



"That person is like a tree planted by streams of water which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither, whatever they do prospers."  
Psalm 1:3

## Allensville Mennonite Church

Worship Service 9:15 AM

Sunday School 10:40 AM

**February 26, 2023**

Prelude

Welcome & Devotional

Congregational Singing

**Message - Pastor Adam Peachey**

*Now that's FAITH; Living a Life of Commendable FAITH  
Hebrews 11*

Congregational Singing

Sharing & Prayer

*An offering box is placed at the exits of the sanctuary.*

**Sunday School ~ 10:40 - 11:45 AM**

Adult Superintendents ~ Lavern Peachey, Marcus Peachey

Children's Superintendents ~ Marlene Peachey, Sonny Peachey

## Nursery

A *quiet nursery* is available just outside the back of the auditorium. An *active nursery* is located in the Sunday school wing and is staffed during the worship service (at the start of the message, after congregational singing) through the Sunday school hour. Those serving in nursery today are:

- ▶ **No Volunteers** - Morning Worship
- ▶ **Neil & Lena Hartzler** - Sunday School

**Juli Sunderland** is serving in the library today.

### Next Week's Service - March 5, 2023

Prelude.....Marilyn Isaac  
 Devotional.....Rod Kauffman  
 Message.....Pastor Bob Zook  
 Nursery Worship.....Jill Fleming & Rachel Sunderland  
 Nursery Sunday School.....Mike & Becky Armstrong  
 Library.....Michelle Yorks

### **Upcoming Events**

**Mon, Feb 27:** Worship Ministry Team Meeting, 7 PM  
**Thur, Mar 2:** AMC Corporate Day of Prayer  
**Tues, Mar 7:** Ladies' Sewing Circle, 8 AM - 2 PM  
**Tues, Mar 7:** Leadership Team Meeting, 7 PM  
**Tues, Apr 11:** Ministry Directors Meeting, 7 PM  
**Sun, Apr 23:** Church-wide Bowling, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

### **Looking Ahead**

**Jun 11 - 15:** Vacation Bible School  
**Aug 11 - 13:** Camping Weekend  
**Oct 29 - 31:** Renewal Meetings with Beryl Jantzi



## Service Notes

February 26, 2023

## Youth Ministry Events

### SHINE Jr. High:

- *Wed, Mar 8:* Bible study 7 - 8:45 PM at church
- *Sat, Mar 25:* Glow bowling 6 - 8 PM at Holiday Bowl. Pizza and drink provided.

### KOL Sr. High:

- *Wed, Mar 1:* Bible study 7 PM at Matt & Michelle's
- *Wed, Mar 15:* Bible study 7 PM at Neil & Lena's
- *Wed, Mar 29:* Get Air Trampoline Park 5 PM (meet at Locust Grove, bring \$5 for dinner)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

AMC is responsible for **Meals on Wheels** 2/28, 3/2, 3/7, and 3/9! If you are able to help in the kitchen or deliver meals, please talk to Sonny Peachey (7171-994-1761)!

The Leadership Team is seeking **nominations for an elder** that will start a 4 year term beginning September 1, 2023. Each member of the congregation is invited to submit a nominee to the Leadership Team. The individuals currently on the elder team are: Tim Peachey, Loren Hartzler, Joe Sharp and Rod Kauffman. Tim Peachey's term will end August 31, 2023. As we seek the Lord's face for His direction in choosing the next elder, here are some scriptures describing elder qualifications to keep in mind: Titus 1:5-9 and 1 Timothy 3:1-7. We invite you to be in prayer while processing who would be the best candidate to serve in this role for the next 4 years. Please return the ballots (placed in your mailbox) to one of the elders' mailboxes in the foyer by today, February 26.

Mark your calendars for Sunday, April 23! The Family Life Team is planning an afternoon of **bowling at the Holiday Bowl** in Huntingdon from 2:30 - 4:30 PM. More details will follow soon.

Our church is planning a **campout at Creekside Hideaway** on August 11-13. There are 4 campsites available to rent and a cabin, as well as a bunkhouse. If you are interested in having a campsite, please let Donna Kanagy know. Others may also tent. There will be some planned activities as well as free time. You may plan to be there for the whole weekend or for part of the time. More details coming this summer.

### Last Week's Service - February 19, 2023

Worship Attendance - 183

Sunday School Attendance - 187

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sammy & Karie Kauffman's adoption team** will be hosting a fundraiser at the Belleville Community Center on Saturday, March 25. Come for a night of fun to support the Kauffmans as they begin their adoption journey. A meal will be available by donation at 5 PM (soup, hot dogs, chips, cookies) and an evening of bingo games (\$2/game) will begin at 6:30 PM. Baked goods will also be available for purchase. Contact Leah Yoder, Val Sharp, Danielle Peachey, or Karie Kauffman with any questions.

**Crossroads Pregnancy Center** is asking churches and their businesses in the month of February to help with a diaper drive. Please bring packages of diapers, wipes and creams this month to bless those Moms! If you (or your business) would like to participate, Rose Marie Spicher will pick them up and deliver them to the Crossroads Center! Thank you!

You are invited to **Crossroads Pregnancy Center's re-open house** in Lewistown on Sunday, March 5 from 1 - 4 PM. The ministry recently expanded to use their entire building at the Lewistown location and now have a new medical room and more space for the BRIDGES program. You can attend the open house for light refreshments, clinic tours, and a chance to meet the staff and learn about ways you can get involved.

**The Prayer Room is now located in the room behind the pulpit.** The change was made to accommodate the need for more space by the Living Stones Sunday School class that had been meeting there. They will now meet in the room by kitchen where the Prayer Room was.

There are **two roles** that are temporarily being filled by an elder and a pastor:

- *Congregational Administration Ministry Director* - Rod Kauffman
- *Youth Ministry Director* - Adam Peachey

**Please be in prayer for who God is calling to serve in these two roles.**

If you sense God nudging you to explore serving in one of these roles or would like to suggest names of people that you think would be gifted in any of the roles, please contact Pastor Randy at 717.250.4390 or email [randy@allensvillemennonite.org](mailto:randy@allensvillemennonite.org). Thanks!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Ride for Missions Florida** is coming up on March 10-12! If you enjoy cycling and spending time with friends, we'd love to have you join us. All ages and experience levels are welcome to participate, pedal, and raise support for the global missions of Rosedale International. Whether you join for one day or the whole weekend, visit [rosedaleinternational.org/florida/](http://rosedaleinternational.org/florida/) to learn more and register.

### **BOOST Retreat - March 16-19, 2023**

CMC's annual BOOST Retreat for business people and those interested in business will be held at the Carlisle Inn, Walnut Creek, Ohio, March 16-18, 2023. A team of speakers will focus on the theme "The Triple Bottom Line." Enjoy special entertainment with The Walking Roots Band followed by a coffee and dessert reception on Friday evening. For more information and to register, visit our website at [www.cmcrosedale.org/cmc-events/boost/](http://www.cmcrosedale.org/cmc-events/boost/)

Rosedale's **Choral Camp** is an exciting adventure that intertwines learning music with lots of fun recreational activities. The camp is upbeat and positive, reflecting the philosophy that music is God's gift to the church and is cause for celebration. The camp accepts students who have completed grades 2 through 8 and have not yet entered grade 9. Campers vary in their musical skills from the untrained to those who have taken lessons for many years. There will be two identical camps in 2023: Camp One **July 10-14** and Camp Two **July 17-21**. Both camps are filling up quickly! If you have any questions, please reach out to Kirk Kauffman at [kirkchoralcamp@gmail.com](mailto:kirkchoralcamp@gmail.com) or to Bekah Brenneman at [choralcamp@rosedale.edu](mailto:choralcamp@rosedale.edu). Early bird registration rates end on April 1.

A note from Kimberly Jacko: I still have one more month to be on the path of the Florida National Scenic Trail, about 600 more miles to go to finish this seasonal hiking ministry for the winter. Please keep your prayers coming, it's working. AMEN Praise the Lord! From the bottom of my heart, I want to deeply thank you over and over again for your support of prayer to help aid me on this unusual, unique journey... hiking through the sand, swamps, fields, woods, forests, parks, streets, and pines of the Sunshine State.

There American Red Cross will be hosting a **blood drive** on Tuesday, February 28 from 12:30 - 6:00 PM at the Allensville Community Hall. If you would like to schedule an appointment, call 1-800 RED CROSS.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **First Thursday Corporate Day of Prayer, March 2.**

You are invited to join in prayer in various ways this Thursday. A prayer on the phone tree will begin the day. Use the provided prayer guide to pray individually/couples/families/friends throughout the day. The prayer focus guide, praying for the world, is in your mailboxes and will be posted on AMC Facebook Page on Wednesday. The day of prayer will conclude with an opportunity to join in a time of prayer together via Zoom. Due to difficulties with connecting to Zoom by the link we are trying a Meeting ID and Passcode that can be entered in the Zoom App.

**Children are invited to use the World globe balls** given to them/provided in the basket in the foyer to pray for the world. They may keep these balls to continue to pray for countries/places they may hear about and our missionaries. Parents, we invite you to help your children to help locate countries on the balls. Children can return the leadership prayer cards and place them in the basket over the next few Sundays.

### **Coffee Coffee Coffee**

The Leadership and Community Ministry Team would like to welcome you to take part in a newly initiated coffee bar starting in March. The coffee bar will be open Sunday mornings before the service to welcome visitors and to create a space for fellowship. Anyone interested in volunteering to assist with the running of the coffee bar, please contact Trenton Yoder or Michael Armstrong. If you are interested in contributing to the \$3,000 start up cost, you can earmark your tithe or contact Trenton or Michael to do so. We look forward to providing this opportunity for the congregation to utilize this space to create inter-generational fellowship.

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**Church Phone - (717) 483-6774**

When calling via the church phone number, use the corresponding options for each staff member to direct your call appropriately

**Prayer Chain Message:** Phone option #1

**Danielle Peachey, Secretary** - [secretary@allensvillemennonite.org](mailto:secretary@allensvillemennonite.org), phone option #2

**Randy Sunderland, Admin. Pastor** - [randy@allensvillemennonite.org](mailto:randy@allensvillemennonite.org), phone option #3

**Bob Zook, Care Ministry Pastor** - [bob@allensvillemennonite.org](mailto:bob@allensvillemennonite.org), phone option #4

**Adam Peachey, Teaching Pastor** - [adam@allensvillemennonite.org](mailto:adam@allensvillemennonite.org), phone option #5

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