

WEST SWAMP MENNONITE CHURCH

Worship Service

August 7, 2022

10:30 A.M.

Prelude

“The Faithful” ~ *R. Kevin Boesinger*
“I Am Ready” ~ *arr. Teresa Wilbelmi*
“We Are Marching in the Light of God”
~ *arr. John Carter*

Welcome

Songs of Praise	“Revelation Song”	Insert
	“Man of sorrows”	#258
	“Praise, my soul, the God of heaven”	#63
	“Sing to the King”	Insert

Scriptures	Psalms 33:12-22
	Luke 12:32-40

Worship Music	“Keep your lamps trimmed and burning”	<i>Ensemble</i>
		<i>Pastor Michael</i>

Message

Song of Response	“God, whose giving”	#383
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Sharing and Prayer

Sending Song	“I’m gonna live so God can use me”	Insert
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Benediction

Postlude	“Benediction in D” ~ <i>Wely</i>
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This Sunday

Worship Leader: Louise Butcher
Greeters: Don & Louise Butcher
Pianist: Joan Hallman
Musicians: Brenda Landt, Lynne Rush
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 Summer Quarter

The Bible Project continues to meet in Room 104 and via Zoom at 8:45 am. We are working our way through the Epistles. Contact Lynne Rush if you would like to join this class.

West Swamp Mennonite Church

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Commissions & Deacons:

Ministry Team, Randy Rush

Mission, Glenn High

Community, Nancy Jacobs

Stewardship, vacant

Discipleship (DISCO), Katie Mood

Worship, vacant

Church Secretary: Lynne Rush

Treasurer: Pat Bevan

Mennonite Mission Network: Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Freddy Barrón and Margrit Kipfer Barrón, as they mentor leaders and support church plants in the Bolivia Mennonite Church. Pray for Freddy as he pastors a congregation and Margrit as she coordinates Christian education for the denomination.



A large rectangular area with horizontal lines for writing prayer requests.

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

Welcome to West Swamp Mennonite Church
August 7, 2022
Reflecting God in our living, loving & serving

Calendar

Aug. 9, 8 am
Aug. 21

Knotting & Quilting
Men-O-Lan Sunday



Weekly Prayer Focus:

Pray for the remaining Day Camp weeks at Men-O-Lan and that the staff stays healthy, refreshed, and unceasing in their witness of Christ's love.

~ **What's Happening at West Swamp** ~

Mark your calendars: Men-O-Lan Sunday is Aug. 21 as we worship and fellowship with Solidarity & Harmony. Worship is at 10:30, but you're welcome to come earlier to take a nature walk or meditate by the lake. There will be time for the lake and pool after lunch as well. If you can, bring a dessert or salad. There is limited refrigerator space, so if your dish needs refrigeration, please bring it in a cooler.

It's School Kit time! The Mission Commission will be collecting school kits for MCC during August. Donate full kits or specific items. Here's what is needed:

- 4 spiral or perforated-pages notebooks (8.5 in x 10.5 in and 70 sheets)
- 8 new **unsharpened** pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30 cm; inch markings optional)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 2 new black or blue ballpoint pens
- 1 small **all metal** pencil sharpener, one or two holes. (We have 120 of these available for kits. **Do not** buy plastic sharpeners.)

Have some extra time this summer? Join the knotters on Tuesday mornings! MCC is running low on comforters. Help replenish their stock. Our stock of comforter tops is getting low. If you are interested in sewing tops at home, or would be interested in participating in a "sewing party," please contact Lynne Rush.

Directory Updates: Contact the secretary if you have not yet picked up your update packet. A delivery service is available to those who need it. And if your directory binder is wearing out, ask for a new one. (\$5 donation appreciated, but not mandatory.)

~ **What's Happening in the Community** ~

All Mosaic congregations are invited to pray for **Blooming Glen (PA) Mennonite Church** as they anticipate their **Back to School Bash community event** on August 13. Pray that the church will be able to connect with persons in the community who desire to connect with God through this opportunity. Pray for children and teachers as they prepare to return to school this fall.

The Delegate Assembly is over, and decisions have been made. What has changed? What does it mean for my conference, my congregation and me? Mennonite Church USA Executive Board and staff members answer these questions and more in the "Special Session of the Delegate Assembly: What Now?" webinar. Watch the recording here: mennoniteusa.org/webinar-whatnow.

Church Office Hours

Pastor Michael: Monday-Thursday, 9-4.

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