Sunday, February 11, 2018

Sunday School – 105 Worship – 160

OFFERING

Spending Plan (general) Central Christian Student Fund \$7,252.00 \$1,200.00

SAVE THE DATES

March 17 – Seed Exchange April 28 – Plant Exchange



OAK GROVE MENNONITE CHURCH 1818-2018

Sunday, February 18, 2018 Lent 1 – Covenant: God's Promise Through Noah

Prelude: Rita Schrock

Welcome: Anson Miedel, Worship leader

Call to Worship Prayer

Hymns: HWB#46 "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" SJ#24 "Creation is a Song" -Nate Gundy, Craig Mast, song leaders

Community Life Announcements Pastoral Prayer

Offering Offertory: Rita Schrock

Hymn: HWB#48 "All Creatures of Our God and King" (vs 1, 2, 3, 4, 7)

Jr. Church (children age 3 through Grade 2) – c/o Crystal Conrad

Scripture: Genesis 9:8-17 (NLT)

Sermon: "Every Living Creature" – Dan King

Hymn of Response: HWB#427 "You Shall Go Out with Joy"

Benediction

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This Week at Oak Grove

8:45am: Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

9:15am: Sunday School

9:30am: Worship at OrrVilla

10:30am: Worship – Dan King

Greeters: Don & Phyllis Jaquet

Nursery: 9:15am – Jason & Mindy Horst 10:30am – Matt & Megan Hochstetler

Tuesday, February 20 Education Commission, 7pm

Wednesday, February 21 Choir, 7pm

Thursday, February 22 MCC Health Kit Packing, 6pm Property Commission, 7pm

Happy Birthday! 2.20 Ryan Conrad 2.23 Kristen Conrad 2.25 Niels Lichti

Next Sunday – February 25th, 2018

8:45am: Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

9:15am: Sunday School

10:30am: Worship – Pastor Doug *Lent 2 – Covenant: God's Promise Through Abraham & Sara* Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

Greeters: Willard & Kay Hostetler

Nursery: 9:15am – Amy Lichti & Linda Schrock 10:30am – Scott & Jolene Jaquet

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, we welcome guest speaker, Dan King. Dan is married to Jeanette Neuenschwander and presently works part time at Dover High School as an interpreter. His background includes ten years spent at Central Christian as a middle school science teacher and nine and a half years spent as the pastor at Beech Mennonite in Louisville. In his spare time, Dan enjoys music, gardening, beekeeping, traveling and reading.

Doug and Miriam will be out of the office Monday (2.19) and Tuesday (2.20) this week.

The Fellowship and Service Commission is seeking volunteers to assist with Sunday morning coffee. Let Donna Kindy know if you would be willing to help.

Wanda Hostetler has a free copy of *Creative Congregationalism*, *Oak Grove Mennonite* by James O. Lehman available. See her if interested.

Ron and Joanne Murray have accepted a March MDS assignment in San Marcos, TX. Their mailing address: San Marcos River Retreat 444 Pecan Park Dr. San Marcos, TX 48666 Please pray for Ron, Joanne and their unit, as they work to help people return to their homes after a flooding that occurred in 2015.

Change of Date: The Oak Grove Seed and Bulb Exchange has been moved from March 10 to *March 17 at 3pm.*

A reminder that order forms for the Oak Grove Bicentennial tshirts and mugs are due TODAY. These can be turned in to Kelsey Troyer's mailbox. Extra order forms are on a table in the foyer. Payment for these items should also be turned in to Kelsey's mailbox or to the church office.

Directory Update: Joyce Egan has moved. Her new address is 1280 Cherry Road NW #317 in Massillon, 44647.

Bicentennial Blanket Project: Thanks to another 30 people, 13 more comforters were knotted on Wednesday. These need to have the binding done to finish them and be added to our count. If you can assist, please speak to a committee member. Again, we thank you for your participation. This project will share God's love in our local neighborhood and around the world.

It's not too late to start Lent family worship. Just go to www.anabaptistfaithformation.org and download "Between Me & You," a free guide for family worship from now through Easter, April 1.

Come learn what's been happening at Camp Friedenswald and learn more about what's in store for the summer. Join Jenna Liechty Martin, executive director, on Thursday, March 1 at 6:30 pm at Salem Mennonite Church, Kidron, for an update. Refreshments provided.

Camp Luz has a trio of great retreats coming up in April! For more info visit <u>www.campluz.com</u>

- Men's Retreat April 6-8 with Moses Rumano
- Mother Daughter Retreat April 13-14 with Julie Longacre
- Father Son Retreat April 27-28 with Jim and Isaac Bartholomew