

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 _____
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 Birthday _____
 Anniversary _____

SHARE YOUR PRAISE/PRAYER NEEDS:

- LAST WEEK'S FIGURES -

Offering	\$5,285.35
2024 Weekly Budget	\$6,804.92
YTD Surplus/Deficit	-\$5,415.35
MEP Offering	\$108.78
2023-24 MEP Weekly Budget ..	\$1,256.25
Endowment Applied	\$20,200.00
YTD Surplus/Deficit	-\$385.64

Attendance

Sunday School	84
Worship Service	101



Current Sermon Series
"Connecting the Dots"

TODAY'S WORSHIP

As We Gather
Psalm 36:5-9
Josh Geissinger

Worship in Song
B11, P626, SB43

Scripture Reading
Ephesians 3:2, 6-12
Esther Snedigar

Children's Time
Romans 8:1-2, 31-39
Shirley Geissinger

Worship in Song
P638
Dan Cooper

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading
Ephesians 3:14-19

Message
"Oh the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"
Pastor Rose Bender Cook

Response in Song
P239, P831

As We Go
P841
Pastor Tracy Commons

Growing Together in Christ

SWAMP
MENNONITE CHURCH

5th Sunday of Lent
March 17, 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:

Crystal Barr
Luella Gehman

Next week's Nursery hosts:

Cindy Longacre
Nan Myland

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**Tuesday, March 19*****Spring Begins***

9:00 am Care & Share Volunteer Day
6:30 pm Choir Practice

Wednesday, March 20

6:00 pm Fellowship Meal
6:30 pm Clubs
6:30 pm Youth Group

Thursday, March 21

7:00 pm Men's Group

Sunday, March 24***Palm Sunday***

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

CELEBRATING OUR LIVES TOGETHER

Today, we welcome **Rose Bender Cook**, bringing us the morning message. A mid-westerner at heart, Rose has been on the East Coast since her time at Messiah College. She followed a call to pastoral ministry, received her M.Div. from Bethel Seminary of the East in 2005 and is currently in doctoral work in Anabaptist Leadership at the Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary. Rose has served as Lead Pastor of Whitehall Mennonite since 2010. She also serves part-time as Director of Mosaic Institute and Leadership Minister for Formation. In 2017, Rose married Bruce Cook, becoming a stepmother of three adult children and is now a proud grandparent.

We will have a **choir** on Easter Sunday. If you would like to sing in the choir, practices are **Tuesday, March 19 & Tuesday, March 26** from 6:30-7:30 pm. Be sure to bring your choir book along. Any questions, please see Kathy Werner.

The **Rocker-thon** is at Souderton Mennonite Homes on **Friday, March 22** from 9:00 am-3:00 pm. This event is to benefit the Agape Fund. You can rock on a rocking chair and be entertained and get a snack for an hour at a time. For donation and other info, see Dave or Arlene Yothers.

Save the date for our **Good Friday Service** on **Friday, March 29** beginning at 7:00 pm.

On Sunday, March 31, join us for an **Easter Sunrise Bonfire** beginning at 6:30 am and then celebrate our risen Lord at the **Easter Sunrise Service** here at Swamp at 7:00 am. West Swamp will be joining us this year. It will be followed by a light breakfast. Then join us for Sunday School at 9:00 am and our 10:15 service.

PRAISES THIS WEEK***Happy Birthday***

Katie Rush
Laura Rush
Mary Longacre
Noah Gehman
Isaac Snedigar
Ashley Geissingner

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

The healing and ongoing health care needs of...

Helen Asbury
Jamie Haas

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

*...the mission work of **Phil and Pat Rosenberger & Family** in New Mexico.*

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED...

Help is needed to process and can meat for the **MCC Meat Canner** at the MCC Material Resource Center – Harleysville. Meat will be sent many places around the world to people in need. Volunteers are especially needed on **Monday, March 25** from 3:00-6:00 pm and on **Wednesday, March 27** from 6:30-9:00 am, 12:00-3:00 pm and 3:00-6:00 pm. Please call 267-203-8074 to sign up for a 3-hour time slot. More info is on the bulletin board.