

Sunday, September 2, 2018

Sunday School – 91 Worship – 153

OFFERING

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| Spending Plan (general) | \$6,323.00 |
| Spending Plan (outreach) | \$250.00 |
| Bicentennial (mugs) | \$40.00 |
| Preschool Playground | \$495.00 |

Oak Grove offers an electronic giving option. Please contact the church treasurer at treasurer.oakgrove.smithville@gmail.com, if interested.

SAVE THE DATES

October 13 & 14 – Bicentennial Homecoming & Concert

October 13, 15 & 16 – MCC Meat Canning at Kidron

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Celebrating 200 Years

Oak Grove Mennonite Church

1818-2018

April 14 & 15, 2018 – Historical Reflections

July 14 & 15, 2018 – Hymn Sing & Hymnal Celebration

October 13 & 14, 2018 – Homecoming & Concert

Sermon: “Behold, A Written Scroll”- Sara Wenger Shenk, President, AMBS

Hymn of Response: SJ#49 “Rain Down”

Benediction



**OAK GROVE
MENNONITE CHURCH**

1818-2018

**Sunday, September 9, 2018
Christian Formation Sunday**

Prelude: Kristen Conrad

Welcome: Anson Miedel, Worship Leader

**Call to Worship
Prayer**

Hymns: SJ1# “We Sing to You, O God”
HWB#319 “Jesus Shall Reign”
-Paula Vasichko, song leader

Community Life Announcements

Greetings from AMBS: Bob Yoder, AMBS Advancement Associate
Pastoral Prayer

Children’s Time: Pastor Miriam
Presentation of CD’s: Owen Gundy, Malcolm Lopez,
Isabella Murray, Harris Steiner
Presentation of Bibles: Kai Breneman, Molly Conrad,
Mary Miedel, Jonas Skarl

**Offering
Offertory:** Kristen Conrad

Song of the month: HWB# SJ#94 “Blessed Are They”

Scripture: Ezekiel 2:1-10, 3:1-3

Hymn: HWB#487 “Teach Me, O Lord”

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This Week at Oak Grove

8:45am: Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

9:15am: Sunday School

10:30am: Sunday Worship – Sara Wenger Shenk

Greeters: Loren Hostetler & Jennifer Hartzler

Nursery:

9:15am – Nate & Jessica Witmer Gundy

10:30am – Matt & Megan Hochstetler

Visitation Ministry

Today, Sunday, September 9

Bicentennial Choir Practice, 3:30pm

Wednesday, September 12

Outreach Immigration Meal, 6pm

Thursday, September 13

Church Board, 7pm

Happy Birthday!

9 Bob Amstutz

11 Mary Jean Troyer (86)

13 Jillian Witmer

14 Sam Conrad

15 Levi Miller

15 Alex Murray

Happy Anniversary!

12 Bob & Linda Amstutz (49)

12 Matt & Megan Hochstetler

13 LaMont & Jennifer Steiner

Next Sunday, September 16th, 2018

8:45am: Spiritual Life Commission Prayer

9:15am: Sunday School

9:30am: Worship at OrrVilla

10:30am: Sunday Worship – Doug Zehr
“Leadership Balance” James 3:1-12

Greeters: Don & Phyllis Jaquet

Nursery:

9:15am – Olivia Wenger & Marilyn Jaquet

10:30am – Von & Rita Schrock

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to Chris & Kaitlin (Steiner) Kwee on the birth of their daughter, Claire Collins Kwee, on September 5th. Claire joins big brother Emerson and the happy grandparents are Mark & Deb Steiner.

MCC Meat Canning for Relief is scheduled for October 13, 15 & 16 at the Gerber Building in Kidron. Starting time is 5:00 a.m. and runs well into the evening. More information will come later.

Outreach Commission is sponsoring another opportunity for you to learn about immigrants new to our area. A Sudanese meal will be offered this Wednesday, September 12, from 6-8:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. The meal provides an opportunity for an immigrant woman to build communication skills and earn income for her family. Call Gladene at 330-464-4233 to reserve your place for the evening.

Thank you! Thanks to you, the congregation, for your response in funding our new playground set. We now have raised enough to pay for the project in full. We believe our children will benefit from your generosity for many years. - *Church Board*

Bicentennial Blanket Project: The Comfort Care Throw count now stands at 155! Thanks for your continued work in making these special gifts for Hospice and terminally ill patients. As you complete your projects please bring them to the project room on the lower level of the sanctuary. Thank you for your work!

Oak Grove Sunday School Classes

Pathfinders/Christians & Culture: studying *Journey Forward* curriculum, meets in first room on right in basement

Builders: studying *Journey Forward* curriculum, meets in last room on right in basement

Christian Seek & Serve: studying Adult Bible Study (quarterly), meets in room on left inside foyer (east)

Bible Study Class (Matthew): meets in conference room, on right inside foyer (east)