

Welcome to
Calvary Mennonite Fellowship

December 1, 2024

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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 & Offering

Congregational Singing

Sharing & Prayer Time

Message

Harry Lee Showalter

Jeron Mullet

John Ivan Byler

Marcus Gingerich

“Growing Our Faith”

TODAY’S SERVANTS

Greeters Today: Joel Troyer
Hosts Today: Skyler & Lane Beery
Usher in Charge: Bruce King

THIS WEEK

Monday, 7 pm – Board of Missions
Tuesday, 6 pm – Card making in cafeteria for Christmas to India
Wednesday, 9-2 – Sewing Circle
Thursday, 6:30 pm – Leadership Team
Friday, 7:00 pm – Youth volleyball and Bible Study at CCA

LOOKING AHEAD

December 10, 6:30 – Ladies’ wreath making. (See details next page.)
December 15, pm (tentative) – Caroling in the community

Servants For Next Sunday

Message: Jason Groff	Hostess: Anna Good
Cleaning: Hope H. & Suetta H.	Usher in Charge: Jonathon Mullet
Missionary Supporters: Brian & Kathy Rau	

Offering last Sunday: \$5,641.00 Regular Offering : \$4,791.00

D&S Fund: \$200 **Bldg Fund:** \$500 **C-mas to India:** \$150

Love Gift for Brad Huddleston: \$885.00

Attendance last Sunday: 111

ANNOUNCEMENTS

✝ **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. Your response and feedback are requested.

✝ **2025 CMF Calendar and Directory are being prepared;** we want to include all members and all regular attendees. If you were not in the current one, get a form from John Ivan to provide pertinent data and contact info. For the Directory 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.

✝ **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. Card-making party is Tuesday, 6 pm in the cafeteria.

✝ **Donations to support BMA’s hurricane relief** project may be sent to **United Covenant Mennonite Church, PO Box 948, Etowah, NC 28729.** *Memo Line: Hurricane Relief Project.*

✝ **Two books by Brad Huddleston** *Digital Cocaine* and *Digital Rehab* are in the Lending Library in the hall. Take, Read, and Return!

SEAMS Family Spotlight – Micah & Carissa Krabill

“CMF Family,

The end of November has us saying “Where has the past 5 1/2 months gone?” We have been blessed with many contacts here, and ask the Lord for wisdom in knowing how to develop friendships with them. At the same time, we continue to ask God for more! One of them has been close to surrendering for a few months now. Will you continue praying for “L”? He is also in contact with a few other believers. We ask the Lord to place the hunger that is in “L” into many other hearts. We are looking at the possibility of enrolling into a community center (similar to a YMCA) that is run and attended by the Jewish community at least for the winter months so we are still able to meet more people. Will you pray with us for wisdom in this, and also for the ability to learn well as we study Hebrew?
Micah for the Krabill’s”



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 25, 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) – Cafeteria
c/o Calvin Lee Shirk and Fonda Showalter
- Primary (Gr 1-3) – Suetta Horst, Cynthia Shirk Room 101
- Junior (Gr 4-6) – Lou Martin, Art/Music Rm 103
- Youth (15+ y.o.) – Skyler Beery, Tom Keener Room 213
- Women Merlynn Keener, coordinator Sewing Room
- Men Joe McGurrin, coordinator Auditorium

Superintendents, Joel Troyer and Jason King

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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