. So far this year our average weekly income has been \$2,900. Please keep the financial needs of our congregation in your prayers and feel free to contact Dan, Thomas, Keith, or others from the Leadership Team if you have questions.
- **Steve Steiner is inviting those interested in learning about the current situation with the church in Sudan.** Sudan is currently in political upheaval. Sharia law has been in place since 1983. Rev Andudu Adam Elnail, Bishop of Kadugli and Nuba Mountains of Sudan will share along with a time of Q & A. Additionally the church is serving a meal in the fellowship hall from 5:15-6:30. You are welcome to attend. Kidron Mennonite, October 4, 6:30PM. Location: Education room 102 across from the library.
- **Thomas will be in West Virginia September 29-October 1 for a weekend get away with Katrina.**

Happy Birthday!

2 Paul Nussbaum

5 Bea Slabach

8 Denny Zimmerly

Happy Anniversary!

8 Ray & Sherry Gallion