

**Trustee Bids** The Trustees have opened the bid process for the yard work at Pleasant View for the year 2025. Job descriptions may be obtained by talking to either Travis Chupp or Trevon Mast. Bids are due by the business meeting on January 26, 2025.

**Membership Renewal** Next Sunday, members will have an opportunity to renew their membership at PV, formerly known as re-covenanting. Only those who renew will be included in the membership list. If you are not a member, but would like to become one, please contact Pastor Jeff or one of the elders.

**2025 Proposed Budget** At the annual meeting next week, the membership will be asked to act on the elders' 2025 proposed budget of \$471,058.40. A detailed copy of the proposed budget is in the literature racks.

**2025 Annual Business Meeting** The annual business meeting is set for next Sunday, January 26th. The meeting is open to anyone who wants to learn more about PVMC. A list of committees with terms ending in 2024 and are open for nomination has been posted to the bulletin board in the foyer. If you are interested in serving, please contact someone on a committee and let them know.

**Youth Fundraisers** MYF is planning a missions trip to Costa Rica in July! It will be a 10-day trip filled with training, serving, and exploring. We are looking to raise funds and would love to help out with any projects around/in your home and yard in return for a donation. Let Chelsea Villines or Monica Miller know what project you have in mind and we can help you find a date that will work for us all to help you. MYF is also providing the meal before the business meeting next Sunday, January 26th. The menu is haystacks and dessert, by donation. This meal is our first fundraiser for the trip this summer. Please join us for the meal following the morning worship service.



Ronald Perry Mast made his entrance into the world Monday, January 6th at 1:07pm. Mom and baby Perry are doing well. Baby Perry weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces. And is 20 3/4 inches long. Congratulations Nathan & Hanna Mast!

**SALT Ladies** If you purchased a ticket to the Mercy & Grace Tour women's conference in Tulsa 2/28 & 3/1, please contact Blair Cilliers to let her know. She will be making lodging arrangements for those attending from PV and needs a head count preferably by February 1st. Tickets are still available to attend!

**Congratulations** to Justin Miller and his fiancé, Jayme, on their upcoming wedding in February! A gift table will be set up for them in the foyer and you can find their registry on Amazon.com if you would like to send or give a gift to celebrate their new marriage.

**Addition to the Approved Giving List** The elders have added Anistemi to PVMC's approved giving list. The word Anistemi means "to raise up". Anistemi's desire is to provide opportunities through education, skill building, microlending and relationship that may allow the people in the communities they serve to raise themselves up and out of poverty. Anistemi is active in Uganda, Kenya and the Congo. To learn more, go to anistemicorp.com.

**Singing Evening** is Sunday, February 2nd. Virgil & Meribeth Slagell, Lyndall & Kathie Switzer, Tim & Angela Stutzman, Michael & Faith Slagell, Reggie & Angel Miller are responsible for specials. If you prefer not to organize a special for the month, or have a conflict, please contact Bill Jackson.

**Baby Shower** A shower is being held at the home of Jordan & Heidi Miller on Saturday, February 8th from 10am-11:30am in honor of Trevon & Jenna Mast. A baby registry can be found at [www.babylist.com](http://www.babylist.com) by searching their name.

**Mark 11:12–22 (NIV84)**

<sup>12</sup> The next day as they were leaving Bethany, Jesus was hungry. <sup>13</sup> Seeing in the distance a fig tree in leaf, he went to find out if it had any fruit. When he reached it, he found nothing but leaves, because it was not the season for figs. <sup>14</sup> Then he said to the tree, "May no one ever eat fruit from you again." And his disciples heard him say it. <sup>15</sup> On reaching Jerusalem, Jesus entered the temple area and began driving out those who were buying and selling there. He overturned the tables of the money changers and the benches of those selling doves, <sup>16</sup> and would not allow anyone to carry merchandise through the temple courts. <sup>17</sup> And as he taught them, he said, "Is it not written: " 'My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations'? But you have made it 'a den of robbers.'" <sup>18</sup> The chief priests and the teachers of the law heard this and began looking for a way to kill him, for they feared him, because the whole crowd was amazed at his teaching. <sup>19</sup> When evening came, they went out of the city. <sup>20</sup> In the morning, as they went along, they saw the fig tree withered from the roots. <sup>21</sup> Peter remembered and said to Jesus, "Rabbi, look! The fig tree you cursed has withered!" <sup>22</sup> "Have faith in God," Jesus answered.

**Today, January 19, 2025**

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

**This week Jan 20th - 25th**

Tue 6 - 8 pm TLC Thomas 1st  
Christian Church (Looming  
Class)  
Wed 5:45 pm Meal  
6:30 pm Activities for all ages

**Next Sunday, January 26th**

9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship service  
Youth Fundraiser Lunch  
Annual Business Meeting

**Upcoming events**

February 2nd	Maple Lawn Manor Singing Evening
February 8th	Mast Baby Shower
February 9th	Celebrating Communion
February 16th	Potluck ~ Kingdom Seekers SS class in charge
February 28th -	March 1st SALT Women's Conference in Tulsa
March 6th - 8th	Comforter Blitz
March 12th	Last Wednesday Evening of the Semester
March 16th	Maple Lawn Manor Potluck ~ New Beginnings SS class in Charge

## 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)

Edwin & Melissa Detweiler

Health Concerns

- Keith Koehn ~ Recovering from pneumonia
- Melissa Detweiler ~ Recovering from neck surgery
- Roberta Slagle ~ Recovering from knee replacement surgery
- Kathy Thomas ~ Recovering from orthoscopic knee surgery
- David Miller ~ Pray for healing and strength as he recuperates from radiation treatments
- Warren Slagell
- Mim Mast

Pastor Jeff, Dana & family

Elders & families

### **In our community**

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

Health concerns

- Margaret, sister to Susana Friesen ~ battling cancer
- Delmar Scoville ~ battling cancer

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

## **Pleasant View Mennonite Church**

January 19, 2025

Attendance Last Sunday: 147



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

Welcome and Announcements: Pastor Jeff

Call to Worship: Kent Switzer

*"Faith is the Victory" R&S 146*

*"Where He Leads I'll Follow" R&S 123*

Congregational Prayer: Chris Kimble

*"Jesus Loves Me"*

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

*Songs of Praise*

Sermon: "Not Following Jesus" Pastor Jeff

*"Spirit of God"*

**Office Hours: Mondays & Thursdays 9 am - 2 pm**

**Contact Us**

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**We're excited that you chose to worship  
with us today!**

Help us get to know you by scanning the QR code and completing the linked form.

To learn more about Pleasant View, check out our website; [pvmcok.org](http://pvmcok.org).