Welcome to

Calvary Mennonite Fellowship

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9:00 Prayer Service in Room CH-2 – All are Welcome!

"Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. Col.4:2

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

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

10:25 Opening & Announcements,

Call to Worship & OfferingJason AndersonCongregational SingingJeron MulletSharing & Prayer TimeNat GlennMessageNehemiah 5John Ivan Byler

"Financial Crisis in the Brotherhood"

TODAY'S SERVANTS

Greeters Today: Harry Lee & Michelle Showalter

Hosts Today: Larry & Betty Wilkins

Usher in Charge: Trace Smith

THIS WEEK

Friday, 6:30 pm – CMF Thanksgiving Banquet; Singing c/o Jeron M. Sign-up sheet is in the hall for food items – Please fill in all blanks by Sunday noon!

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, November 24, 6:30 pm – Guest Brad Huddleston: "The Dangers of Technology." This talk is <u>definitely relevant</u> for both young and old, for both parents and youth, so <u>PLAN TO ATTEND!</u> An offering will be received. Bring finger-foods to enjoy afterwards. **December 10, 6:30** – Ladies' wreath making. (See details next page.)

Servants For Next Sunday

Message:Josh Helmuth_Hostess:Michelle ShowalterCleaning:Cynthia Shirk for CCAUsher in Charge:Jerry Martin

Missionary Supporters: Jeron, Jonathon, Joel

Offering last Sunday: \$6,591.00

General Fund: \$120.00 Building Fund: \$500.00

Attendance last Sunday: 112

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Regular Offering: \$5,171.00

Alms Fund: \$800.00

Spring Communion Date – Desiring to schedule communion when all can plan to attend, the Leadership Team recommends that our spring communion regularly be **the first Sunday evening of May**, beginning in 2025, even as fall communion is regularly the last Sunday of October. <u>Your response and feedback are requested.</u>

2025 CMF Directory is being prepared; we want to include all members and all regular attendees. If you were not in the 2024 Directory, get a form from John Ivan to provide pertinent data and contact info. You may submit your own photo (large file), tell JIB to use last year's photo, or get a new photo by Joshua Shirk in the gym on Dec. 8 or 15.

2025 Birthday Calendar photos are needed! Send your family and personal photos to Cynthia < misscjshirk@gmail.com> by Sunday, Nov. 24.

December 10, 6:30 -- Evergreen wreath making in cafeteria. Please bring a snack to go along with hot chocolate and a basket of winter greenery to share. Please RSVP to Hope. If you have a wreath base from last year bring it along; if not let Hope know and she will have one there for you to use.

"Christmas to India" shares gifts and the Gospel to 3000 children in Good Life Schools in India. Make checks payable to CMF earmarked "Christmas to India" and give to Robb Mullet.

Donations to support BMA's hurricane relief project may be sent to **United Covenant Mennonite Church, PO Box 948, Etowah, NC 28729.** Our Alms Fund has already sent a donation – your personal and compassionate gifts will be well used and much appreciated. *Memo Line: Hurricane Relief Project.*

Missionary Spotlight – Henry & Deb Blank

President of DNI

- Praise God for a lovely place to live and the opportunity to spend time with Cody and Katelyn here in OH for a few months.
- Pray for the renovation project to go well.
- Pray for our children who stayed behind in NY while we are gone.
- Pray for salvation for Don, Allen, Sam, and Win.



Men

A **Leadership Training Seminar** is planned at Calvary to develop increased awareness of gifts and traits of leaders, appreciation of personality types, personal strengths, congregational life and needs, etc. The sessions will be taught by Leon Martin and Jason Groff on Saturdays with two morning sessions, lunch, and one afternoon session monthly (or every other month). The first session will be **January 18, 2025** at CMF. All, age 16 and over, men as well as women, are welcome and urged to attend.

2024-2025 Sunday School Classes

•	Preschool	(4-5 y.o.) - Gloria Wenger, Becki Smucker	Rm CH-1
•	Children's Assembly (Gr 1-9) –		

Auditorium

Superintendents, Joel Troyer and Jason King

Joe McGurrin, coordinator

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 John Ivan Byler, Chairman Larry Wilkins, Deacon Josh Helmuth, Treasurer Frank Good, Deacon Stanley Good, Secretary

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