

Elder Selection The 13 elder nominees have been contacted and will gather on Wednesday at 7:30 PM in the sanctuary to create a ballot for the membership to join in the discernment process. Please continue praying for God's leading as we seek to call an elder to serve for the next 3 years starting January 1, 2025.

Food Drive In conjunction with today's potluck, we are collecting donations in the breezeway for Connections Food & Resource Center.

Peppernuts Today, the peppernut dough is due and will be made into ropes which will then be frozen in preparation for baking next Sunday. Next Sunday, Oct 20th, a light lunch will be provided for those that want to participate in the baking process. So we know how many to prepare lunch for, please sign up on the provided sheet on the table in the foyer. There will be jobs for young and old, and a great opportunity to fellowship and work together.

Members Meeting Minutes Minutes from the September 8th Members Meeting are available to review on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Relief from NC Flood Victims Liz Mitchell is collecting new and gently used sleeping bags and bedding to send to North Carolina over the next few weeks. You can drop off donated items in the church breezeway.

MCC Meat Canner The Canner will be in Fairview November 18th -20th. Donations can be made to PVMC with a note in the memo for MCC Meat Canner and are being collected now through October 27th. If you have interest in volunteering, please contact Ben Warner.

Fall Festival Sunday, October 27th from 5:30 - 7:30 pm (games open at 6:00) with a meal and dessert. A bucket has been setup in the foyer under the coat rack to collect bags of candy or small toys and prizes (Walmart party isle). Costumes welcome! (No scary ones please.)

Silent Auction for Day in the Country We are looking for one-of-a kind items. Examples: Quilts, Antique furniture, Large themed gift basket, a service you could offer, a catered supper... it can really be anything. Note: To the crafters, if you're making several of the same thing they will go in the craft sale not the Silent Auction. Questions? Contact Susan Shantz 580-819-1776

Antique Car/Truck/Tractor Display at Day in the Country: Do you have grandpa's old tractor out in the barn? Or your dad's vintage car/truck in the shed? This is your chance to get those antique vehicles out and give them a little sunshine! This will just be a chance for folks to enjoy looking at (not climbing on or in) the vintage vehicles in our community. It is not a judged event, it's just for the fun of enjoying the memories and history! An entry sheet will be provided for you to list the make/model of your vehicle as well as any history you may know. So, get those vehicles up and running and feel free to invite any friends who may be interested in bringing their vintage vehicles. Contact Tonia Martin if you have any questions.

Wednesday Night

5:45 pm: Baked Potato Bar, Salad, and dessert.

6:30pm: 0 to 4 year olds to Nursery
Pre K - 3rd Grade to Commons Room
4th - 8th Grade to Classrooms
Youth to Classroom

3 Adult Class Options available:

- In Room #114 Blair Cilliers will lead a **Crafting and Journaling Class** with intentional time for prayer, time in scripture and sharing.
- **Journey back to the time of Jesus.** In an 8 session video series from Ray Vander Laan, we will discover how the events of Jesus' day impacted his life, ministry and communication... and then we'll learn how it affects ours. This class is located in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Rediscover Church** When it comes to church, have you ever asked yourself, "Why do we do what we do?" This class will explore questions related to church using scripture as well as excerpts from the book, Rediscover Church. **Our question this week: "Is joining really necessary?"** This class is located in the conference room.



BABY BOY! Congratulations to Tony & Becky Peachy on the arrival of their son, Colter Anthony! Born 10/6/24, weighing 8 lbs. 8 oz. and 21 inches long. He joins proud siblings Lakyn, Axell, Dierk, Fletcher & Harper and grandparents David & Martha Miller. A gift table for Colter Peachy has been setup in the foyer.

Today, October 13, 2024

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship service
Potluck

This week Oct 14th - 19th

Tue 6 - 8 pm TLC Thomas 1st Christian Church (Looming Class)
Wed 5:45 pm Meal
6:30 pm Activities for all ages
7:30 pm Men's Prayer & Share Elders Meeting
Thu 1 - 4 pm Quilting Room 112

Next Sunday, October 20th

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship service
Cutting & Baking Peppernuts

Upcoming events

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| October 26th | Fellowship Hall Reserved |
| October 27th | Fall Festival |
| November 3rd | Singing Evening |
| | Member's Meeting |
| November 9th | Day in the Country |
| November 10th | Maple Lawn Manor |
| November 15th | Church Reserved |
| November 16th | Church Reserved |
| November 22nd | Church Reserved |
| November 23rd | Church Reserved |
| November 28th | Church Reserved |
| November 29th | Church Reserved |

Prayer Requests

Add your prayer requests by contacting Pastor Jeff or the church office.

For our church family

That Christ may be seen in us.

Our homebound members ~ Bertha Miller, Marjorie Shantz (Maple Lawn Manor)

Michael & Faith Slagell and Warren & Lola Slagell ~ mourning the loss of their sister Janet Kauffman

Edwin & Melissa Detweiler

Health Concerns

- David Miller ~ Pray for healing and strength as he finishes his last remaining radiation treatments
- Skyler Swihart ~ recovering from surgery
- Warren Slagell
- Mim Mast

Pastor Jeff, Dana & family

Elders & families

Elder Selection Process

In our community

For those who don't know Jesus as their Lord and Savior and unity among those who do.

Health concerns

- Ethan Hushbeck, grandson of Devert & Kathy Thomas ~ Recovering from Concussion
- Becky Warren ~ battling cancer (she is the sister-in-law of Wes Warren, director of the Weatherford Independent Living Home)
- Margaret, sister to Susana Friesen ~ battling cancer
- Delmar Scoville ~ battling cancer
- Kenneth Slagell ~ Michael & Warren Slagell's brother

Local Ministries: Agape Health Clinic, Branch 15, Habitat for Humanity,

Connections Food & Resource Center, First Choice, Etc Shop, Hope is Alive

Our local, state, and national leaders

Around the World

Serving in the US

- Oklahoma MDS
- Corey & Brooke Makeever - STUMO

Serving in other Countries

- Global Disciples
- Befon Asiago -Lifeway Children's Centre
- Rolly Walter ~ Health concerns
- Kiran Paul & Lakshmi -Berachah Ministries

Office Hours: Mondays & Thursdays 9 am - 2 pm

Contact Us

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Pleasant View Mennonite Church

October 13, 2024

Attendance Last Sunday: 151



Clipboards, with fill in sheets, are available for the children to use during the worship service.

Welcome and Announcements: Pastor Jeff

Call to Worship: Michael Slagell

"Every Day Will I Bless Thee" LS #20

"There Were Ninety and Nine" MH#552

Congregational Prayer: Dakota Miller

"Jesus Loves Me"

(Children are invited to place their offerings in the Mission Globe)

Songs of Praise

Scripture: Psalm 34:1-11

Read by Jacob & Kathryn Steigman

Sermon: "The Fear That Overcomes Our Fears"

Bishop Kurt Horst, South Central District

"Spirit of God"

All are invited to stay for a potluck lunch in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service.

T-Shirts are in!

If you ordered a church T-shirt, please pick it up in the foyer after the worship service.

The **Missions Committee** would like to help organize short-term service trips and encourage all ages from PVMC to participate. We just want to hear from you! Hard copy surveys are available in the literature rack and can be placed in the offering plate when completed. Surveys are due before October 20th.

