



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

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To learn more about Pleasant View, check out our website; pvmcok.org.

Thank you Ally Kimble for sharing your creative gifts in drawing the bulletin art this Advent season!

Office Hours this week will be Tuesday and Friday 9am - 2 pm. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

The results are in! Thank you to everyone who completed a Mission Committee Funds survey. 40 people filled the survey out online and 19 turned in paper surveys for a total of 59 respondents! Copies of the results are available in the literature rack.

Wider Church Affiliations The elders have a timeline for the first step of discerning PVMC's wider church relations. Today we vote to narrow the options from 3 to 2. The three affiliation options are FEC (Fellowship of Evangelical Churches), MB (Mennonite Brethren) and LMC (formerly known as Lancaster Mennonite Conference). PVMC is currently a provisional member of the South Central District of LMC until the summer of 2026. Please pray for God's direction as we seek wider church affiliations.

Christmas at Weatherford Transitional Living Program Home is Dec. 22nd This is an opportunity to show love to some young men who have rarely known love. There is a sign up sheet in the foyer for food, snacks and small gifts for the guys. In addition to donations, consider giving of your time and join the event and bless the guys with your presence. Items for the party need to be ready at the church by 10am Monday morning, December 22nd. Contact Kathie Switzer or Pastor Jeff if you have any questions.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 8 PM If you haven't already, I invite you to add attending the Christmas Eve service to your annual celebration of Christmas. This is a casual, family and guest friendly event. We'll sing Christmas carols, hear the Christmas story from the Bible, light candles and some of you will even have opportunity to be impromptu actors in one of the most important events in human history, the birth of Jesus. I look forward to seeing you there! Pastor Jeff

Singing Evening There will be no Singing Evening Sunday, January 4, 2026.

Wednesday Evening Activities will resume Wednesday, January 7th with a meal at 5:45 pm and activities for all ages beginning at 6:30pm.

Help Needed Beginning January 7th for our Wednesday evening children's programming, Grades 4-5 will need a listener and helper. Pre-K - 3rd grade will need a substitute assembly leader. Questions regarding these positions can be directed to any member of CEC (Christian Education Committee) Faith Slagell, Margaret Schrock, Cindy Hunt, Susan Shantz or Echo Shantz.

2026 Annual Business Meeting The annual business meeting is set for Sunday, January 25th. A list of committees with terms ending in 2025 and are open for nomination has been posted to the bulletin board in the foyer.

Wedding Shower Help us celebrate the marriage of Destiny and Dakota Miller as we shower them with gifts. The shower will be Saturday, February 7th. If you would like to help host the shower please let Jordan Nel know. The couple is registered at Amazon, Walmart, and Dillards.

Today, December 21, 2025

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship Service

This week Dec. 22nd - 27th

Mon Christmas at WTL Home

Tue 6 - 8 pm TLC Thomas 1st
Christian Church (Looming
Class)

Wed 8 pm Candlelight Service

Thu *Merry Christmas!*

Upcoming events

January 4th	Maple Lawn Manor Communion
January 7th	Wednesday Evening Activities Resume
January 25th	Annual Meeting
February 1st	Singing Evening
February 15th	Maple Lawn Manor
February 26-28th	Comforter Blitz
March 1st	Singing Evening
March 11th	Wednesday Evening Activities End
March 29th	Maple Lawn Manor <i>Palm Sunday</i>
April 5th	<i>Easter</i> Sunrise service

Next Sunday, December 28th

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship Service

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.
God's leading in our wider church affiliation process
Our homebound members ~ Warren Slagell
The marriages of our congregation
Lorraine Erb as she settles into life in Virginia.
Health Concerns

- Roberta Slagle
- Kay Crispin ~ Recuperating at Maple Lawn Manor
- Kathy Thomas ~ Recovering from knee replacement surgery.

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

- Jane Vaughn, Marla Eichelberger's sister ~ battling cancer
- Lori Haley, Tim Haley's mother ~ diagnosed with ovarian cancer, had a successful surgery last week and anticipates a couple more chemo treatments.
- Bob Bontrager, Ruthie Miller's brother ~ health is not good, but stable.
- Levi Hunt, James Hunt's younger brother ~ PTL - able to return to work full time. Pray for strength and endurance.
- Margaret, Susana Friesen's sister ~ fragile health
- Holly, David Bruyn's daughter - Pray for her continued recovery

Local Ministries: Agape Health Clinic, 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

- Amani Community Church
- Oklahoma MDS
- Corey & Brooke Makeever - STUMO

Serving in other Countries

- Global Disciples
- Rolly Walter ~ Health concerns
- Kiran Paul & Lakshmi -Berachah Ministries

Office Hours: Mondays & Thursdays 9 am - 2 pm

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Pleasant View Mennonite Church

December 21, 2025

Attendance Last Sunday: 172



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

Welcome and Announcements: Pastor Jeff

Call to Worship: Karl Stutzman

"Angels We Have Heard on High" MH # 127
"O Little Town of Bethlehem" MH # 133

Congregational Prayer: David Miller

"Jesus Loves Me"

(Children are invited to place their offerings in the Mission Globe.
Children ages 1-4 dismissed to Toddler Time with Cindy)

"What Child is This?" MH # 129
"Christmas Hallelujah"

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle: Love

(Please hum O Come, O Come Emmanuel during the candle lighting)

Scripture: Luke 2:1-12
Read by Tim & Kinzie Haley

Sermon: "Be Amazed! Love for the Least" Pastor Jeff

"Go Tell It on the Mountain"

