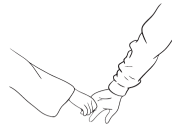


Allensville Mennonite Church



His mercy extends to those who fear him,
from generation to generation.
Luke 1:50

Coffee Fellowship 8:45 AM
Worship Service 9:15 AM • Sunday School 10:40 AM

JANUARY 14, 2024

Prelude - *Michelle Spicher*

Announcements & Devotional - *Rod Kauffman*

Congregational Singing

Message - Pastor Bob Zook

Spiritual Discipline - Prayer

Congregational Singing

Healthy Sexuality Resource Group Announcement

Sharing & Prayer - *Pastor Adam Peachey*

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 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:

- ▶ **Trent & Danielle Peachey** - Morning Worship
- ▶ **Volunteers Needed** - Sunday School

Juli Sunderland is serving in the library today.

Next Week's Service - January 21, 2024

Prelude.....	Janice Peachey
Announcements/Devo.....	Joe Sharp
Message.....	Pastor Adam Peachey
Nursery Worship Service.....	Denise Peachey & Kelsey Peachey
Nursery Sunday School.....	JD & Michelle Spicher
Library.....	Michelle Yorks

Upcoming Events

Mon, Jan 15: Prayer Ministry Team Meeting, 7 PM

Tues, Jan 16: Leadership Prayer Meeting, 7 PM

Sat, Jan 20: Ministry Directors Meeting, 9 AM

Wed, Jan 24: Annual Congregational Meeting, 7 PM

Sun, Jan 28: Sanctity of Human Life Sunday

Thu, Feb 1: Worship Ministry Team Meeting, 7 PM

BUILDING FUND PROGRESS

Building Fund (Amount received to date) - **\$563,164.74 (Goal \$833,333)**

Service Notes

January 14, 2024

Last Week's Service - January 7, 2024

Worship Attendance - 159

Sunday School Attendance - 158

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements to be shared with the congregation on Sunday mornings should be sent to: announcements@allensvillemennonite.org or called into the church secretary at 717-483-6774, ext. 2. Information must be received by 7 AM on Thursdays to be included in the bulletin/announcements for the following Sunday.

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

SHINE Jr. High

- *Sat, Jan 20:* Game night at Lavern & Jewel's
- *Wed, Feb 7:* Bible study 7 - 8:30 PM at Adam & Becca's
- *Fri, Feb 16 - Sat, Feb 17:* Snow camp

KOL Sr. High

- *Wed, Jan 31:* Bible study 7 PM at church
- *Wed, Feb 7:* Bible study 7 PM. Location TBD.
- *Sat, Feb 17:* Valentine's Mystery Dinner 6:30 PM at church

January Wellness Challenge

Establishing Soul-Restoring Rhythms

In music, rhythm is the pattern of sounds and silences in time. It involves the arrangement of notes, beats, and accents to create a sense of movement and flow. As we start 2024, our focus is on establishing a rhythm that restores our souls, minds and bodies for the purpose of wholeness and wellness that spans generation to generation. In January, focus on the daily, weekly, monthly, yearly, and generational rhythms that promote wellness. First, identify and evaluate your present rhythms. Then share these with another person and invite them to do the same.

ADDRESS UPDATE

Ronald Peachey's room number at Valley View Haven has changed to #212.

UPDATE FROM THE BUILDING

FINANCE TEAM

Update from the Building finance Team: We are praising the Lord for the Building Fund offering on December 31 that totaled just over \$120,400. We continue to seek the Lord's face and guidance as we continue to progress in fulfilling the vision of improving and growing our facilities here at AMC. We ask that you continue to keep the process in prayer. The next Building Fund offering will be held on April 7 (pushed back one week due to the 5th Sunday in March being Easter Sunday). If you would like more information on giving or lending options, please see Rod Kauffman or Jewel Peachey.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Belleville Mennonite School is accepting applications for a part-time Office Assistant who will work with office staff and focus on marketing and promotion, enrollment management, and assist with general secretarial duties. To learn more, call the office (717-935-2184) or visit <https://www.bmsprek12.org>.

GENERATION TO GENERATION

During 2024, the verse in the Praying Together bulletin insert each week will focus on ways to pray for the next generation. The first 30 weeks will be taken from a prayer guide from One Cry, September 2023, Praying for the Next Generation. You are encouraged to pray these verses for the children and youth of AMC and broader as the Holy Spirit leads you.

CALLING ALL QUILTERS!

Quilting for the annual BMS Auction will be held in Oakwood Center at Valley View on January 15-19 & 22-25 from 8AM-3PM each day. All quilters are welcome!

CHORAL CAMP 2024

Rosedale Bible College will, once again, host a one-week Choral Camp for kids who have completed grades 2-8. The weeks of camp for 2024 are July 8-12 and July 15-19. Campers come for a fun-filled week of learning music in a spiritually enriching environment. Register online at rosedale.edu/choral-camp.

ANNUAL REPORTS

Next Sunday, you will find AMC's 2023 Annual Report and Financial Report in your mailbox. Please take time to review these reports and bring any questions you may have to the congregational meeting on Wednesday, January 24.

CHURCH CALENDARS

Church calendars for 2024 have arrived and are available one per household. They are between the mailboxes in the foyer.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Updates to the church directory have been printed and placed in the mailboxes of those who requested new hard copies early last year. If you missed signing up for a new hard copy of the directory last year and would still like to get one, please contact Danielle Peachey.

CENTRAL PA WORLD HUNGER ASSOCIATION

There is an opportunity to volunteer with the 2024 Meat Canning Project at the Chief Logan Firehouse, 1800 Glenwood Ave, Lewistown. This is the 50th year for this local project. Dates are February 5-8; times are Monday - Wednesday 6 AM - 8 PM, Thursday 6 AM - 12 PM. Groups are preferred (but not required) to help with all steps of the process, which includes grinding meat, filling cans, cleaning cans, and labeling/boxing cans. Contact Jonathan Coldren at 717.250.6840 to volunteer or support financially.

BOOST RETREAT

Rosedale Network's annual BOOST Retreat for business people will be held at the beautiful Blue Gate Garden Inn & Conference Center in Shipshewana, Indiana, March 7-9, 2024. Join us and gain inspiration as we explore how to thrive, instead of just survive, both in our personal lives and businesses. To view the program or to register for this event, please visit:

<https://rosedalenetwork.org/>.

The deadline for hotel reservations is January 31.

THANK YOU

I appreciate so much the Christmas cards from the church family and also the family photos very much. God bless you all. I miss very much attending AMC.

- Anna Yoder

Thank you all for the prayers and cards on my birthday and Christmas. Enjoyed and appreciated them; gave me something to do.

- Flora Byler

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, phone option #2

Randy Sunderland, Admin. Pastor - randy@allensvillemennonite.org, phone option #3

Bob Zook, Care Ministry Pastor - bob@allensvillemennonite.org, phone option #4

Adam Peachey, Teaching Pastor - adam@allensvillemennonite.org, phone option #5

Listen/Watch Service Online at allensvillemennonite.org