

## 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, Wed.-Fri., 9-4, off Tue.
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	Hadley Jenner, Outreach Chair
Alisha Huber, Vice Chair	Jeremy Nafziger, Worship Chair
Ruth Stoltzfus Jost, Administrative Chair	Joyce Peachey Lind, Youth Chair
Lee Good, Community Life Chair	Ben Bailey, Member-at-Large

### CHURCH OFFICE

Nitsuh Agaje, Church Administrator  
cmc\_office@cmcva.org  
Office hrs: Mon. - Fri. 9 - 4:30

Attendance last Sunday: 253  
YTD budget = \$171,030  
Difference = (\$13,561)

Offering last Sunday = \$5,837  
YTD giving = \$157,470

### 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

Monday – Friday 8-5 pm, Institute for Reform and Solutions (IRS)  
Monday & Thursday 10 am – 12 pm, Citizenship Class, Skyline Literacy  
Sunday 4:30 pm, The Table

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May 22, 2016

*Welcome the Heavenly Guest: Trinity Sunday*

### GATHERING & WELCOME

Prelude  
Call to Worship

Opening Hymns

**Create my soul anew**  
*Blue # 3*

**How wondrous great**  
*Blue # 126*

### HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Reading  
Hymn

**John 16:12-15**

**Spirit, come, dispel our sadness**  
*Blue # 290*

Children's Time

Scripture Reading

**Prov. 8:1-4, 22-31**

Hymn

**Long before my journey's start**  
*Green # 36*

Sermon

**Dancing Wisdom**

### RESPONDING IN FAITH

Hymn

**Joyful, joyful, we adore thee**  
*Blue # 71*

Offertory  
*(Age 4 - 5<sup>th</sup> grade children dismissed for recess)*

Everyday Ministry

- Simone Horst

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Announcements

## SENDING

Benediction

Sending Hymn

**Praise God from whom**

*Blue # 118*

**Service Participants:** *Brian Martin Burkholder, worship leader / Jeremy Nafziger, song leader / Dayna Olson-Getty, preacher & pastoral prayer / Brad Lehman, prelude / Brian Martin Burkholder, children's time / Timothy Jost & Sharon Wyse Miller, scripture readers / Jonathan Nofziger, head usher / Alex Clemens, sound / Sheri Smucker & Keaton Shenk, greeters / Tammie and Elsjie McDonald, nursery / Sharon Wyse Miller, prayer companion / Joan Kauffman, hospitality*

## 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.'
- ❖ Young adults are invited to meet by the exterior doors in the fellowship hall to walk to Black Sheep for coffee and conversation.

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS

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

**CANTO Y PALABRA: (SPANISH) SONG AND WORD** – Ray Horst (Dean House Room #1)

**RESTORING JUSTICE: LOCAL REFORM INITIATIVES IN AN AGE OF MASS INCARCERATION** – Kent Davis Sensenig (Dean House Room #3)

**RESCUING THE GOSPEL OF JOHN FROM THE FUNDAMENTALISTS** – Reta Halteman Finger (Room #109)

**DARE WE HOPE THAT THE POWERS CAN BE TRANSFORMED?** – Michael Snell-Fikema and Valerie Serrels (Sanctuary)

**MEN'S OFF-CAMPUS FELLOWSHIP** – Will meet at VMRC with Paul Longacre (Hugh Stoll)

**QUILTING AND CONVERSATION** – Martha June Graber (Downstairs in Room G16)

## 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):** In the north hallway
- ❖ **Restrooms:** Can be accessed in the north hallway
- ❖ **Church Recess (ages 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:cmc_office@cmcva.org).

## **Upcoming CMC Events:**

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| Tue., May 24  | Monthly Gathering, 6 pm, Fellowship Hall   |
| Sun., May 29  | Speakeasy/walk-around for a report and discussion about the Everyone Welcome building renovation project, 11:30 am |
| Sat., June 4  | Baby shower to celebrate Ephraim Yoder and baby Fenton, 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm, CMC Fellowship Hall                    |
| Sun., June 5  | Monthly Potluck after Sunday school, Morrison Park (behind Waterman Elementary School)                             |
| Mon., June 13 | Outreach Commission Meeting, 7 pm, Room 202  |
| Thu. June 30  | Joint Pastoral Team and Council meeting, 6:30 pm at Heidi and Brendon Derstine home                                |

*CMC follows Safe Church practices.*