

February 21, 2010

Salem Mennonite Church
Kidron, Ohio

Darrell Ediger, Pastor

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

Gathering Salem Worship Band
Come, We That Love the Lord Brown Hymnal (FG) #550

Welcome Ted Gerber, Worship Leader
Please sign and pass the Welcome Pads.

Bible Memory Verse
This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down His life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers. I John 3:16

Worshiping God
God, You Reign Overhead
Wonderful, Merciful Saviour
Fairest, Lord Jesus

Scripture I John 2:7-14; 3:11-18

Message Darrell Ediger
"Whoever Loves, Lives in the Light" (Part I)

Hymn of Response
The Love of God (FG) #18

Sharing

Offertory Sherry Horst, piano
Musical Instruments by Michael W. Smith

Announcements

Closing / Sending
To God Be the Glory (FG) #363

Benediction (*Bible Memory Verse*)

Postlude

We happily welcome you to the Lord's house. May the risen Christ be our Guest, and may every heart be open to receive Him.

Last Sunday's Guests

Sophie & Chloe Ediger

Prayer Concerns and Joys

- *(MMN Request)* Pray that God may strengthen and guide Alyssa Hostetler, Kelli Yoder, Allen Slabaugh, and Richard Aguirre of the Americus, GA, Mennonite Voluntary Service unit as they serve the local community.

The flowers this morning are in loving memory of Carmen Sprunger Neuenschwander, daughter of Bob & Beth Sprunger. October 30, 1953 - February 19, 1980.

Today

Kings Kids - Acres of Fun after church

6:00 p.m. Joyful Jammers (note date change)

No SYF

Tuesday

1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Extra Sewing - We will have an added emphasis on extra knotting to aid in MCC's goal of **25,000** comforters to send to Haiti by February 28. We have plenty of blankets to be knotted - we just need the workers!

WIM February Project(s): Towels
Relief Kits (or items to fill Relief Kits)

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday

Pastor Darrell will be out of the office most of the day for Central District Conference Pastor Peer meeting.

Friday - Saturday

Lasting Flame Marriage Seminar. Please be in prayer.

Next Sunday

The three S.S. classes that meet in the fellowship hall will be relocated to accommodate the setting up of tables for the SYF soup lunch.

All-Church SYF soup luncheon. Come and enjoy food and fellowship and make a donation to the SYF missions trip fund. The luncheon will take place immediately after the church service.

JHY - Input at the church following soup lunch

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

Minutes from the Annual Congregational Business Meeting, held on Sunday, January 31, are available in the literature rack.

The church's financial statement will be available in the literature rack in the foyer each month.

10 dozen cookies are needed for the Red Cross Blood Mobile to be held at Kidron Mennonite Church on Tuesday, March 2, from 1:00 - 7:00 p.m. Please take your cookies to Colleen's house by Monday, March 1.

Please mark your calendars for March 7, 9:30 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend intergenerational S.S. classes where we will discuss the Response Forms which you all received in your mailboxes in January. Please bring your response forms to class on March 7, where we will use them as a teaching tool to share what we've learned and studied.

Something for Seniors at "The Pier at Lighthouse of Hope," **Tuesday, Feb. 23.** Norm Cox will sing and play his guitar. All senior citizens are invited to come and bring a friend. See the bulletin board for more information.

Homeowner's Clinic II: Solar, Wind & Wood. **Tuesday, Feb. 23,** 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., at PRC Prentke Romich Co., 1022 Heyl Rd., Wooster. See the poster on the bulletin board for more information. www.wcsen.org

Willie and Rodi Longenecker from Ontario will present "Grace Again," a gospel music program with slides, at OrrVilla Retirement Community, on **Monday, March 1,** at 7:00 p.m. This concert is free and everyone is invited. Refreshments will follow the program. For more information, call 330.683.4455.

Happy Birthday To:

Saturday John Mattson



Reception Committee

Today - Wayne & Grace King, Lin & Pam Beyer
Feb. 28 - Theron & Bev Hershberger, Jim & Lavinia Corbett

Ushers

Today - John Shultz & Jim Corbett
Feb. 28 - Greg Nofsinger & Ray King

Sunday School Nursery

Today - Marianne Cameron & Lise Moser
Feb. 28 - Tish Horner & Leiah Hackett

Worship Service Nursery

Today - Stephanie Clemens & Sandy Miller
Feb. 28 - Travis & Heather Pauli

Attendance

Feb. 14 S.S. - 75
Worship - 121

Offering

Feb. 14

General	\$5,389.00
Designated	\$ 646.50
	\$6,035.50

The Care Committee at Kidron Mennonite is looking into organizing a seminar/support group to help persons deal with the loss of a loved one (spouse, child, parent, sibling, friend). This would provide a place to meet with others who understand what you are feeling, helping you work through your grief from a Christian/Biblical perspective. If you, or someone you know, are adjusting to a loss (in the recent or not-so-recent past), we hope you will be open to attending. If you are interested, please call the Kidron Mennonite Church office (330.857.3461) to let Lois, Church Secretary know. Thank you.

OMW Day of Inspiration - April 10, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Kidron Mennonite Church. "What Not To Wear - Compassion Fashion Version" Pastor Naomi Engle will help us clean out our closets and put on Christ likeness in our appearance. Starting with the foundation piece of LOVE, we will add accessories of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience to make some beautiful new outfits you can wear every day, for work, or even to church. (Note: a change from Jan. Ohio Evangel in topic & speaker.) See the bulletin board for more information.

It's not too late to register for the MCC Great Lakes annual gathering! On **February 26-27**, you're invited to join other MCC supporters for a time of worship and learning together at Reba Place Church in Evanston, IL. This gathering will feature speakers Steve Steiner (recently returned from an MCC learning tour in Sudan) and Jenny & Joe Bishop Kempf (MCC service workers in Mozambique). With workshops, worship services and plenty of fellowship, it promises to be a wonderful event. For more information and online registration, visit our website: greatlakes.mcc.org or call our office at 574.534.4133. Direct link to annual gathering information:

<http://greatlakes.mcc.org/2010-mcc-great-lakes-annual-gathering>

Camp Friedenswald is hosting its Spring Scrapbook Retreat on **March 5-7**. Don't miss this fun weekend of scrapbooking, papercrafting, and stamping! For more information or to register, please contact Portia at 269.476.9744 or info@friedenswald.org. You can also check for updates on vendors and workshops at www.friedenswald.org.

Camp Luz Men's Retreat - March 19 - 21. Andy Stoner will speak on, "The Samson Syndrom: Looking at male sexuality, spirituality, and relationships." Brochures are available on the literature rack. Registration deadline is March 5.

ACC BIBLE QUIZ TOURNAMENT: Approximately 70-80 quiz teams from Pennsylvania, West Liberty, Ohio, and Archbold area, Ohio, will be coming to our area on **March 26-28** to participate in the Bible Quizzing Tournament at Central Christian School. We need volunteers who are willing to help with lodging, food prep and serving, and making cookies. If you would be willing to help in any of these areas or would like more information, please contact: Jenny Schartiger at 330.201.3148.

