

March 15, 2009

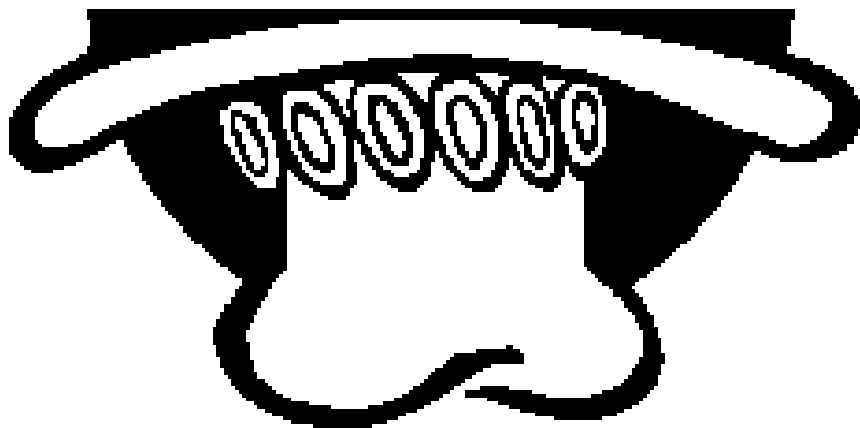
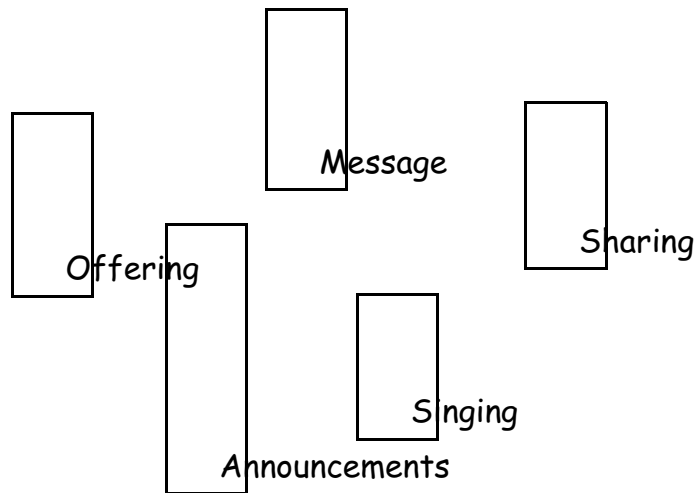
Salem Mennonite Church
Kidron, Ohio

Darrell Ediger, Pastor

Sunday School
Worship Service

9:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Youth Sunday



A big thank you to the SYF and their sponsor, Ed Roshong, for planning and leading us in worship this morning. Also, thanks to Paige Nofsinger for sharing what God laid on her heart for the morning message.

Prayer Concerns and Joys

- Please remember to be in prayer for the parents and their children who will be dedicated next Sunday.
Tyler Thomas - Seth & Rachael Clark
Judah Mark - Aaron & Jacqui Hershberger
Holden Tyler - Jared & Ashley Himes
- Barb Wilson is in a splint healing from a broken arm. (No surgery was necessary.) Please shower her with your cards and prayers.
- Let's remember Sid Sprunger (Bob & Beth's son in Kansas) as he heals from his colon surgery this past week. His surgery was successful and all test results went well.
- Please be in prayer for Dave Hartzler who will be having stomach surgery Tuesday, March 17, at Akron General.
- *(MMN Request)* Pray for strength and wisdom for Mennonite Voluntary Service participants serving in the Hutchinson, KS, community: Erica Stoltzfus, attendant at Mennonite Manor and Alex Richert, home technician with Interfaith Housing Services.

Today

9:30 a.m. No catechism class

10:30 a.m. Youth Sunday

3:00 p.m. Come join us at the Riceland Flow Care gymnasium for a day of sport, gaming, and fellowship with family and friends of Salem Mennonite Church for a day of healthy fun playing volleyball, basketball, and space will be available for board and other games.

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Monday

6:00 p.m. Business Council Meeting

7:00 p.m. Church Board Meeting

Tuesday

Happy St. Patrick's Day!



Wednesday

6:30 p.m. Adult Choir at KMC (Kidron Mennonite Church)

6:30 p.m. Mini Notes

6:15 p.m. Kingdom Choir

Friday

First day of Spring!

Next Sunday

10:30 a.m. Parent-Child Dedication Service

JHY - Social after church

6:00 p.m. Joyful Jammers

No SYF



Pre-Easter Services with Mark Moser as our guest preacher and teacher starting Sunday, March 29, 9:30 a.m., with a combined youth/adult S.S. class. (Note: This is an addition to the original schedule.) It will continue Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings. (More details will follow.)

WIM March Project: Health Kits

Oh, the things we find in Salem's historical archives! In the showcase now: from a 1977 Homemakers program, "Fashions to be Remembered." On condition of anonymity names of the models have been omitted. Resemblance to any males at Salem is purely coincidental (sort of).

The library committee has placed the book **Chicken Soup for the NASCAR Soul** in the library in memory of Butch Trefney. Read inspirational stories of courage, speed, and overcoming adversity in the lives of the race car drivers Butch loved to watch.

Primary Dept. Has a new project for their offering. We are purchasing fishing gear through Samaritan's Purse. Anyone wishing to donate to this cause, please just mark your offering envelope.

Reception Committee

Today - Eldon & Wava Kornhaus, Harold & Hazel Himes

March 22 - John & Karen Shultz, Marianne Cameron & Joyce Badertscher

Ushers

Today - R.K. Sprunger & Luke Ediger

March 22 - Jan Sohar & Mike Schaffter

Sunday School Nursery

Today - Stephanie Clemens & Johanna Badertscher

March 22 - Johanna Badertscher

Worship Service Nursery

Today - Annie Roshong & Lydia Hartzler - Toddlers

Chris Daniels & Haley Schaffter - Infants

March 22 - Jack Badertscher & Shawn Horner - Toddlers

Seth & Rachael Clark - Infants

Attendance

March 8 S.S. - 95

Worship - 128

Offering

March 8

General \$7,610.00

Designated \$ 564.82

\$8,174.82

Happy Birthday To:

Today Marianne Cameron
 Aaron Hershberger

Thursday Clay Nussbaum

Saturday Lavinia Corbett

Happy Anniversary To:

Friday Ray & Marilyn Miller - 33 Years!



Below is a summary of dates to put on your calendars and to remember in prayer. (More details will follow.)

- March 15** Youth Sunday (followed by our all-church social at Flow Care)
- March 22** Parent/Child Dedication
- March 29-31** Pre-Easter worship services and classes with
& April 2 Mark Moser as our speaker/teacher
- April 9** Maundy Thursday Communion (7:00 p.m.)
- April 10** Area church Good Friday Service (7:30 p.m.)
- April 12** Easter Celebration!!
- April 19** Baptism Sunday

Please note: Because of the Pre-Easter Services the week of March 30, April sewing has been moved back a week to Tuesday, March 24, (*Extra Sewing: 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.*) and Wednesday, March 25, (*All Day Sewing*). Please mark your calendars.

In His Own Words - a cantata with orchestra. Six area choirs will combine at Kidron Mennonite Church on Good Friday, April 10, 7:30 p.m. Marilyn Rossiter will direct choirs from Dalton Methodist, Dalton Presbyterian, Sonnenberg Mennonite, Salem Mennonite, Martin's Mennonite, and Kidron Mennonite.

Please join us in a vigil to mark the sixth anniversary of the beginning of the war in Iraq - Thursday, March 19, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., at the gazebo in downtown Wooster. Dress for the weather and bring a "lighting device" that is wind resistant. This event is intended mainly as a somber reminder of a war that continues but, perhaps, also as a warning, too, in light of troop increases to Afghanistan.

Susan Mark Landis, Peace Advocate, Mennonite Church USA

7:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 24th: Spring Celebration at Central Christian School in Kidron, Ohio. A special worship service will include music from local musicians, Sonnenberg Station. Guest speaker Alistair Begg, Pastor of Parkside Church in Cleveland and is heard daily across the nation on the radio program, *Truth for Life*, will give a message that will inspire and encourage us on our Christian journey. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. See the flyer on the bulletin board.

Central Christian School will be holding their spring fish fry on Friday, March 27, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Tickets are available from the junior class and are \$7 for adults, \$4.50 for children ages 6-12 and children 5 and under are free.

Central Christian School's spring musical *Into the Woods* will be presented on March 27, 28, and 29. Show times are 7:00 each evening and 3:00 on Sunday. Tickets are \$7 each and are being sold by the senior class.

Ted & Company Theaterworks presents *What Would Lloyd Do?* at Central Christian School. Tickets are \$10 each or \$8 for groups of 10 or more. They are available at the school.

Camp Luz will host two Lenten Days of Prayer

Two daylong prayer retreats, led by Deb Horst, will be held at Camp Luz on Saturday, April 4th and Wednesday, April 8th. Using scripture, reflection, music, silence, and prayer walks (indoor and outdoor options), the retreat invites the participant to journey with Jesus during his last earthly week, from Palm Sunday to Good Friday. The schedule for both days is the same: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm. Donations for lunch will be accepted (suggested \$5 per person). Please RSVP by email: campluz@zoominternet.net or call 330.683.1246 before March 31st to let us know which day you will attend.



