

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

Brian Martin Burkholder	540-746-6419
Esther Stenson	540-568-1642
Jan Jenner	540-421-8696

CHURCH COUNCIL

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

CHURCH OFFICE

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

Attendance last Sunday: 254
Offering last Sunday= \$10,822
YTD budget= \$9,002
YTD giving= \$ 9,002
Difference = \$1,820

Stewardship of our buildings this week

Main Building

Wednesday	6 – 8 pm Patchwork Pantry (FH, K, 109, and Sanctuary)
Saturday	10 am – 1 pm, Seventh Day Adventist Congregation (FH, K and Sanctuary)
	7 pm El Camino Discipular (FH, K and Sanctuary)

Dean House

Sunday	4:30 pm, The Table
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January 10, 2016
Epiphany: where the good way lies

GATHERING

Prelude
Welcome and Call to Worship
Hymns

Great God, we sing
Blue # 639

We are people of God's peace
Blue # 407

HEARING THE WORD

Children's Time
Scripture Readings
Hymn

Isaiah 43:1-7; Luke 3:15-17, 21-23

On Jordan's banks the Baptist's cry
Blue # 183

Sermon

"Through Water"

RESPONDING IN FAITH

Hymn of Response

My soul cries out
Purple # 124

Offertory
January Birthday Offering

(Age 4 - 5th grade children dismissed for recess)

Commissioning

- Elaine and Nathan Zook Barge
- Jay and Sheri Hartzler
- Wilma and Larry Miller

Congregational Sharing and Pastoral Prayer
Announcements

SENDING

Hymn

Go, my friends, in grace

Purple # 57

Benediction

Service Participants: *Brendon Derstine, worship leader / Ray Horst, song leader / Jennifer Davis Sensenig, sermon & pastoral prayer / Brad Lehman, prelude / Greg Koop, Heidi & Brendon Derstine, scripture readers / Matt Ruth, head usher / Tom Sawin, sound / Jan & Hadley Jenner, greeters / Sara Gingerich and Jalyn Sneary, nursery / Joyce Osborne, prayer companion*

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday, January 17: Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 36:5-10; I Corinthians 12:1-11; John 2:1-11

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

RESCUING THE GOSPEL OF JOHN FROM THE FUNDAMENTALISTS

– Reta Halteman Finger (Room # 109)

NURTURING HEALTHY CHRISTIAN SEXUALITY

– Dayna Olson-Getty (Dean House Room # 3)

FAITH IN ACTION

- Local Justice for Immigrant Neighbors – Hadley Jenner and Jennifer Davis Sensenig (Dean House Room # 1)

DARE WE HOPE THAT THE POWERS CAN BE TRANSFORMED?

– Michael Snell-Fikema and Valerie Serrels (Sanctuary)

DUNKIN DONUTS MEN'S GROUP

– Will meet at VMRC with Paul Longacre this Sunday (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 in the north hallway
- ❖ **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

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| Thursday, Jan. 21 | Council Meeting, 7 pm, Room 202 |
| Mon., March 7 – 14 | CMC will be hosting Open Doors at Asbury United Methodist Church |