



# Orrville Mennonite Church

1305 W. Market St. Orrville Ohio 44667

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## Worship Order for June 18, 2023

### Welcome

<b>Gathering Songs</b>	<i>We Sing to You, O God</i>	SJ 1
	<i>Jesus Calls Us Here to Meet Him</i>	SJ 3

The lamps will be lit during the opening songs.

- As we light these lamps, we remember:
- Our sisters, brothers, friends, partners.
- Our laments.
- Our thanksgivings.
- The hope we have together in Christ.

### **Responsive Reading** adapted from Psalm 86

Leader: You, Lord, are a God of compassion and mercy; you are very patient and full of faithful love.

**Piano Side: Lord, listen closely and answer us, because we are poor and in need.**

*Offering Side: Guard our lives because we are faithful. Save your servants who trust in you.*

**All: Have mercy on us, Lord. We offer our lives to you, because you are good and forgiving, full of faithful love for all those who cry out to you.**

Leader: Listen closely to our prayer, Lord.

**Piano Side: Pay close attention to the sound of our requests for mercy.**

*Offering Side: Whenever we are in trouble, we cry out to you, because you will answer us.*

Leader: There is no one like you among the gods! There is nothing that can compare to your works! All the peoples →

that you've made will come and bow down before you, Lord; they will glorify your name.

**All: *You are awesome and a wonder-worker.***

***You are God--Just you.***

Offering Side: Teach us your ways, Lord, so that we can walk in your truth.

Piano Side: Make our hearts focused only on honoring your name.

**All: *We give thanks to you, our Lord, our God, with all our hearts. We will glorify your name forever, because, in your faithful love you have rescued our lives from the depths.***

Leader: There are times when people and situations rise up against us, God. They want our undoing, and they don't give a thought for you. But you, Lord, are a God of compassion and mercy; you are very patient and full of faithful love.

**All: *Have mercy on us! Show us a sign of your goodness. Give your servants your strength; save us!***

Leader: You, Lord, are a God of compassion and mercy; you are very patient and full of faithful love.

<b>Singing</b>	<i>Slowly Turning, Ever Turning</i>	SJ 23
	<i>Over My Head</i>	SJ 18
	<i>I Will Call Upon the Lord</i>	SJ 19

### **Offering Prayer**

<b>Offering Song</b>	<i>Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song</i>	SJ 14
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Come forward during the offertory and place gifts and offerings in vessels for regular offering and My Coins Count and the Dollar Project.

**Scripture** 1 Peter 4.7-11

7 The end of everything has come. Therefore, be self-controlled and clearheaded so you can pray. 8 Above all, show sincere love to each other, because love brings about the forgiveness of many sins. 9 Open your homes to each other without complaining. →

10 And serve each other according to the gift each person has received, as good managers of God's diverse gifts. 11 Whoever speaks should do so as those who speak God's word. Whoever serves should do so from the strength that God furnishes. Do this so that in everything God may be honored through Jesus Christ. To him be honor and power forever and always. Amen.

**Meditation**     *Love, because the end is here*

**Singing**            *Let There Be Light, Lord God*                                 SJ 67

**Love Step Prayer** (standing if able)

Lord, open my eyes to see when you introduce me to someone. Help me to meet them with love where they are and to be met in love where I am. Help us to walk together, learn from each other, and share your love with others. Help us to see that as we do these things together, we are growing closer to Christ.

**Benediction**

**Sharing (prayer requests) and Caring Announcements**

Greeter, LaVonne Amstutz

Usher, Sherm Amstutz

Nursery Care, (Worship), Kathy Troyer

Nursery Care, (Sunday School), Jan and Rollie Kauffman

Song Leader, Bill Seymour

Reader, Marilyn Kamp

Sharing and Prayer

## **Announcements**

**Memorial Service for Lucas Erb.** Today, Sunday, June 18, at 3:00 pm at Tara and Denver Steiner's Stirrup Courage horse barn 823 S. Kohler Road. Orrville. We express our sincere sympathies, and a contribution has been made in memory of Lucas to the I.W. Royer Scholarship Fund.

### **Address Update for Marion and Jane Beyeler**

424 Cedar Cove, Orrville, OH 44667

**Monday Meals.** Monday, we served 184 pork loin and potato meals. This Monday we will serve beef and noodles with a side vegetable. Emmett Andreasen is making coffee cake to give out for dessert in honor of his birthday June 11.

**Penny Power!!!!** Good News! An anonymous donor will match all MCC Penny Power/My Coins Count donations given from May 28 through July 2. Make your gift count, give generously! Bring in those "pennies!"

**Sunday, July 9 Six Church Worship and Lunch.** Sunday morning, July 9, we'll gather with our six church friends, including Akron Swahili Community Church at **Crown Hill Mennonite Church**. Worship will start at 10:00 am and will include sharing from Austin Zuercher, sharing from the Axis Youth Group from their SWAP trip, and two baptisms for Salem Wooster. Akron Swahili Community Church choir will sing (we think), and we'll sing all together as well. Weather permitting, we'll worship outside under the trees. Bring chairs and whatever you need to be comfortable outside. This will be quite a summer celebration! A catered lunch will follow.

### **Offering Report for June 11, 2023**

Ministry Spending Plan: \$4,110.00

Monday Meals: \$3,299.00

Dollar Project (Bangladesh): \$302.00

Anabaptist World: \$78.00

## **Schedule At a Glance for June 18 – 25, 2023**

Sunday, June 18 **Father's Day**

Worship, **9:30 am**

Bill Seymour preaching

Sunday School, **10:45 am**

Monday, June 19

Monday Meal, 5:30 pm

Tuesday, June 20

REFIT, 6:30 pm

Wednesday, June 21

Men's Breakfast (location TBA), 7 am

Open Arms Kids' Camp, 9 am – 2:30 pm

Axis Youth Group, 6:30 pm

Sunday, June 25

Worship, **9:30 am**

Bill Seymour preaching

Sunday School, **10:45 am**

### **Coming Events:**

July 3 – 9      Axis Youth Group serving with SWAP, Kimball, KY

July 7,8      Ohio MCC Relief Sale in Mt. Hope (new location!)

July 9      6 Church Worship & Lunch at Crown Hill MC, 10 am

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