

Conestoga Mennonite Church

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

July 26, 2020

Number 30

Morning Worship (9:30 a.m.)

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

Prelude	David Heineman
Worship in Song	Worship Team led by Krista Petersheim
<i>Social Distance Greetings</i>	
Welcome & Community Life	Pastor Bob
Theme Testimony	Open Mic
Our Living HiStory Prayer	
Hymn	
The Word of the Lord	Matt. 13:44-46
Message: "Rooted in Joy"	
Response Hymn	
Lusenyga House Warming	Cindy Petersheim
Benediction	

Giving: You are welcome to give tithes and offerings through our on-line giving option, stamped mail or lobby box. Thank You!

Message copies are on our Sound Booth.

Today:

- *Greeters* - Lyle & Tina Essick
- *Prayer Ministry* - Josiah & Sonya Stoltzfus
- *Children's Packets* - Provided by Lois Ann Mast
- *Nursery* - Cindy Petersheim, Kashindi & Elizabeth Lusengya
- *You are welcome* to fellowship while social distancing behind our facility with your packed lunch or, if you ordered the \$5 lunch, you can pick it up in the fellowship hall.

~This Week at CMC~:

Tuesday, 5-7 PM - Food Pantry Distribution

Wednesday, 7 PM - Volleyball

Thursday, 7 PM - Cancer Support Group meeting in Conf. Room

Next Sunday:

- Nursery:
- Marlin Petersheim will share "The New Creation" from II Cor. 5:11-6:2

~Conestoga Notes~

Masks: members with weakened immune systems or those working in health professions appreciate their brothers and sisters wearing a mask in the shared spaces of our facility. If you would like to remove your mask when socially distanced at your seat, please cross over the red tape mark on the floor before finding your place to sit.

Nursery: members healthy enough to serve in our nursery are encouraged to volunteer to Blair or Rebecca. It is our goal to give young parents a break from child care on Sunday mornings. We could use more partners.

MCC - Kenneth Sensenig did a fantastic job last Sunday helping us celebrate God's work through Mennonite Central Committee! An additional CMC pillar-stone story worth telling is the years (1967-1971) Andy & Dot spent in South Korea with MCC. They began the faith based social services that has today grown to employ hundreds of social workers and begun multiple child care and senior centers, etc. Hear the story!

Neighbors Women's Ministry is looking for caregivers who love children and would be willing to serve from Sept. 22 - April 2021, 9:15 - 11:15 AM on Tuesdays. Interested ladies/teens should contact Tina Essick at 610-864-7714.

Cancer Support Group meets Thursday evenings at 7 PM. If you know of anyone who might benefit, encourage them to contact Cheryl Heineman at 610-762-0002 or cherylca@ptd.net.

Prayer Items

Praise God **Dot is finding ways to manage the pain** from two broken ribs. Pray for a quick and full return to health.

We celebrate with **Dan and Janet** successful pace maker procedure for Trudy. Pray for full healing.

Pray Vida would sense God's presence after her sister Alma passed from a long journey with cancer. Vida traveled with family to Ohio for the funeral.

Pray blessing as **members travel to visit family:**

- **Howard and Carol** dropping Howard Sr. off for time with his daughter on their way to visit with Sabrina and her children.
- **Nelson and Marilyn** and family after a delightful week in Iowa, meeting their new grandson born to Caleb and Denise.

Pray anointing as Cheryl leads her weekly Thursday evening **Cancer Support Group**. Pray God would encourage and bless each participant from our community and congregation!

Today we highlight our budget support of **Menonite Disaster Service (MDS)**. Last week we heard an inspiring message on God's work through Menonite Central Committee (MCC). MDS is the arm of the church doing immediate and long term disaster response and rebuilding! Praise God for holistic mission outreach!



Austin Unruh invited Anthony Weber to break one cord which he did, but then when he tried to break a bunch of cords unsuccessfully, it proved that together we stand! Below, Mark Petersheim drew a picture of Austin during the morning sermon.

~July 19, 2020 Reports~

Attendance: Worship - *95

General Offering: \$5,202.50; **Designated Offerings:**

Tuition Assistance - \$80 ; Homes for Christ - \$125

*Attendance does not record our live streaming or online participation

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:

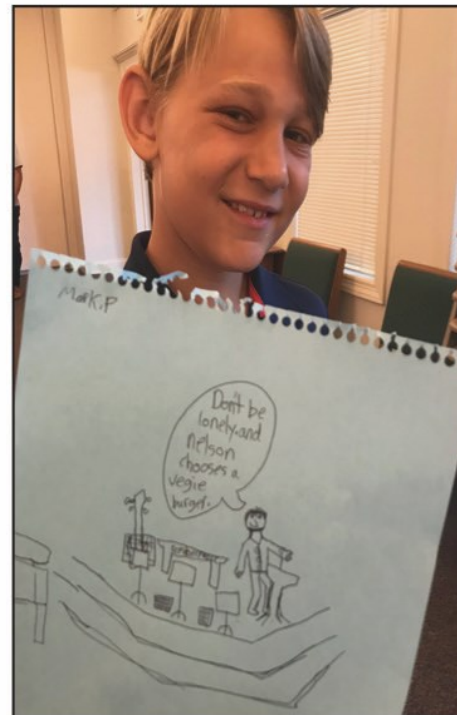
Pastor Bob, Chair
Dir. of Chr. Ed.: Lois Ann Mast
Dir. of Fellowship: Tina Essick
Dir. of Mission: Justin Kolb
Dir. of Stewardship: Lyle Essick
Dir. of Worship: Kristy Unruh

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Welcome

on July 26, 2020, to

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