

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE...

Please share your contact info with us on this "tear off" page and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher as you leave today. Thank you!

- Please update my information
- Visitor
- Guest of _____
- New to the community
- Looking for a church home
- Have a church home
- Desire to learn more about Swamp Mennonite Church

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____
 Birthday _____
 Anniversary _____

SHARE YOUR PRAISE/PRAYER NEEDS:

- LAST WEEK'S FIGURES -

Offering	\$9,246.25
2023 Weekly Budget	\$6,640.29
YTD Surplus/Deficit	\$8,438.39
MEP Offering	\$378.78
2023-24 MEP Weekly Budget ..	\$1,386.62
Endowment Applied	\$20,000.00
YTD Surplus/Deficit	\$3,414.44

Attendance

Sunday School	59
Worship Service	85

TODAY'S WORSHIP

As We Gather

Proverbs 26:23-26 & Psalm 51:9-12

Katie Gehman

Worship in Song

SB53

Scripture Reading

Luke 11:33-42

Jay Geissing

Children's Time

Arlene Yothers

Worship in Song

P57

Barry Gehman

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 10:1-5, 14-17, 31-33

Message

"Keeping Up Appearances"

Pastor Nathan Good

Footwashing

P778, P761, B258, B110, P766

Communion

As We Go

P841

Growing Together in Christ

SWAMP
MENNONITE CHURCH

January 7, 2024

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At Swamp Mennonite Church we celebrate God's grace, encourage growth in Christ, and boldly proclaim the victory of Christ's love over sin and death; through the power of God's Holy Spirit.

Find us on Facebook

Welcome to our Guests!

Your children are welcome to our service. Children's Bulletins & Activity Packs are available from any usher! We also offer a nursery program during Sunday School and our Worship Service for 0-3 years.

This morning's Nursery hosts:
Greg and Shannon Longacre

Next week's Nursery hosts:
Steve and Cindy Weaver

The words to the songs are projected on the screen. If you prefer to read music, the songbook number is in the corner of each screen: **B=Blue, P=Purple, SB=Black.**

THIS WEEK AT SWAMP

Wednesday, January 10
6:30 pm Youth Group

Thursday, January 11
4:30 pm Depart for Men's Retreat @ Spruce Lake
7:30 pm Women's Group

Friday, January 12
6:00 pm Return from Men's Retreat

Sunday, January 14
8:30 am Fellowship & Coffee
9:00 am Sunday School
10:15 am Worship Service



CELEBRATING OUR LIVES TOGETHER

This morning Pastor Tracy and his family are at CrossGen, a retreat Finland Mennonite Church hosts at Spruce Lake. Pastor Tracy worked this past week and is working and available this coming week as well.

Spruce Lake's **Men's Retreat** is this **Thursday-Friday, January 11 & 12**. Depart from church at 4:30 pm Thursday and return by 6:00 pm Friday. More information and a sign-up sheet are on the bulletin board by the nursery. See Barry Gehman or Bill Longacre with questions.

A **Women's Group** has been meeting the **second and fourth Thursday** of every month. We alternate between a time of Bible study and fellowship and rotate around to different hosts' homes. If you would like more information, please seek out Dana Good or Katie Gehman.

There will be a **Fellowship Meal** on **Sunday, January 21** following our worship service. For more info, please contact Shirley Geissinger.

Every year we offer a **membership exploration class** for anyone looking to grow in their faith or considering what baptism and membership might mean. The class will run **February 4 - April 21** with an expected Baptism and Covenant Sunday on May 19. There will be a Baptism/Membership Information Session on Sunday, January 28 at 9:00 am. If interested, please speak with Pastor Nathan or Pastor Tracy.

There will be a **Youth Tubing Event** at Bear Creek on **Wednesday, January 31** beginning at 5:30 pm. For more info please contact a youth sponsor.

PRAISES THIS WEEK

Happy Birthday
Benjamin Longacre
Lydia Longacre
Evelyn Troyer
Shealyn Celone
Jane Cope
Julie Mease

Happy Anniversary
Jeff & Sharon Ambrose

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

The healing and ongoing health care needs of...

Helen Asbury
Jamie Haas

...and those that are unable to worship with us.

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