

Conestoga Mennonite Church

Our Living  **STORY MISSION:**
Joyfully Living Christ's Story to Benefit Others

March 8, 2020

Lent 2020: "Listening to the Spirit for CMC"

Number 10

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.

Elective in Fellowship Hall, Quarterly Class in Chapel Rm, Coffee Corner in 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
Foundations: CMC Mission & Priorities	
Extending Greetings of Peace	
Welcome & Community Life	Pastor Bob
Theme Testimony	*Open Mic
Our Living HiStory Prayer	
Offertory	Carmen Weber
Hymn	
The Word of the Lord	Rev. 2:8-11
Message: "Encourage Bolder Courage"	
Response Hymn	
Benediction	

Our website grants an online giving option Message copies on sound booth

*To schedule your testimony, speak with Pastor Bob

Today:

- ACC Tournament at LMS, 1 PM
- Thank You:
 - Greeters - Gary Stoltzfus & Nevin Martin
 - Nursery - Marilyn Beam & Carol Moss
 - Prayer Ministry - David & Cheryl Heineman

~This Week at CMC~

Tuesday: 9:15 AM - Neighbors, a fun day featuring "My Favorite Things"

Wednesday, 7 PM - Ministry Council

Thursday, 9:30 - 11:30 AM - Teddy Bear Club in the Youth Room

12 Noon - Senior Connections, "Wisdom from the Trail" with Ernie & Lois Hess sharing glimpses of their journey on the Appalachian Trail.

Next Sunday:

- Lent 2020: Message by Pastor Bob "Encourage Godly Morality" from Rev. 2:12-17; Memory Verses: I Cor. 6:19-20
- Nursery: Austin & Kristy Unruh
- Children's Church with Dan & Janet McCormick and Dan Mast, M4:6a

Conestoga Notes

Hymn Sing: A big thanks to Krista and Carmen for the inspiring start last week to their planned, ongoing first Sunday of the month 6-7 PM Hymn sing. If you love to sing, put it on your calendars!

Save Your Coins: on March 15, 22 and 29 we will take a special offering for MCC's *My Coins Count* offering. The coins will be delivered to the MCC Relief Sale on April 4 to be combined with national collection from churches.

March 22 Fellowship Meal is a celebration of the Lusengya's and Kolb's home purchases! Plan to join in by bringing your party food - main course, salad/veggies and desserts. If a family, please bring 2 items to share. Cake will be provided.

Easter Sunday, April 12: you are invited to the Sunrise Service at Pine Grove Cemetery in Elverson; 6:20 AM, followed by breakfast here at CMC. After our regular Easter morning service, there will be an Easter Egg Hunt for children ages 12 & under.

Annual Spring Work Day: Trustees appreciate the annual support preserving excellence of our facility through mulching, trimming, etc. You are encouraged to place April 25th at 8 AM on your calendars!

Mennonite Healthcare Fellowship (MHF) is seeking a half time Executive Director. Please see the lobby board posting for details and contact info.

Prayer Items

Omar Beam was grateful for clearance allowing surgery to repair his damaged eye lid. Pray for prompt healing.

We celebrate with **David and Cheryl** the “all clear” oncologist report. Praise God for Cheryl’s cancer free diagnosis!

Remember to pray for **Linda Mast** as she pursues clarity of the root of her pain.

Pray blessing as our **Quiz Team and coaches** wrap up the 2020 season this month. Praise God for the fruit of time spent in his Word.

Today we highlight our budget support of **MC USA Executive Board** in their leadership service of our mission and ministry connections. Pray blessing as they empower us to God’s glory!

Looking Ahead

March 22 - Sonya’s “Encourage Persistent Perseverance” from Rev. 2:18-29; Marlin and Sambath Petersheim will share a “Moment in Mission” during worship and for 30 minutes after our fellowship meal for anyone wanting to hear more!

April 25 - Plan ahead to join in at 8 AM for our Spring Facility Clean Up Day

~March 1, 2020 Reports~

Attendance: Sun. School - 95; Worship - 104

General Offering: \$3,209.36

Designated Offering: Tuition Assistance - \$80; Homes for Christ - \$70

Our Ministers: Every Member

Pastoral Team:

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

Pastor: Bob Petersheim: leadcmc55@gmail.com, 610-507-8862 (cell)

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Welcome on March 8, 2020, to Conestoga Mennonite Church



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9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Friday

