

Welcome to
Calvary Mennonite Fellowship

April 23, 2023
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Offering last Sunday		Regular Offering Fund	\$5,063.35
CCA Outdoor Court	\$875.00	Total Given to Fund	\$37,079.00
Roof Fund	\$900.00	Total Given to Fund	\$76,206.00
J&A Support	\$0.00	D&S Support	\$0.00
Attendance last Sunday			100

9:10 Pre-service prayer and sharing in Sewing Room.

9:30 Sunday School *(List of classes is on back)*

Pre-school (ages 4-5)	Room 202
Children’s Assembly (Gr. 1-9)	Cafeteria
Youth/Adult Sunday School Assembly	Auditorium

10:25 Opening & Announcements,

Call to Worship & Offering	Tom Keener
Congregational Singing	Tom Keener
Sharing and Prayer	Jonathan Mullet
Message James 5:7-12	Jerry Martin
“Patience through Suffering”	Josh Helmuth

TODAY’S SERVANTS

Greeter Today:	Lewis & Suetta Horst
Hosts Today:	Stanley & Thelma Good
Usher in Charge:	Johann Hershberger

THIS WEEK

FRIDAY, YOUTH 6 PM – Softball at CCA

LOOKING AHEAD

MAY 7 7PM GOSPEL ECHOS CONCERT AT DAYTON MENNONITE CHURCH
 (INFORMATIONAL POSTER IN THE HALL)

July 21-23 – BMA Convention in Lancaster, PA

September 17-20 – Revival meetings with Merle Yoder, Gladys, VA.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ✚ **Office hours** will return to normal on April 26th. Thank you for your patience as I filled in while John Ivan was away. -Suetta
- ✚ **Fifth Sunday (April 30)** offering will be for Pastoral Support. Mark your calendars and come prepared to bless Pastor Sam.
- ✚ **FYI, checks designated for Pastoral Support** are deposited in the Pastoral Fund and will be disbursed with the quarterly “Fifth Sunday” offering.
- ✚ **A Membership Class** began **TODAY** for persons desiring to join Calvary. This class will meet in room **212** at 9:45am. Space is available! Talk with Sam to sign up or ask questions.
- ✚ **Brochures for Passion Girls Camp** (ages 16+) are below the mailboxes.
- ✚ **Address change** for Skyler and Lane Beery. 3232 Pleasant Valley Road Mt. Crawford, Va 22841
- ✚ **Sign-up NOW for Highland Retreat (Oct. 6-8, 2023)** All folks attending must RSVP ,via the sign-up sheet located in the hall by June 1st. Talk to Suetta if you have questions or comments.
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Family of the Week -- Jonathan and Althea Byler .

Dear CMF Family,
 Good, light-hearted moments spring up here and there. Deep frustration and pain also pass over at regular intervals. And in between, we continue to push against a constant sense of....something. A thick, mentally suffocating cloud which threatens to paralyze our lives, urging us to just hunker down, curl up, and go to sleep. But we crawl slowly on. On three consecutive days during this last week of Ramadan, Jonathan "published" on WhatsApp the three parables of lost things from Luke 15. The cloud was especially thick as we prepared for that. As expected, responses to the passages have been mixed. Homeschool is winding down. We have tickets to fly to Virginia on May 25th. You have already provided a place for us to stay this summer! Isaiah still struggles with constant abdominal pain. The intensity ebbs and flows, but he hasn't been actually pain-free for months now. Once or twice he's told me that it was almost gone for an hour or two. As I write, he is again in an intense spell and can hardly sit still, much less concentrate on anything. We have an appointment for him with an American pediatrician in June, and we regularly consider the idea of changing our tickets to an earlier date on his account. We have to remind ourselves often that this is God's good work in our lives, and we are determined to thank Him for it.
 Love,
 Althea, for your African members

Servants For Next Sunday

Sermon: Sam Troyer	Hostess: Michelle Showalter
Cleaning: Angie and Joy Smith	Usher in Charge: Russel Shirk.
Mowing: Tom and Martin Keener	

COMMUNITY/SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

West Rockingham Food Pantry served 83 households, including 10 new families on Feb. 23. Your gifts to bless our neighbors may be sent to WRFPP, 4222 Mt. Clinton Pike, Rockingham, VA 22802

Jesus: "I was hungry and you gave me food."

2021- 2022 Sunday School Classes

- Preschool (4-5 y.o.) -- Gloria Wenger, Becki Smucker Rm 202
- Children's Assembly (Gr 1-9) - Jeron Mullet Cafeteria
- Primary (Gr 1-3) - Suetta Horst Cynthia Shirk Room 101
- Junior (Gr 4-6)- April Hege, Lane Beery Art/Music Rm 103
- Intermediate (Gr 7-9)- Joel Troyer, Andrew Good Room 210
- Youth (15+ y.o.) - Micah Hege, Skyler Beery Room 213
- Women - Merlynn Keener, coordinator Sewing Room
- Mixed - Frank Good, coordinator Auditorium

Superintendents, Harry Lee Showalter and Nat Glenn

Our Mission Statement

We are a caring community of faith fully dependent on the Holy Spirit—committed to glorifying God, magnifying Christ, loving our neighbor as ourselves, sharing the Good News, and edifying our fellow pilgrims through the exposition of and obedience to God's all-sufficient written Word.

CMF Leadership Team

Sam Troyer, Pastor & Secretary Josh Helmuth, Treasurer
Larry Wilkins, Deacon John Ivan Byler, Chairman
Frank Good, Deacon Stanley Good, Lay Leader

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