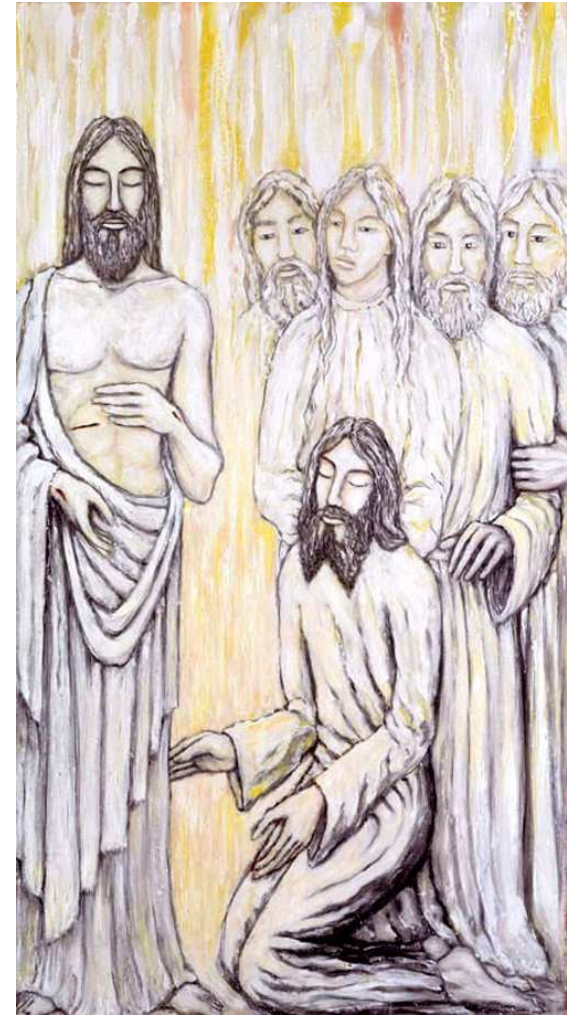


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My Lord & My God

WEST SWAMP MENNONITE CHURCH

Worship Service

April 24, 2022

10:30 A.M.

Prelude

“My Faith Has Found a Resting Place
with Brahms’ 3rd Symphony” ~ *arr. Cindy Berry*
“Breathe on Me, Breath of God” ~ *arr. Victor Labenske*
“He Lives” ~ *arr. Carol Tornquist*

Opening Song “Jesus, stand among us” #25

Welcome

Songs of Praise “Holy Spirit, come with power” #26
 “Lord, I lift your name on high”
 “Christ who left his home” #283
 “Thine is the glory” #269

Scripture John 20:19-31

Message *Sue Conrad Howes*

Song “Will you let me be your servant” #307

Sharing & Prayer

Sending Song “We walk by faith”

Benediction

Postlude “I Know that My Redeemer Lives” ~ *arr. John Carter*

This Sunday

Worship Leader: Les Rice
Greeters: Jan & Denny Wieand
Pianist: Joan Hallman
Guitarist: Brenda Landt
Song Leader: Deb Stevenback
Videographer: Mark Kemmerer
Visual Technicians: Marsha High, Emily Rush
Sound Technicians: Glenn High, Tim Scheetz

Nursery Service is not being offered at this time.

Sunday School Classes for Spring Quarter

The Bible Project continues to meet in Room 104 and via Zoom at 9 am.
We are about to start on the Epistles. Contact Lynne Rush if you would like to join this class.

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Ministry Team, Randy Rush

Community, Nancy Jacobs

Discipleship (DISCO), Katie Mood

Mission, Glenn High

Stewardship, vacant

Worship, vacant

Church Secretary: Lynne Rush

Treasurer: Pat Bevan

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Colleen and Pablo Fast, who have been asked by leadership of the Paz Church in Brazil to help shepherd a congregation in Apuí for about eight months. Pray for the Fast as they transition from their home along the Purus River to a new culture that focuses on cattle-raising and lumber.



Continue to pray for those in our congregation who are experiencing illness and ongoing medical treatment.

Welcome to West Swamp Mennonite Church

April 24, 2022

Reflecting God in our living, loving & serving

Calendar

Apr. 26, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
Apr. 27, 6:30 pm	Chimin' In
Apr. 27, 7:15 pm	Choir



Weekly Prayer Focus:

Pray for our church as we work to spread the news of the Risen Christ in our families and our communities.

~ *What's Happening at West Swamp* ~

Thanks to all who contributed to My Coins Count. We donated a total of \$501.86 (5,417 coins). Currently, because of a matching grant of \$60,000, over \$125,000 has been raised southeastern PA. These funds benefit MCC's Food Projects in various places around the world.

May 15 Spaghetti Dinner: Mark your calendars for this event that will replace a youth auction this year. There will still be a silent auction, so be thinking now if you can donate a meal, service or themed basket for the auction part.

Sermon Discussion Small Group: Remember that you can join this group anytime. It meets on the first and third Thursday of the month. Contact Katie Mood if interested.

~ *What's Happening in the Community* ~

Mosaic congregations are invited to pray for the *Anabautistas del Camino (Anabaptists of the Way)* church plant in Morelos, Mexico with whom Mosaic Conference partners. Fernando Perez and Rebeca Gonzalez provide pastoral accompaniment to families of the disappeared, and they provide migrant support in the form of personal items and hotel stays for persons who are passing through. Pray for the salvation of persons in the community and for the emerging congregation. Pray for strength, provision, and grace for the leaders as they walk with their community and seek to meet the needs for the building of the Kingdom.

Try out **volunteering** at **Care & Share Thrift Shoppes** on Wednesday, April 27 from 5-8 pm at their "Volunteer Happy Hour!" Volunteers will be processing donations for the sales

floor, and current volunteers are also welcome to join. No registration is necessary – just come to the Welcome Center between the Outlet and Variety Shoppes.

Dock Mennonite Academy Grades 9-12 Theatre presents **You Can't Take It With You**, a comedy highlighting a family with a daughter in love. What happens when the young man she is after comes from a different world with quite a different family? Show dates are April 28, 29 & 30 at 7 pm, and tickets are on sale now at <https://our.show/youcanttakeit>. (Emily Rush is one of the producers.)

Camp Men-O-Lan will hold a **National Day of Prayer Breakfast and Prayer Walk**, Thursday, May 5 from 8-9:30 am. This event is Jesus centered, Holy Spirit empowered and includes worship, sharing, prayer and great food! Immediately afterward there will be a Prayer Walk that will be available throughout the day for those who want to come, reflect, and pray. Contact Kim at 215 -679-5144 x320 or visit them on Facebook to register.

Sign up for MyNeighbor card: Everence donated over \$444,000 in January to congregations and charities through its MyNeighbor credit card. You can join in the joy of generosity to generate reward dollars every time you use your card. Our faith-based partner, Everence, will donate 1.50% of the total amount of a purchase to our church or a charity of your choice. Learn more at everence.com/myneighbor.

Church Office Hours

Pastor Michael: Monday-Thursday, 9-4

Lynne: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 8:30-1:30.