



First Sunday after the Epiphany Rescue

January 13, 2019

Sharon Mennonite Church
***“Our mission is to know, to worship, to serve,
and to share Jesus Christ”***

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9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30AM Worship Hour

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Elder

614-327-1125

Mark Bailey,
Elder

614-813-3048

Dennis Graber,
Elder

614-316-6133

Welcome Center: Bobby Watkins
Greeters: Tony and Tina Miller
Nursery: Gwen Troyer and Becky Headings

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Prelude Dennis Hull
Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship John Rohrer
Bible Memory Verse Mark 4:39
*‘And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still.
And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.’*
Worship in Song “Reason To Sing” KC and Raina Theiss
“Oh How I Need You”

PRESENTING OUR GIFTS

Offertory “How He Loves” KC and Raina Theiss
(Missions Fund)

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Mark 4:35-41
Special Music “Rescue” KC and Raina Theiss
Message **Jesus Rescues** Pastor Jared Chase
Response “Oceans” KC and Raina Theiss

SENDING FORTH

Sharing & Congregational Prayer Pastor Jared Chase
Benediction KC and Raina Theiss

TODAY

No activities planned

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

Memory Verse for January 20

James 1:4

'Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.'

Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Family Church Night – Kick-off
(Games/Potluck)

Thursday, 9:00 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

Thursday, 9:00 a.m.

Busy Bees

Thursday, 6:00 p.m.

Music Committee Meeting

Thursday, 6:00 p.m.

Spiritual Leadership Team Meeting

Saturday, 9:00 a.m.

Food Pantry Delivery

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 20, 9:00 a.m.

Youth Breakfast Fundraiser

January 22, 6:30 p.m.

Youth Planning Meeting

January 23, 6:00 p.m.

Christian Education Meeting

January 23, 7:00 p.m.

Church Council Meeting

January 24, 9:00 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

January 26, 5:30 p.m.

Renewal Meeting: Healthy Conversations
Workshop (Meal Included)

January 27, 6:00 p.m.

Renewal Meeting: Healthy Conversations
Workshop, continued

January 29, 6:00 p.m.

Worship Planning Committee Meeting

January 31, 9:00 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

February 6, 7:00 p.m.

Family Church Night – Bible Study

February 7, 9:00 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

February 7, 9:00 a.m.

Busy Bees

NEXT SUNDAY

Next week's message will be delivered by Alvin Yoder. The offering will be for the General Fund.

Greeters: Joann Myers and Grace Gilmore

Nursery: Nikki Shoemaker and Volunteer

Last Sunday's Sunday School Attendance:

92

Last Sunday's Service Attendance:

145

Last Sunday's Offering:

\$5,370.00 (General Fund)



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 19, 9:00 a.m.

January 20, 9:00 a.m.

January 20, 6:00 p.m.

January 22, 6:30 p.m.

January 27, 5:00 p.m.

February 3, 5:00 p.m.

February 6, 5:30 p.m.

Food Pantry Delivery

Youth Breakfast Fundraiser

Ignite

Youth Planning Meeting

Bible Study

Game Night

Bible Study at Pastor Jared's

NOTICES

Pastor Jared Out of Office January 14-16 – Pastor Jared will be out of the office this week Monday, January 14 through Wednesday, January 16 to attend Spiritual Leadership Training at EMU in Harrisonburg. Should any need arise during his absence, please contact the church Elders.

Church Office – The church office will close at 12:45 on Tuesday, January 15. Should any need arise that afternoon, please contact the church Elders. Regular hours will resume on Wednesday, January 16.

Sharon Renewal Meeting: Healthy Conversations Workshop – We are immersed in a culture that is more polarized every day, and we are told that the best way out of conflict is to fight (and win). There is another option, though. Join Sharon Mennonite for our Renewal Meeting Weekend Workshop on January 26-27 to learn about and practice healthy dialogue. The workshop will be led by Jes Stoltzfus Buller, Mennonite Central Committee Peace Education Coordinator. The schedule will be as follows:

Saturday Night (Meal Included) – 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Sunday Morning – Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. and Worship Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening – 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

For more information or to RSVP for this event, please contact Pastor Jared at jchase2882@gmail.com.

Intergenerational Class: What is Discipleship? – Pastor Jared will be leading an intergenerational class “What is Discipleship?” on Sundays from 9:30-10:30 in the Mezzanine through the first week of March. Please contact Pastor Jared for more information.

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Dash Hollis Beachy – Congratulations to Darryl, Cami, and Crosser Beachy on the birth of Dash Hollis who arrived on Saturday, December 15th at 10:46 p.m., weighing 8 pounds and 3.4 ounces and measuring 21 inches long. If you would like to provide meals for Dash's family (Darryl, Cami, and 20 month old Crosser), use the following link to sign up to provide a meal.

[https:// takethemameal.com/ meals.php?t=OAUG2107](https://takethemameal.com/meals.php?t=OAUG2107)

Alice Yutzy – Alice Yutzy is now residing at Edgewater Assisted Living and would love to have visitors! Her address is: Alice Yutzy, c/o Edgewater Assisted Living, 11351 Lafayette Plain City Rd, Room #A134, Plain City, OH 43064.

Missional Conference March 7-8, 2019 at Salem Mennonite Church, Kidron – Ohio Conference invites you to a missional conference featuring speakers Sally Schreiner Youngquist (founding pastor of Living Water Community Church, Chicago, IL) and Steve North (pastor of church plant LifeLine in Toledo, OH). *From Jerusalem to Antioch: Legacy Churches Anchoring Missional Communities* will take place March 7-8 at Salem Mennonite Church in Kidron. Registration information is available at www.ohiomennoniteconference.org. For additional information about the speakers and the event, please see the notice on the bulletin board and brochures available by the mailboxes.

Mennonite World Fellowship Sunday – Mennonite World Fellowship Sunday is on January 20, 2019. The theme for this year is "Justice on the Journey: Migration and the Anabaptist Story." Find worship materials for use on January 20 or any Sunday that works for your congregations, prepared out of the experience of MWC Latin American churches at mwc-cmm.org/article/world-fellowship-Sunday.

Graduate Students in Healthcare Professions – Mennonite Healthcare Fellowship (MHF) offers educational grants for Anabaptist students to learn and serve in cross-cultural mission/service settings in developing countries. Deadline for 2019-20 academic year is May 15, 2019. For details and application form, see www.mennohealth.org/student_term/, email info@mennohealth.org, or call 1-888-406-3643.

Lutheran Marriage Encounter – Resolve in 2019 to give the one you love more of your time and attention away from your daily routine at Lutheran Marriage Encounter. The next event is scheduled Mar 22 - 24, 2019 at Comfort Suites in Hartville, OH. Apply now at GodLovesMarriage.org or contact Duffy & Nan Guthrie at nguthrie@suite224.net or 440-599-9090 for more information. Special 50% Discount off the regular application fee for 2019 events in celebration of Worldwide Marriage Encounter's 50 Years of enhancing marriages! Pre-registration is required by March 6 – don't miss out!

