

Conestoga Mennonite Church

Our Living  HISTORY MISSION:
Joyfully Living Christ's Story to Benefit Others

January 29, 2012

Number 5

Teaching the Word (9:30 a.m.)

Classes available for all ages to connect with God and one another.
Children's classes meet in the Nursery until 9:40 a.m.

Morning Worship (10:30 a.m.)

Prelude	Jill Waters
Worship in Song	Worship Team
**Reflection from dwelling in Jer. 31:27-34	Sharon Stoltzfus
Offertory	Luke Stoltzfus
Announcements and Our Living HiStory Prayer	Pastor Bob
Commissioning	
• Andy & Dot Leatherman, Gary & Sharon Stoltzfus for mission	
• Greg Petersheim as Elder	
Hymns	
The Word of the Lord	Jeremiah 31:27-34
Message: " <i>Being a Change Agent</i> "	Pastor Bob
Response Hymn	
*Benediction	

TODAY:

- *Prayer Ministry following our service Greg and Krista Petersheim
- 6:30 p.m. - Bible Quiz match at Ephrata
- Thank you
- ... **David** and **Pegge Tennant** for the beautiful flowers.
- ... **Gary Stoltzfus** and **Andy Leatherman** for serving as ushers.
- ... **Kaiti Fox** and **Susan Johnson** for serving in the church nursery.

NEXT SUNDAY

- 9-9:30 a.m. - 30 Minute Connect with coffee, tea, juice & pastries
- **Our February dwelling text is Romans 10:8-15 "Foundations of Salvation"
- Message: "*How Close is God?*" - Romans 10:8 - Pastor Bob
- Dwelling Reflection: Shane Petersheim
- Offertory: David Tennant
- Flowers: Krista Petersheim
- Nursery: Tina Essick and Linda Mast
- M4:6a Promise Staff: Bob Ebert and Josh Beam

~This Week's Activities~

Sr. Youth (Grades 9 - 12)

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. - Bible Study in Youth Room

Sat., Feb. 4 - Ski Day

Sun., Feb. 5 - Super Bowl Party after Quizzing at Bob & Karen Horning's

Young Adults

Tuesday: Girls Night Out - Contact Cindy - Bring favorite chocolate recipe

Monday:

7:00 p.m. - Ladies' Bible Study

Tuesday:

9:30 - 11 a.m. - Neighbors Caring and Sharing meets in the fellowship hall this week focusing on "Humor - The Best Medicine" with Rita Richard.

Wednesday:

8:30 a.m. - Sewing Circle

9:00 a.m. - Visitation Team

Thursday:

7:00 p.m. - Spirit Led Prayer Meeting - Call Tennants with requests

~Conestoga's Notes~

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for the Scrapbook Event on Sat., Feb. 11, or to setup on Fri., Feb. 10. Please see Bonnie Beam if you are able to help. All proceeds will go to the food pantry.

PLEASE CHECK THE LOST AND FOUND ITEMS located in the hallway outside the church office. Items left unclaimed by the end of February will be donated to the Reuzit shop.

PLEASE PLACE SWEET STREET ORDER FORMS in Bonnie Beam's mailbox. Deadline for orders is January 31.

ALL AGES ARE INVITED to our VALENTINE BANQUET on Tues., Feb. 14, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Childcare is provided while we enjoy a home-cooked, four-course dinner and fellowship. Sign-up in the lobby.

DIRECTORY CHANGE: Please correct the phone number for Lester and Martha Stoltzfus in your directory. The correct number is 610-273-2802.

THANK YOU to all who provided flowers during the past year. The current sign up sheet is on the shelf in the lobby. See Robin Beam with questions.

PING PONG: Plan to join us Saturday, March 10, for a Community Ping Pong Tournament. Abe Oberholtzer, Jon Essick and Brendan Petersheim are giving leadership to this fun Activities Committee competition.

~Churchwide Notes~

LANCASTER MENNONITE SCHOOL will hold its annual all-school open house Monday, February 6, at four campuses: Kraybill (grades PreK-8), Lancaster (grades 6-12), Locust Grove (grades PreK-8), and New Danville (grades PreK-6). The time is 6-8:30 p.m. For more information call (717) 299-0436, ext. 312.

TEL HAI INVITES the congregation to an inspirational talk by Janet Oberholtzer in the Tel Hai Chapel on Thursday, February 9, 2012 at 1 p.m. See poster on the bulletin board for more information.

FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY, as a part of the Lancaster Christian Council on Disability (LCCD), extends an invitation to a workshop on Saturday March 3, 2012, from 9 a.m. to noon at Manor Church, 530 Central Manor Rd., Lancaster. See the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

THE PA RELIEF SALE is held every April at the Farm Show Building in Harrisburg, PA. Janet Runion Patton and Ruth Runion Slear are Craft Stand coordinators. All proceeds go to MCC. This year's sale will be held the *second* weekend Fri. & Sat., April 13-14, 2012. They are seeking crafters who work with fabric, wood, paper, yarn, thread, or beads to make and donate quality crafts. Drop offs: anytime at Ephrata MCC Materials Resource Center or bring to the Craft Stand at the sale. Call or email us with questions . Janet: 717-272-1708, cjpatton99@aol.com Ruth: 717-533-9423, singchorale@hotmail.com

~Looking Ahead~

- Feb. 11 - Food for Families Fundraiser Crop Scrapbook Event - 9 am-8 pm
- Feb. 14 - Valentine Banquet - 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 26 - Message by Joe Miller
- Feb. 26 - Fellowship Meal & Fundraiser for Laura Kurtz Mission Trip
- Mar. 10 - Ping Pong Tournament
- Apr. 21 - Annual mulching and cleaning day - Coffee at 8 a.m.

~January 22, 2012 Reports~

Attendance: Sunday School-81, Church-110
General Offering: \$3,331.25

Pastoral Team:

Pastor Bob, Chair
Nelson Beam, Elder
Greg Petersheim, Elder
Jerry Petersheim, Elder
Rachel Mast, Min. of Youth/Young Adults
Dot Leatherman, Family Life Shepherd
Lemar & Lois Ann Mast, Deacon(ess)

Ministry Council:

Pastor Bob, Chair
Dir. of Ch. Ed.: Dot Leatherman
Dir. of Fellowship: Liz Petersheim
Dir. of Mission: Howard Moss
Dir. of Stewardship: Bill Beam
Dir. of Worship: Sharon Stoltzfus
Youth/Young Adults: Rachel Mast

Church Staff:

Pastor: Bob Petersheim: leadcmc@dejazzd.com, 610-507-8862 (cell)
Minister of Youth & Young Adults: Rachel Mast: 484-941-4112
Church Administrator: Carol Braglio: conestogamec@dejazzd.com, 610-286-9124



Welcome to Conestoga Mennonite Church

Food Pantry volunteers contributing to this community activity this past Tuesday.

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Office Hours:
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Tuesday-Friday

