



September 1, 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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Pastor

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740-972-2564

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Elder

614-316-6133

Welcome Center: Gwen Troyer
Greeters: John and Betty Rohrer
Nursery: Volunteers Needed

*Hearing assistance devices are available for those who need them.
Please see attendant in the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary for assistance.*

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Prelude Pat Anderson and Marjorie Schlabach

Welcome and Announcements

Bible Memory Verse Ecclesiastes 12:13 (second half of verse)

*'Fear God and keep his commandments,
for this is the duty of all mankind.'*

Call to Worship

John Rohrer

Worship in Song

*WB 648 "Morning Has Broken"
MH 546 "A Wonderful Savior Is Jesus"
MH 586 "I Know Not Why God's
Wondrous Grace"*

Dennis Graber,
Danny Casey,
and Macy Miller

PRESENTING OUR GIFTS

Offertory

"Refiner's Fire"

Dennis Graber,
Danny Casey,
and Macy Miller

(General Fund)

**Love Offering for
Alvin Yoder**

"Together"

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture

Genesis 1:26-28,
Ecclesiastes 1:1-3

Message

Work – What's the Point?

Alvin Yoder

Response

*MH 426 "The Work Is Thine,
O Christ"*

Dennis Graber,
Danny Casey,
and Macy Miller

SENDING FORTH

Sharing & Congregational Prayer

Pastor Vickie Yoder

Benediction

*"Spirit of God"
(Sending Song)*

Dennis Graber,
Danny Casey, and
Macy Miller

TODAY

No activities planned

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

Memory Verse for September 8

Matthew 5:13-14

'You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden.'

Sunday – Monday

Pastor Jared - Vacation

Monday

Labor Day

Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Pastor Peer Meeting (Pastors Out of Office)

Thursday, 9:30 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 8, 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School Meeting
(Question/Answer Session, in place of
Sunday School Classes)

September 8, 12:30 p.m.

Spiritual Leadership Team Meeting

September 11, 6:00 p.m.

Family Church Night – Kick-off

September 11, 7:00 p.m.

Church Council/SRC Meeting

September 12, 9:30 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

September 12, 9:30 a.m. –2:30 p.m.

Credentialed Ministers Ohio Conference
Meeting, Sandusky (Pastors Out of Office)

September 15, 9:00 a.m.

Youth Breakfast Fundraiser

September 17, 8:00 p.m.

Missions Committee Meeting

September 18, 6:00 p.m.

Christian Education Meeting

September 18, 7:00 p.m.

Church Council Meeting

September 19, 9:30 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

September 21, 9:00 a.m.

Food Pantry Delivery

September 24, 6:30 p.m.

Youth Planning Meeting

September 25, 7:00 p.m.

Annual Member's Meeting

September 26, 9:30 a.m.

Quilting and Other Projects

September 28, 7:00 a.m.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

September 29, 1:00 p.m.

Edgewater Service

NEXT SUNDAY

Next week Pastor Jared will start the "Jesus Commands" preaching series with "Let Your Light Shine." The offering will be for the Missions Fund.

Greeters: Mark and Janice Bailey

Nursery: Babs Graber and Volunteer

Last Sunday's Sunday School Attendance:

No Sunday School

Last Sunday's Service Attendance:

170

Last Sunday's Offering:

\$5,181.00 (General Fund)



UPCOMING EVENTS

September 8, 1:00 p.m.

September 15, 9:00 a.m.

September 22, 6:00 p.m.

FUEL Kick-off at Murdock's
Youth Breakfast Fundraiser
Ignite

NOTICES

Pastor Jared – Pastor Jared will be on vacation today and Monday. Should a pastoral need arise, please contact Interim Associate Pastor Vickie Yoder or a Church Elder.

Jesus' Commands Series – We will be encountering Jesus through his commands for 12 weeks starting Sunday, September 8th and concluding on Sunday, November 24th. We will focus on some traditional commands and others that don't necessarily cross our minds. During this twelve week series we will "Let our Light Shine", "Rest", "Forgive" and "Love" among others. We look forward to walking this journey together.

Meal Train to welcome baby Evelyn Sue Waldron - Evelyn was born Sunday, August 18 at 1:20 p.m. She weighed in at 6lbs 4oz and was 20 inches long at birth. Both Evelyn and Amy are doing well and are happy to be home. You can sign up to take a meal to Andrew and Amy Waldron at <https://takethemameal.com/QIDO0563>, password: 1152.

Family Church Night – Kick-off for the next season of Family church night will take place on September 11. There will be a carry-in meal and games. Hope to see you there!

Annual Members Meeting – The Annual Members Meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The meeting agenda will be distributed two weeks prior to the meeting.

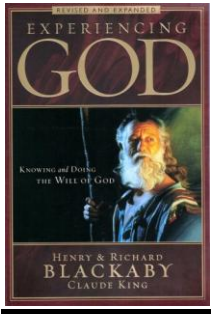
Mark Your Calendar! – 4th Annual Lisa Beachy Memorial Cornhole Tournament - September 29 - Online Registration now open!

Sponsor form: <https://forms.gle/BDXC6DsD9Tn42v5bA>

Registration: <https://forms.gle/obocaPwmG8FSKhX56>

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New Opportunity – Adult Bible Study (Tuesday, 10-11 a.m.) - If you have a



hunger in your heart to know and do God's will - this study is for you, "Experiencing God" by Blackaby and King. We will be meeting on Tuesday mornings from 10:00-11:00 a.m. in the Jubilee Classroom starting September 10th.

- Non-gender specific
- Children welcome! Parents please bring books or quiet toys to entertain. If there is enough interest, we will look at childcare.

Books will be purchased after initial meeting. Any questions, please contact Vickie Yoder, facilitator, at 614-598-3306.

Message from Elvin Sommers – “Dear Friends at Sharon, I have appreciated hearing from many of you and want to thank you for your prayers, cards, and visits. I keep praying for you. I'm still able to walk with a walker. I miss seeing you and being in church each Sunday. I enjoy the cards and visits from you. I had the privilege of having brunch with my 5 children and their spouses last weekend. It was good to be together with them. Blessings to all of you! Love, Elvin.” Elvin has a new mailing address: Elvin Sommers, Accord Community Care, 1980 Lynn Dr., Orrville, OH 44667 (Facility was sold to new owner).

Donations Coordinator needed for Country Closet – The Country Closet Thrift Shop is looking to hire a full time Donations Coordinator. This is a paid position under the direction of the Operations Manager. Must be willing to work occasional evenings and rotating Saturdays. Must be comfortable moving large donations up to 60 pounds and driving store van with 16 ft box trailer. Must be able to work with a diverse group of volunteers and customers. Ability to work independently and high accountability are also very important. Please E-mail countryclosetthriftshop@gmail.com if interested in more information.

Mobile Mammography Unit Coming to Plain City – The James Mobile Mammography Unit is coming to Plain City again this fall. Ladies over 40 are welcome to take advantage of this service being offered at Haven Fellowship Church on Tuesday, Sept. 3, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Self-pay cost is \$135.00, or bring your insurance information. It is important that you schedule an appointment as soon as possible by calling 1-800-240-4477 or 614-293-4455.

Women's Retreat at Camp Luz September 13-15 – Women, are you in need of encouragement and fellowship? Camp Luz is hosting a retreat for you September 13-15. Jeanne Zimmerly Jantzi, superintendent of Central Christian School will be exploring the idea of being “Strong and Courageous” women of God. More information and registration is available at www.campluz.com and in the brochures located by the mailboxes and on the bulletin board.

