

Community Mennonite Church
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Our Mission

We the people of Community Mennonite Church offer our gifts and lives to the call of Jesus Christ. We strive actively to follow the God of peace through our worship, fellowship, and service to both the local community and the wider world.

PASTORAL STAFF

Jennifer Davis Sensenig, Lead Pastor Jennifer.Davis.Sensenig@cmcva.org	540-560-5126 Mon.-Thu. 9-4, Fri. Sabbath
Dayna Olson-Getty, Associate Pastor Dayna.Olson-Getty@cmcva.org	919-236-9796 Mon.-Thu. 9-4, Fri. Sabbath
Jason Gerlach, Associate Pastor Jason.Gerlach@cmcva.org	540-421-8155 Mon, Wed.-Fri., 9-3, off Tue.

PASTORAL ELDERS

Dave Graybill	540-574-0793
Brian Martin Burkholder	540-746-6419
Jan Jenner	540-421-8696

CHURCH COUNCIL

David Vogel, Council Chair	Joyce Peachey Lind, Youth Chair
Heidi Derstine, Vice Chair	Hadley Jenner, Outreach Chair
Ruth Stoltzfus Jost, Administrative Chair	Jeremy Nafziger, Worship Chair
Lee Good, Community Life Chair	

CHURCH OFFICE

Nitsuh Agaje, Church Administrator
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Office hrs: Mon. - Fri. 9 - 4:30

Attendance last Sunday = 228
Offering last Sunday = \$8,191
YTD budget = \$298,659
YTD giving = \$286,162
Difference = (\$12,497)

Stewardship of our buildings this week

Main Building

Saturday 7 pm El Camino Discipular (FH, K and Sanctuary)

Dean House

Monday 8 am - 3 pm, Bridge of Hope

Community Mennonite Church



September 27, 2015
Faithful Love

GATHERING & WELCOME

Prelude	
Hymn	God of our strength <i>Blue # 36</i>
Welcome & Prayer	
Call to Worship	Confitemini Domino <i>Green # 59</i>
Hymn	All who love and serve your city <i>Blue # 417 - Verses 1, 2, 3, 5</i>

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Reading	Joshua 2:1-24
Hymn	Joshua fit the battle of Jericho
Scripture Reading	Joshua 6:12-20, 22-25
Sermon	Faith in the Border

RESPONDING IN FAITH

Hymn of Response	Be still <i>Green # 75</i>
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Offertory
(Age 4 - 5th grade children dismissed for recess)

Congregational Sharing and Pastoral Prayer

Prayer for Pastor Max and his family

Announcements

SENDING

Sending Hymn

The Lord bless you and keep you
Green # 76

Benediction

Service Participants: *Brian Martin Burkholder, worship leader / Angie Clemens, song leader / Jennifer Davis Sensenig, sermon / Dayna Olson-Getty, pastoral prayer / Jim Clemens, prelude & offertory / Matt Hunsberger, musician / Shirley Showalter, scripture reader / Dan Beachy, head usher / Jesse Rodriguez, sound / Ken & Martha June Graber, greeters / Ruth Stoltzfus Jost and Betty Simenson, nursery / Sharon Wyse Miller, prayer companion / Shelby Hertzler, hospitality*

With gratitude to local Mennonite artist Kathryn Fenton, we have included her series of abstract Anabaptist icons in our worship space for this series. The icons are based on seven doctrines: Trinity, Christ, Scripture, Salvation, Sacraments, Discipleship, and Non-violence.

Fellowship Time

- Sunday school 10:30 am
- Prayer Companions will be available to pray with you after worship, in the front left-hand corner of the Sanctuary or through the door there marked 'Prayer Alcove.'

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS

For more details, see Sunday School bulletin board in Fellowship Hall

Falling Upward: Spirituality and Work in the Two Halves of Life - Shirley Showalter and Kent Davis Sensenig (Room 109)

Deuteronomy: The Heart of the Hebrew Scriptures - Jennifer and Kent Davis Sensenig (Dean House #1)

Young Adult SS Class - Jonathan Nofziger and Grace Hercyk (Dean House #2)

Poetry of Praise and Lament - Esther Stenson and Friends (Dean House #3)

Dunkin Donuts Men's Group - Will meet at Matt Carlson's home location: 231 W. Gay St. (Hugh Stoll)

Quilting and Conversation - Martha June Graber (Dean House #22)

Welcome to all guests!

Please stop by the New Attender table in the back of the Sanctuary so that we can welcome you. Please also let us know you are here by filling out the blue slip in the Welcome to Worship brochure and placing it in the offering basket.

- ❖ **Worship time:** 9 am (nursery available ages 0-3)
- ❖ **Nursery (ages 0-3):** Down stairs in Room 11
- ❖ **Restrooms:** Can be access through the doors in the Fellowship Hall.
- ❖ **Church Recess (ages 4 through 5th grade):** Children's outdoor activity during Congregational Sharing & Pastoral Prayer time until the time children's singing begins
- ❖ **Sunday School** for all ages begins at 10:30 am after worship. See information in the fellowship hall bulletin board or ask an usher.
- ❖ **Activity Bags** (Ages 3 to 6). Hanging at the back of the sanctuary.
- ❖ **Hearing Assistance.** Ask an usher for a device that amplifies our sound system.
- ❖ **In the Fellowship Hall kiosk** you will find visitor information, our newsweekly and welcome brochures.
- ❖ **Mid-week activities for children** include Venture Club (grades 3-5), Jr. Mennonite Youth Fellowship/MYF (grades 6-8) and MYF (grades 9-12) are open to all. Contact the church office at 540-433-2148 or at cmc_office@cmcva.org.

Upcoming CMC Events

Monday, Sep. 28	Outreach Commission Meeting, 7 pm, 202
Tuesday, Sep. 29	Youth Commission Meeting, 7 pm, Room 202
Sunday, October 4	Monthly Potluck, after Sunday school, Fellowship
Monday, October 12	Thinking about college? An informational event on college savings, presented by Everence, 7:00 - 8:30 pm, Fellowship Hall
Fri- Sun., Oct. 16-18	CMC Annual Retreat at Camp Brethren Woods