

**Vacation Bible School Training** for crew leaders and helpers is this evening from 5 – 7 p.m. at Orrville Mennonite Church!

**Summer programs are underway at Camp Luz.** Spots are still available in most upcoming programs. Visit [www.camp luz.com](http://www.camp luz.com) for more information or to register your child.

Happy Birthday to:

Monday

Lidia Zehr

*Happy  
Birthday!*

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

**Coming Events:**

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| July 4-8    | MCUSA Convention in Orlando, FL   |
| July 9      | MCUSA Delegates Sharing during Potluck Lunch  |
| July 10-16  | Axis Youth Group SWAP Service Trip  |
| July 16     | Five Church Combined Worship at Martins MC<br>to hear youth reflections from service trip<br>9:30 am – Gathering & Fellowship<br>10:00 am – Worship<br>11:30 am – Carry-In Meal |
| July 16-20  | Vacation Bible School – <i>Maker Fun Factory</i> VBS  |
| July 30     | Fifth Sunday Mission Offering   |
| August 4, 5 | Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale & Auction<br>at Wayne County Fairgrounds   |
| August 13   | Neal and Janie Blough speaking  |

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# Orrville Mennonite Church

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Camp Luz Sunday

June 25, 2017

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“We are dedicated to loving God and loving people”

**To the Glory of God and through the power of the Holy Spirit,** it is our mission to be a loving community of believers who intentionally further God's Kingdom by going out and loving all people, sharing the good News of Jesus Christ and making disciples.

**Sean transformados mediante la renovación de su mente  
Romanos 12:2**

**Bienvenidos al Domingo en Campo Luz!**

**Las queremos dar la bienvenida a las Iglesias Menonitas de  
Orrville, Salem, y el Ministerio de WINGS!**

Queremos invitarlos adorarle a Dios con nosotros!

Vamos a estar enfocados en el día de hoy en la idea de estén transformados, esta tema es la tema del retiro de club de niños WINGS esta fin de semana.

Después del culto tendremos juegos para todos en el campo afuera de la capilla. El almuerzo será a la 11:45 a.m.

Tendremos tiempo para andar en barcos a la 12:30-2:30 p.m.

Tendremos tiempo de bañar en las piscinas a la 1:00-3:00 p.m.

*Este es el día que hizo Jehová; Nos gozaremos y alegraremos en él!*

~Salmo 118:24

***Be Transformed by the Renewing of Your Mind***

**Romans 12:2**

**Welcome to Camp Luz Sunday!**

**We welcome Salem and Orrville Mennonite Churches  
and WINGS Retreat Children and Staff!**

We invite you to our time of worship focused on the WINGS Retreat theme of *Be Transformed*.

Following worship there will be games for all on the lawn outside the chapel and lunch will be served at 11:45 a.m.

Supervised boating: 12:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Swimming (Lifeguards on duty): 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

*This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and we be glad in it!*

~ Psalm 118:24

**Today (June 25) Camp Luz Sunday**

- 10:00 a.m. Worship in Chapel
- 11:15 a.m. Games on the Lawn
- 11:45 p.m. Carry-In Lunch (Chapel/Outdoors)
- 12:30 – 2:30 p.m. Supervised Boating (Doug Zehr)
- 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Swimming (Lifeguards on duty)
- 5 – 7 p.m. VBS Training at Orrville Mennonite Church
- 6:00 p.m. Sending Service for Axis Youth Group  
SWAP Service Trip at Martins Mennonite Church

**Monday**

- 6 – 9 p.m. Vacation Bible School Band Practice

**Tuesday**

- 6:00 p.m. WINGS – *Be Transformed* (Snack - Christi)

**Wednesday**

- 1:00 p.m. Elder Council Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Axis Youth Group – *Service Trip Prep*

**Next Sunday (July 2)**

- 10:00 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Pastor Bill Seymour preaching  
Message: *Tongues of Fire, James Part 5*  
Scripture: James 3:1-12  
Reception of Members  
Bernita Wade & John Kauffman
- 11:45 a.m. Potluck Fellowship Meal (Jan & Rollie, Norm & Sandy)

**Last Sunday (June 18)**

Ministry Spending Plan: \$2,431.25      Weekly MSP Needed: \$3,054.79  
Other: \$37.04      Land: \$75.00

**Greeters Today** Stan and Marilyn Kamp

**Next Sunday** Norm and Sandy Sohar, Fae Miller

**Coffee Hospitality Next Sunday** Sherm and LaVonne Amstutz

**The Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale & Auction** will be August 4 and 5 at the Wayne County Fairgrounds. To drop off for the Wood & Tool Auction, the drop off times are as follows: Monday – Thursday, June 26-29, 10 am to 5 pm (8 pm on Tuesday) at 110 East Main Street, Dalton (the former Clark Ceramics). Quilts, Comforters & Wallhangings may be dropped at the Gospel Bookstore in Berlin, or MCC Connections in Kidron marked clearly for the Ohio Relief Sale (Attn: Susan Hofstetter). Quilts should be in by June 30; to be listed in the Sale Catalog and photographed for website: July 15. Contact Susan at 330-465-5814.

## **Let's Talk.... Race, Immigration and Faith – June 25 and 26**

MCC Staff – Dina Gonzales-Pina, Ethnicity and Gender Equity Specialist

- June 25<sup>th</sup> (this evening) 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. at Salem Mennonite Church of Wooster, 7012 Back Orrville Road, Wooster, OH 44691  
*Biblical Call* (all church members)  
*Who Is My Neighbor?*  
*Who Is My Brother/Sister?*
- June 26<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 a.m. to noon at Heartland Point, 200 N. Main Street, Orrville, OH 44667  
*Role of the Pastor and Leaders on Issues of Justice*  
*Dying to Live (Video)*  
*Discussion on Video*  
Meal from Noon – 1:00 p.m.

## **Everyone is invited to come on out to this year's Vacation Bible School!**

Starting Sunday, July 16 through Thursday, July 20, every evening from 6:30-8:30, VBS is sure to be a fun time full of games, Bible stories, awesome songs, and laughs! Your kids won't want to miss this! Any child from age 4 all the way to 5th grade is welcome to attend. VBS will be at Orrville Mennonite Church. *Maker Fun Factory* is a ministry of the Orrville, Crown Hill, Chestnut Ridge, Martins, Salem of Wooster, and Oak Grove Mennonite churches. You can register at <https://vbspro.events/p/events/orrville> Spread the word to your friends and neighbors!

**Robot & Rocket Design Challenge!** We're gearing up for VBS and are hoping to make a "Hall of Creations." You are invited to build a robot or rocket for use during VBS. The creations must be 3 feet tall or larger. Bring your creations to the church anytime between July 1-10 to help get us all excited about *Maker Fun Factory*! **Or, if you don't want to build your own robot or rocket, we could still use your junk! Think recyclables, craft items, old spray paint, cardboard, etc.!** **Bring your donations to Orrville Mennonite Church and put them in the classroom with linoleum flooring.**

**Opportunity to host an international young adult:** Mennonite Central Committee is looking for two families in the Kidron area for two young adult men from Jordan and Indonesia who will be participating in MCC's International Volunteer Exchange Program (IVEP) beginning in August. Both will be serving at Central Christian Schools. Host families have the opportunity to learn about a new culture from the IVEP participant they host, as well as getting to understand their own culture in a new way when they see it through the eyes of someone experiencing it for the first time. Each host gets a monthly stipend that is to be used to cover some of the costs for the room and board of the IVEP participant. For more information contact Amber Falcón at [574-534-4133](tel:574-534-4133) or [AmberFalcon@mcc.org](mailto:AmberFalcon@mcc.org)

**OMC Women's Fellowship and Service** will not meet during the month of July.

## Prayer Concerns & Praises for Week of June 25, 2017

- **That God would be glorified and that lives would be transformed** in every aspect of Orrville Mennonite Church.
- **Areas of unrest and instability in our world today** – Prayer for those caught up in the world's violence and for ways we can respond.
- **Elder Council, Pastor and Ministry Team leaders, Grow Groups**
- **Prayers for our government leaders** in these uncertain times.
- **Praise! Joyce and Larry Gerber's niece, Kirsten's health** is much improved after undergoing treatment for cancer. Thank you for your prayers!
- **Sawsan Elateek and her children, Seif and Yasmine**
- **Larry and Joyce Gerber** – Larry continues recovery from his surgery.
- **Ralph Rheinheimer** – pray for continued good progress in physical therapy.
- **Christi Michaels' uncle, Rick** as he continues chemotherapy treatment.
- **Bill and Allison and Family** – for their travels as they experience many new places, make connections with friends in far places and as they seek missional opportunities and follow the love step prayer with those God puts in front of them.
- **Camp Luz camping ministry!** Pray that children and youth would grow in their relationships with Jesus through the speakers, counselors and activities. Kara Shilling is serving as a counselor at Camp Luz this summer.
- **Axis Youth Group** – as they prepare for their SWAP service trip to KY, July 9-15.
- **VBS Directors, Christi Michaels and Austin Zuercher** and representatives from participating churches as they meet and plan for Vacation Bible School (July 16-20).
- **Youth who connect with us through WINGS, BreakAway and Axis YG**
- **SWAP Ministry – Pete & Lou Erb.** Pray for wisdom as they discern which applicants they can help this summer & for lodging needs for volunteers.
- **MCUSA Orlando 2017 – “Love is a Verb” and Future Church Summit, July 4-8** - keep this upcoming event in your prayers as planning takes place.
- **Judy Ferguson's son, Bill & daughter-in-law Kate** – Kate broke her leg requiring a cast; and other health concerns for them both.
- **Pastor Santos & Ester Reyes** – Continue to pray that God would provide ways to meet their spiritual, physical & material needs.
- **Lidia Zehr's sister, Alicia** – Pray for Lidia as she ministers to family members and especially to Alicia who has serious health concerns.
- **Mel & Lois Leidig** – health concerns related to eyesight & lung function.
- **Al and Anna Miller** (Sandy Miller's parents) – health concerns
- **Grace Geiser** – at Brenn-Field Nursing Center
- **Dorothy Miller** – at the Inn at Belden Village
- **Cathy Gable** – at Orrville Pointe
- **Bill and Allison's niece, Amy**, who struggles with debilitating depression.
- **Lance Almond**
- **Mike Snyder, Liz's father** – prayers for ongoing breathing and lung issues.
- **Allison Seymour's mother, Sharon Walter** – Pray for Sharon's health concerns and for Allison's father, Gary, as he helps care for her needs.

- **Mennonite Mission Network** – *Eid al Fitr* begins at sundown today. This Muslim holiday marks the end of the fasting month of Ramadan, which emphasizes empathy for the poor and focuses on the spiritual life. MMN requests prayer for workers who are building bridges between Christians and Muslims in many countries.
  - **Mennonite Education Agency – Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary, Elkhart, IN.** This summer, five youth are serving in their home congregations for 100 hours – working alongside their pastor in a mentoring relationship – as part of !Explore: A Theological Program for High School Youth, an AMBS program. Pray that God would use these experiences to help shape and form them as Christ-followers and strengthen their leadership skills.
  - **Mennonite Church USA – Please surround Mennonite Church USA 2017 Convention in prayer** as it begins July 4 in Orlando, FL. More than 3,000 youth, delegates and others are expected to attend.
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### **Orrville Mennonite Church Daily Devotions Week ending with Sunday, July 2, 2017**

Day One     Read James 3.1-12  
What power do your words have?

Day Two     Read 1 Peter 3.8-12  
What power do your words have?

Day Three    Read 1 Peter 3.13-22  
What power do your words have?

Day Four     Read Matthew 12.33-37  
What power do your words have?

Day Five     Read Ephesians 5.15-20  
What power do your words have?

#### **“Love Step Prayer”**

Pray this daily and as you go through your day, look for how God might be answering... *Lord, give me time and energy to pay attention when you put me in front of someone so I can meet them with love where they are. Help us to learn from each other and walk together in a way that we can both grow closer to Christ.*