

# Conestoga Mennonite Church



Joyfully Living Christ's Story to Benefit Others

January 12, 2020

Number 2

## Teaching the Word (9:30 a.m.)

Classes available for all ages to connect with God & one another

Children's classes meet in the nursery until 9:40 a.m.

Coffee Corner in the Library

## Morning Worship (10:30 a.m.)

**2020 Theme:** "Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as you are already doing." I Thes 5:11

Prelude	Cheryl Heineman
Worship in Song	Worship Team led by Krista Petersheim
<i>Extending Greetings of Peace</i>	
Welcome & Community Life	Pastor Bob
Quizzing Update	Joy Beam
2020 Theme Testimony	Elder Austin Unruh
Our Living HiStory Prayer	Youth Pastor Rachel Mast
Offertory	Carmen Weber
Hymn	
The Word of the Lord	Isaiah 42:5-9
Message: "Entrusted With Insider Information"	
Response of CMC Foundation: "We Believe"	
Response Hymn	
Benediction	
Our website grants an online giving option    Message copies on sound booth	

## Today:

- 30 Min Child Protection Training, 8:45-9:15 AM or 11:45-12:15 PM
- Since there's no Senior Connections this month, a take home meal for anyone over age 60 is available for you today. Choices are in the lobby.
- Youth Quizzing at Petra, 6:30 PM

## Thank You:

- Greeters - Nelson & Marilyn Beam
- Nursery - Carol Moss & Blair Petersheim
- Prayer Ministry - David & Cheryl Heineman

## ~This Week at CMC~

**Tuesday: 9:15 AM** - Neighbors will feature "Seeing God's Unique Creation through the Bubbles", with Krystal & Chad Frankhouser

**Wednesday: 7 PM** - Ministry Council & COT chair Merv Stoltzfus

**Thursday: 7:15 PM** - Worship Planning Team

## Next Sunday:

- 30 Min Child Protection Training, 8:45-9:15 AM or 11:45-12:15 PM
- Elder Bob Horning will share "Meet Jesus" from Jn 10:14-15
- Nursery: Emma & Cora Parsons and Blair Petersheim
- Children's Church with Dan & Janet McCormick and Lemar Mast

## CMC Notes

**God's Generosity:** We are delighted Finance Committee confirmed the strength of 2019 member giving versus expenses to General Fund leaves a positive balance of \$29,856.57 to distribute to above budget mission and ministry, as approved! Praise God for this sacred privilege!

**Sign Up's on the Lobby Board:** You are invited -

- Child Protection Training next Sunday before/after worship
- Pizza at Men & Boys "Car Madness" Night, Wednesday, Feb. 5
- Hosting of Quiz Team for Sunday supper
- 2020 Theme Testimony Sharing
- Men to Fulfill our M4:6a Promise

**Elective Sunday School:** Lois Ann accepted our Superintendents invitation to plan a March-May SS elective offering on Anabaptist history & theology. We look forward to the teaching from Lois Ann and guests.

**Stewardship University:** will be held on Saturday, March 7 at Calvary Church, Lancaster. Stewardship U courses invite participants to discover the solutions they need to live a God-honoring life of holistic stewardship. Learn ways your use of time, talents, money, health & relationships God has given you can enhance and deepen your faith, drawing you nearer to God. Flyers are in mailboxes today.

The movie "**Overcome**" will be shown at Zion Mennonite on Jan. 25, 6-8 PM. "**Overcome**" dares to leave you filled with hope, inspired to dream and asks the question: what do you allow to define you?" Come and be blessed!

## ~Looking Ahead~

Feb. 2 - SS Annual Meeting and Message by COT member Nelson Yoder

## Prayer Items

Continue in prayer for **CMC members yearning for healing:**

- **Steve Peck's wife Gail** in intense neck pain
- **Nevin Martin** pursuing clarity for healing of his hip
- **Members experiencing trauma** from broken family relationships

Praise God for the **strength of member giving** enabling us to generously support above budget mission and ministry again this year.

Praise God for the depth of all generations here at CMC; especially the privilege of stewarding our **growing base of dynamic, young families.**

Today we highlight our budget mission supporting **Twin Valley Food Pantry.** Pray blessing on Howard and Carol and their significant network of CMC and community partners reflecting God's generosity as we work to eliminate local hunger.



*Last Sunday morning we installed two new elders: David Heineman and Ruth Miller—here Pastor Bob is leading in a prayer of blessing.*

### ~January 5, 2020 Reports~

**Attendance:** Sun. School - 87; Worship - 109

**General Offering:** \$2,917.59

**Designated:** Tuition Assist. - \$160; Homes for Christ - \$165

#### **Our Ministers:** Every Member

##### **Pastoral Team:**

Pastor Bob, Chair  
Nelson Beam, Elder, Vice Chair  
Bob Horning, Elder  
David Heineman, Elder  
Jerry Petersheim, Deacon Elder  
Sonya Stoltzfus, Preaching Elder  
Austin Unruh, Preaching Elder  
Ruth Miller, Elder  
Rachel Mast, Youth Pastor

##### **Ministry Council:**

Pastor Bob, Chair  
Dir. of Chr. Ed.: Lois Ann Mast  
Dir. of Fellowship: Tina Essick  
Dir. of Mission: Justin Kolb  
Dir. of Stewardship: Lyle Essick  
Dir. of Worship: Kristy Unruh

##### **Church Staff:**

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# Welcome

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