

August 30, 2009

Salem Mennonite Church
Kidron, Ohio

Darrell Ediger, Pastor

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:30 a.m.

Gathering Beth Gerber, Chorister
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name Blue Hymnal (H) #106

Welcome Janelle Roshong, Worship Leader
Please sign and pass the Welcome Pads.

Bible Memory Verse
*For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing,
but to us who are being saved, it is the power of God.*
I Corinthians 1:18

Worshiping God
'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (H) #340
Above All Overhead

Scripture I Thessalonians 4:1-18

Message "Coming Home" Walt Kime

Hymn of Response
Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone) Overhead

Sharing / Announcements

Offertory Herb Himes, organist
Gift of Finest Wheat Charles Callahan

Closing / Sending
The Lord Lift You Up (H) Insert

Postlude

*We thank Dr. Walter Kime for bringing the message this morning.
May God continue to bless you both, Walt and Karen, and all of your
family as you serve Him through all that you do.*

Last Sunday's Guests

Clay Middendorf - Ft. Loramie, OH

Tim & Kathy Doty - Wapakoneta, OH

Shari, Christian, & Connor Bechler - Hudsonville, MI

Prayer Concerns and Joys

- Thanks for remembering our family as we returned to Kansas this past week to celebrate my dad's (Sam Ediger) life and faith and is heavenly homecoming.
In Christ - Pastor Darrell, DeeDee, and family
- Cards may be sent to: Linda Ediger
221 Lake Vista Circle
Hesston, KS 67062
- *(MMN Request)* Pray for participants beginning assignments with Mennonite Voluntary Service, Radical Journey, or Service Adventure. Ask the Lord to give them openness and times of learning as they leave the familiarity of home and embark on a new adventure.

The flowers on the altar this morning are in loving memory of Fay Brode who passed away August 29, 2008. She was the dear sister of Myrle Trefney.

Thank you for the birthday greetings you sent to Pauline Badertscher for her 92nd birthday. She looked at them with family present. She does on rare occasions try to speak, but her words are not understandable. She does smile a lot which staff really admire about her. Thanks also for your prayer support. God's blessings to the Salem congregation. From the Pauline Badertscher family -

Rhonda Yoder, Wendell Badertscher, and Roelif Badertscher

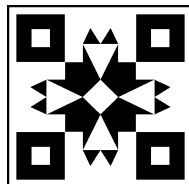
Today

All-church Sunday evening program: Beginning at 4:30 p.m., John Badertscher will share about his East-West Dialogue in Jordan. Following John's presentation a light supper will be provided. After supper, Grant Sprunger will share about the Global Youth Summit and Mennonite World Conference in Paraguay that he attended.

Tuesday

10:00 a.m. Education Council Meeting

6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Extra Sewing



Wednesday

All Day Sewing - WIM September Project: Meat Canning

7:00 p.m. Spiritual Council Meeting

Next Sunday

People to People Collection

9:10-9:30 & 10:10-10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Checks

4:00 p.m. SYF - Cabinet Meeting

5:00 p.m. SYF - Input at Roshong's

WIM August Project: Hand Soap

SYF needs 8 people to help with the Pork Producers Stand Sept. 12, 6:00 - 10:00 p.m., at the fair. Sign up sheet on the bulletin board. Questions? Call Greg Nofsinger.

You are invited to a benefit piano recital for children's leukemia research, to be given by Orrville pianist George Bixler. The recital will be held on Sunday, September 13, 2009 at Oak Grove Mennonite Church, Smithville, at 3:00 PM. Bixler will play a blend of sacred, classical, popular and jazz numbers in the recital. There will be no admission charge, but an offering will be taken, with all proceeds going to Lydia's Hope, a local charity that works with children's leukemia research, as well as support for families who have children with leukemia. A reception will follow the recital. Childcare will be available.

News from Camp Friedenswald: Be sure to check out the summer highlights video on our home page! Coming soon ... slide shows of individual summer camps! www.friedenswald.org. **Women's Retreat** - September 18-20. Worship and Music: Cindy Ropp, Jane Roeschley, Holly Zehr, Bonnie Neufeld. To register call 269.476.9744 or go to our website.

Happy Birthday To:

Today Joyce Badertscher
Tuesday John Shultz
Friday Connie Monaghan



Reception Committee

Today - Jim & Carolyn Fuchs, Jack & Shelley Salsburey
Sept. 6 - Jim & Lavinia Corbett, John & Karen Shultz

Ushers Today - R.K. Sprunger & Jim Corbett
Sept. 6 - Luke Ediger & Sam Schlabach

Sunday School Nursery Today - Shawn Horner & Dave Daniels
Sept. 6 - Seth & Rachael Clark

Worship Service Nursery Today - Steph (Rohr) Ediger & Kaelyn Horner
Sept. 6 - Ed & Lucas Roshong

Attendance

Aug. 23 S.S. - 111
Worship - 155

Offering

Aug. 23

General \$4,936.25
Designated \$1,885.10
\$6,821.35

