

Welcome to
Calvary Mennonite Fellowship

December 28, 2025

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9:00 Prayer Service in Room CH-2. All are welcome!

"The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working." James 5:16

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	Auditorium

Text Today: Mark 5:21-43; **Next Sunday:** Mark 6:1-13

10:25 Opening & Announcements

Call to Worship & Offering	Josh Helmuth
Congregational Singing	Jeron Mullet
Sharing & Prayer Time	Dallas Wilkins
Message	Daniel Yoder (IN)

"The Messiah's Marching Orders"

TODAY'S SERVANTS

Greeters Today:	Logan & Angie Smith
Hosts Today:	Ben & JoAnn Showalter
Usher in Charge:	Jonathon Mullet

THIS WEEK

Friday, Youth New Years Party. Time and place TBD.

LOOKING AHEAD






The Year of our Lord 2026 is about to begin! MARANATHA!
Jan 29-Feb. 1 – BMA Ministers Enrichment Weekend (MEW) in Arthur, IL
Feb. 20 – UNITE prayer event by DNI
September 17-20 – Bible Conference with Lester Swartzentruber

Servants for Next Sunday

Message: Jason King	Hostess: Julia Showalter
Cleaning: Cynthia S. for CCA	Usher in Charge: Tristan Horst

Offering: Last Sunday: \$3,915 Regular Offering **\$3,915**
Attendance last Sunday: 137

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-  **Your Mailbox may have moved** as several new ones have been added!
-  **Calvary Medical Aid is due TODAY.** Increased rates are now: Couples \$720; Singles \$360. Make check payable to CALVARY MEDICAL AID.
-  **Family Photos for the 2026 CMF Directory** may be submitted to cavlarymfva@gmail.com by Christmas, preferably as a large file/good quality. Non-members who are attending, we want to include you in the Directory and Calendar! Talk with John Ivan if you have questions.
-  **Our 2026 SEAMS Family** is Ian & Marci Miller, serving with DNI in NYC. A sheet of introductory info and suggestions for sharing support and blessing is in each mailbox. Keep the picture as a prayer reminder! Suggested gift options are listed: Bring gifts, your family letter/pic, etc. to the box in the hall by January 20 to begin our blessing of the Millers.
-  **A Gift to you from Calvary – the 2026 CMF Calendars** are in your mailboxes today! Thanks to Cynthia Shirk for compiling and designing the photo pages and to those who submitted photos!! Enjoy them all year! Report any omissions or errors to John Ivan. Extra copies are \$7 each.

Missionary Spotlight – Dewey & Stacey Yoder
Church Planters in Cambodia

Thank you for your continued prayer and support! We really appreciate you all! This Christmas season finds Cambodia in a place of fear. There is so much fear here because of the war with Thailand. There are people that have been killed and a lot of people have been displaced. **Please pray for there to be peace for Cambodia.** Life here in the city still continues as normal. We had a Christmas celebration last Sunday.

Our dorm students acted out a wonderful drama. There was also singing and a clear presentation of the Gospel given. We ate a big pot of Khmer Curry afterwards. **A few prayer requests:** funding for Redeeming Rain, wisdom for upcoming home assignment. Continue to pray for Stacey's health (high blood pressure), I am feeling some better but still not 100%. Thank you!

2025- 2026 Sunday School Classes

- Preschool (4-5 y.o.) - Gloria Wenger, Becki Smucker Room CH-1
- Children's Assembly (Gr 1-9) – Cafeteria
c/o Calvin Lee Shirk and Fonda Showalter
- Primary (Gr 1-3) –Cynthia Shirk, Betty Wilkins Room 101
- Junior (Gr 4-6) – Marissa Anderson, Kathy Rau Room 103
- Intermediate (Gr 7-8) Angie Smith, Merlynne Keener Room 209
- Youth (15+ y.o.) – Gordon Brunk, Joel Troyer Room 213
- Women I Suetta Horst, Bev King Library
- Women II Becky McGurrin, Michelle Showalter Sewing Room
- Men I Stanley Good, Jordan Knicely Left side of Auditorium
- Men II Robb Mullet, Sherman Showalter Right side, Auditorium

Superintendents, Jason King and Joel Troyer

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

Chairman: John Ivan Byler **Secretary:** Stanley Good
Deacons: Frank Good, Lewis Horst, Josh Helmuth (**Treasurer**)
Pastoral Assistants: Skyler Beery, Jason King

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