

MAY 19, 2024

CROWN HILL NEWS

Preaching: Thomas

Scripture: John 20:21-22

Sermon: What is God Up To?

Worship Leader: Sandy Hanzie

Nursery: Melissa Schrock

SUNDAY SONGS

HWB 41 Come, Thou Almighty King

What A Beautiful Name

SJ 79 As I Went Down to the River

SJ 27 God of the Bible

HWB 116 Crown Him With Many Crowns

HWB 226 You Are Salt for the Earth

May Birthdays

1 Spencer Gasser
10 Toby Yoder
11 Velma Shoup
13 Doris Zimmerly
19 Lois Zimmerly
28 Jackie Morrison

May Anniversaries

9 Tim & Michele Vierheller
27 Kaitlyn & Spencer Gasser

Offering 5/12

\$2061.00 General

\$60.00 Manor Fund

\$100.00 Food Pantry

\$5000.00 Mission Offering

PRAYERS

- Remember the unspoken requests for families in our congregation
- Pray for peace between Ukraine & Russia, Israel & Palestine
- Remember Haylee Keeler, Larry Morrison & Ken Kurtz and their caregivers as they continue their journeys with cancer.
- Pray for Maddy Kate Wolf as she prepares for baptism on June 2.
- Pray for Sherry and Ray Gallion. Pray for wisdom as they seek caregiving options for Sherry.
- Pray for our shut-ins & nursing home residents: Suzan, Carolyn, Pete, and Velma.
- Pray for the caregivers in the congregation and others who are providing much needed support.
- Praise God for a potential opportunity for a Swahili speaking IVEPer to live and work in our area next year! Please pray for the process over the next couple of months.

Ohio Conference is still seeking to hire two individuals to fill both the Administrative Coordinator and Bookkeeper and the Program and Communication Coordinator positions. These are new positions that will replace the previous staffing structure. Due to retirements and job transitions, two new people are needed to serve in these roles. Each position is a 3/4 time position that includes benefits. Applications are being accepted until the positions are filled. More information is available on the Ohio Conference website at ohiomennoniteconference.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Baby Dunn:** In lieu of a traditional baby shower, Thomas and Katrina would like to celebrate with everyone in the church between the service and SS on May 26. As part of the event, we are asking everyone to bring us a baby picture so we can enjoy fellowship and have a bit of fun trying to identify everyone from their baby photos. Please bring your photos to the church by May 19. There will be light refreshments. They do not have a registry, but if you wish to gift them something to help with their first year, please consider a package of diapers of any size or a book for their baby's library.
- **Women Serving Christ** meets Tuesday, May 21, 9AM, to quilt & knot. Bring your lunch. Offering for Open Arms Summer Meals.
- **Prayer Group meets Thursdays, 1 PM at the church.** All are welcome to join for a time of sharing, prayer and singing.
- **Women's Bible Study has started again on Saturdays.** Breakfast and time of fellowship at 8:30 am and study from 9-10 am. We will be studying The Sermon on the Mount by John Stott. Lessons will be on deepening our relationship with God, our relationship with others , deepening our prayer life. All women are welcome. See Doris or Myrna if questions.
- **Elder Nominations:** Please prayerfully consider who you would like to nominate to join the Elders starting in September. On May 19, we will take a bit of time at the end of our worship service to write and collect those nominations. The Elders will then contact nominated persons about their willingness to serve and prepare a ballot for sometime later during summer.
- **Missions Offering Sunday** will be held June 9, with Pablo Delgado, director of Open Arms Hispanic Ministry as our guest.

Baptism Sunday: We are excited that Maddy Kate Wolf will be baptized on June 2! On that Sunday, we will worship with Salem Mennonite at Camp Luz in Kidron at 10am. If you would like to carpool or ride with someone else to the service, please contact Dan or Thomas. Here are details about that day:

- Worship begins at 10am at Camp Luz, 152 Kidron Rd, Orrville, OH 44667
 - We will be worshipping on the chapel lawn.
 - The camp will have some canopies set up to provide shade, but some people will inevitably be sitting in the sun. Bring broad brim hats and sunscreen for sun protection.
 - Salem will provide some metal folding chairs for worship seating, though people are encouraged to bring their own lawn chairs for more comfortable seating.
- A carry-in meal will follow the worship service.
 - Families should bring a main dish and a side to share. Drinks, cups, and table service are provided.
 - Please keep cold food in coolers if possible (there's limited refrigerator space.)
 - Crock pots can be plugged in.
 - Bring labeled serving utensils.
 - Food questions? Call Johanna Badertscher at 330.857.7361.
- Rain location-Salem Mennonite Church, 3363 Zuercher Rd., Dalton, OH 44618
- After lunch, everyone is invited to stay and enjoy the campgrounds from 1-3 p.m. Swimming, yard games, boating, hiking, frisbee, volleyball, nine square and more is open to all.