



Orrville Mennonite Church
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Order of Worship
August 10, 2025

Welcome

Gathering Songs	<i>O God, in Restless Living</i>	WB 557*
	<i>Move in Our Midst</i>	WB 418*

Call to Worship and Lamp Lighting

Leader: We come to worship this morning with all of who we are.

Men: Our troubles and laments (one lamp is lit).

Women: Our victories and joys (one lamp is lit).

Leader: We come to worship this morning as part of a community of Jesus followers here and all over the world (*one lamp is lit*).

Women: As we gather, we wonder who else could bless us and be blessed by becoming a part of us.

Men: We trust you, Lord, for growing our community (one lamp is lit).

All: Lord, because you are our hope we come to worship together. You are our light, so we learn together. You are our example, so we serve together. You are our strength, so we stand together (final lamp is lit).

Singing	<i>All Things Bright and Beautiful</i>	WB 156
	<i>In the Rifted Rock I'm Resting</i>	WB 526*

Responsive Reading	Psalm 24	WB 815*
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Offering and Love Step Prayer

Leader: We offer the Lord gifts -- financial support, time, effort, attitude, and relationship. →

All: 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.

Leader: This is but one offering we give.

All: Bless our relationships, old and new. Thank you for drawing us closer to Christ as we share and love together.

Leader: Bless all these gifts, including this financial offering we give you now. Amen.

Offering Song *Lord, Thou Dost Love* WB 387
Offering

Scripture Psalm 8 WB 812*

Sermon *A little lower, but...*

Song of Response *When Morning Gilds the Skies* WB 644
Benediction

**Sermon Response, Prayer Requests, Prayer
Announcements**

*Songs and Scriptures with an * are some of Carol Rheinheimer's favorites whose birthday we celebrate today.*

Greeters, Liz Snyder, Jan and Rollie Kauffman
Usher, Sherm Amstutz
PA Operator, Virg Troyer
Accompanist, Marilyn Rossiter
Song Leader, Hank Rossiter
Preschool/Nursery, Sandy Miller
Quiet Table, all ages welcome
Reader, Lou Erb
Sharing & Prayer, Tim Short
Trustee (August), Mark Bixler

The "Quiet Table" is available in the coffee area during the worship services at Orrville Mennonite. People of all ages are welcome to come to do quiet hands-on activities as a way of listening and focusing during the worship time. This area works best if there are equal numbers of adults and children sitting together. If you are someone who enjoys listening while creating, maybe this area will be your new regular pew! Our youngest children will "graduate" to this area after their nursery Sunday School hour. If you have been a nursery volunteer in the past, please consider continuing your relationship with the littles at this table.

Announcements

Carry-In/Fellowship Meal today! All are invited to stay for good food and fellowship following the worship service this morning!

Monday Meals served 187 meals this week. This Monday, we will serve pork potato casserole, pasta salad, and panic cake.

Our Dollar Project through the month of August will be MCC School Kits. You may give monetarily to this project and supplies will be purchased or you may purchase school supplies and bring them to the church. A school kit consists of one ruler, one eraser, a 12 pack of colored pencils, 8 new pencils, 4 black or blue pens, 4 spiral 70-page notebooks and a metal pencil sharpener (OMC will provide the sharpeners). Whole kits or individual items for kits are welcomed. Bags for kits are also available if desired. Thank you for your support for MCC and the education of youth all over the world!

Widows' group will meet at Orrville Mennonite Church on Wednesday, August 13, from 1-2:30 pm. Please bring your ideas for activities you would like to do together and feel free to invite a friend! All are welcome! Please join us!! Questions contact Lou Erb, 330-317-0726 or Judy King, 330-201-2069.

Elder Nomination Forms are available by mailboxes. Forms can be dropped off in Jan's office mailbox or sent in via email – omcjan@gmail.com. Nominations are due **today (August 10th)**. Our constitution calls for a minimum of three elders to serve with the pastor. We are finding that it would be very beneficial to have more than three. We aren't sure if we need one or two more, but we are asking the congregation to pray and consider whom you'd like to see as an elder. To keep a good rotation, the new person(s) would be filling a term(s) that will end in August 2026, eligible for renewal into a normal 4-year term. So, if you feel like you are being nudged, there is only a 12-month initial commitment. Currently, Dan Jantzi's term is completed in August 2026 and Bev Squirrell's and Lou Erb's terms are completed in August 2028.

An afternoon with John Schmid (local singer/songwriter) is planned for 1:30 pm on Sunday, August 10 at Martins Mennonite Church (14027 Church Rd, Orrville). Bring a lawn chair or blanket and enjoy the concert at the pavilion. In case of rain, the program will be in the sanctuary. Light refreshments will follow.

Schedule-At-A-Glance for August 10 – 17, 2025

Sunday, August 10

Gathering and Coffee Time, **9:00 am**

Sunday School, **9:30 am**

Worship, **10:30 am**

Bill Seymour preaching

Carry-In Meal following Worship

Monday, August 11

Monday Meals, 5:30 pm

Tuesday, August 12

Yoga Class in Fellowship Hall, 5:30-6:30

Wednesday, August 13

Widows' Group at OMC, 1 – 2:30 pm

Sunday, August 17

Gathering and Coffee Time, **9:00 am**

Sunday School, **9:30 am**

Worship, **10:30 am**

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August Birthdays and Anniversaries

- 5 Ralph/Carol Rheinheimer
- 7 Amber Andreasen
- 9 Willie Miller
- 10 Carol Rheinheimer
 Kathy Troyer
- 15 John Shilling
- 17 Hank/Marilyn Rossiter
 Virg/Kathy Troyer
- 20 Bill/Allison Seymour
- 22 Marilyn Kamp
- 25 Dale Hostetler
- 28 Wilma Eash

Sermon Notes

Psalm 8

How majestic is the Lord's name!

Why?

Humans

Responsibility

Echoes

Wrath (again) and Luke 6.25

Revelation 11.15-19

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