

Happy Birthday to:

Monday	Ben Myers
Tuesday	Danae King
Wednesday	Dorothy Miller
Thursday	Randy Rheinheimer
Friday	Jared Yoder
	Kim Burkholder
Saturday	Darrell Phillips



Please remember these persons by sending a card, calling them or offering a special prayer of thanks for them.

Coming Events:

March 12-13	Ohio Conference Annual Conference Assembly at Central Mennonite Church, Archbold, OH
March 24	Spring Congregational Meeting, 7 pm
March 27, 28	Invitational Bible Quizzing Tournament, Kidron, OH
April 1	Maundy Thursday Service at OMC
April 5	<u>Body Politics</u> book study begins at OMC
June 19-20	WINGS Retreat and Camp Luz Sunday
July 18-22	Save the Date! Vacation Bible School

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March 7, 2010

“We are dedicated to loving God and loving people”

To the glory of God and through the power of the Holy Spirit, we will be a loving fellowship of believers who intentionally further God’s kingdom by making disciples and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING AND PRAYER

HYMNS OF PRAISE

“Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord” (WB 76)
 “Fairest Lord Jesus” (WB 117)

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 9:49-50

OFFERING/PRAYER

Offertory “It is Well” Orchestra

CHILDREN’S TIME

HYMN “Be Thou My Vision” (WB 545)

MESSAGE “You Want to Use THAT Guy?” Bill Seymour

CLOSING HYMN “There’s A Wideness In God’s Mercy” (WB 145)

BENEDICTION

Reader: Nancy Hostetler
 Song Leader: Allison Seymour
 Accompanist: Anita Fisher
 Orchestra Participants this Sunday: Leah Otto, Josh Squirrel, Natalie Fisher
 Carol Rheinheimer, Rachel Gingerich, Allison Seymour, Gregory Seymour
 Jordan King, Nate Otto, Doug Fisher



Today (March 7)

8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in Bill's office
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 Bill Seymour preaching
 2:30 p.m. Childbirth Class
 6:00 p.m. Footprints – *Text:_ Ding*

Monday

7:00 p.m. Elder Council

Tuesday

6:00 p.m. WINGS–*Gym Night and Learning About Camp Luz*
 6:00 p.m. Small Group Meal and Activity

Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Small Group Meal and Activity
 6:30 p.m. BreakAway – *Bowl-A-Rama*
 6:30 p.m. Prayer Time cancelled for this Wednesday

Thursday

Opportunity to take Spiritual Life Survey at church
 (call church office to sign up for a time slot)

Friday – Saturday Annual Conference Assembly of Ohio
 Conference of Mennonite Church USA at
 Central Mennonite Church, Archbold, Ohio

Next Sunday (March 14) *Daylight Saving Time Begins*

8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in Bill's Office
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 Bill Seymour preaching
 Parent and Child Dedication for
 Quinten Cade & Denver and Tara Steiner
 2:30 p.m. Local Bible Quizzing Tournament at Sonnenberg MC
 2:30 p.m. Childbirth Class
 6:00 p.m. Footprints – *Text:_ It's Hard*

**Last Sunday (February 28)**

Offering (Ministry Spending Plan): \$3,212.00
 Partnership Plan: \$980.00
 Capital Campaign (House of Hope): \$81.00
 Youth Pastor Pledge: \$85.00

Greeters Today Tony and Judy Estrada

Next Sunday Jeff and Anita Fisher, Andrew Sensenig

Elder Greeter Today Mel Wenger

Next Sunday Marilyn Kamp

**Sunday School Nursery Today** Ryan Immel

Next Sunday Mark and Jen Bixler

Worship Nursery Today Jeff and Anita Fisher

Next Sunday John and Barb Shilling



Welcome to our worship service! If you are a visitor or guest, please fill out one of the welcome cards found on the ends of each pew and place it in the offering plate. There is space on the back of these cards for anyone to share a prayer request or concern. You can hand it to Pastor Bill or an elder or put it in the box outside the church office.

Encouragement cards are available at the end of each pew. Please feel free to use these cards to write a note of encouragement to someone this week. You can leave your note on the pew and Jan will mail it for you or you can mail/deliver it yourself.

We extend sincere sympathies to Rayene Schrock, Jason Schrock and Sheila and Sly Slaughter & Family in the passing of husband and father, Phil Schrock on Wednesday, March 3rd. A contribution has been made to the I.W. Royer Scholarship Fund in Phil's memory. Calling hours are this evening at McIntire, Davis & Greene Funeral Home in Wooster from 5 – 8 p.m. The memorial service will be held here at Orrville Mennonite Church tomorrow morning at 11:00 a.m.

Bible Quizzing Invitational Tournament Announcements

- **You can help by donating cookies!** Orrville Mennonite Church is being asked to donate 18 – 20 dozen cookies for the upcoming Bible Quizzing Tournament to be held at Central Christian School, March 26-28. See Sharon Hershberger to sign up to donate cookies. You can drop the cookies off at OMC by Friday, March 26 at 6 p.m. or you can take them directly to Central Christian School by Saturday morning, March 27 at 9 a.m.
- **Host Families needed.** Approximately 70-80 quiz teams from Pennsylvania, West Liberty, Ohio and Archbold, Ohio areas will be coming to our area to participate in the Bible Quizzing Tournament at Central Christian School. We need your help to give them a place to sleep! See the quizzing bulletin board in the fellowship hall for more information and to sign up! Four OMC families are currently signed up to host a quiz team and we could still use more! Contact Jenny Schartiger at 330-201-3148 with questions.

Our Compassion Fund is in need of some additional funds. Please prayerfully consider a monetary donation to help with needs in the community and church family.

The Practical Side of Church Life. An 8-week study of John Howard Yoder's Body Politics with Kevin Himes, Monday evenings, 7:00 p.m. beginning April 5 at Orrville Mennonite Church. All are invited to attend. See coming events ad board in the fellowship hall and article in this Sunday's issue of *In Touch* for more information.



- **It's time!!** As the Elder Council continues to look at the present and future of our congregation, we realize the incredible importance of the spiritual growth of all of our people. Whether you're just starting to explore the Christian faith, or you're a long-time Christ-follower, we want to do everything we can to help you on your spiritual journey.
- In order to help us to plan for the future, we want to know what helps you grow spiritually, what you need from the church and its leaders, and how well those needs are being met. In order to collect this information, we are asking every adult and high school student who participates in the congregation in any way that includes Sunday morning to take the Spiritual Life Survey.
- Please go to the website below and take the survey. It will take about 30 minutes for you to complete it.
- <http://www.revealnow.com/slssurvey?uid=5752>
- This address leads to a white page with the orange and black Spiritual Life Survey Logo at the top and what sounds like a general introduction to the survey. You will not see Orrville Mennonite Church mentioned, but this is our customized survey. Thank you for your participation.



MCC Great Lakes is extremely grateful to each of you who have contributed to Mennonite Central Committee in the past few months. Thanks to your generous support, nearly \$11 million has been raised for immediate and long-term relief and development efforts following the earthquake in Haiti. In addition, response to the January bulletin announcement raised \$30,705 toward the total Goshen meat canning budget

of \$122,000. We offer a sincere "thank you" for entrusting your resources and prayer support to MCC. We appreciate your support as we continue to work locally and around the world in the name of Christ.

Please check your mailbox for *In Touch*.