WELCOME TO LIMA MENNONITE CHURCH

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Psalm 46

GATHERING

Prelude Announcements Call to Worship

Singing

We sing to You, O God	STJ 1
O sing to the Lord	STJ 12

Passing the Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be always with you, P: and also with you! You are encouraged to greet one another with the peace of Christ

CENTERING

Offering and Prayer of Thanksgiving Scripture Reading

PROCLAIMING

Singing	
I sing the mighty power of God	HWB 46
Scripture	Luke 23:32-43
Sermon	
Pickle Chiffon Pie	

RESPONDING

Song of Response Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Prayers of the People

SENDING

Sending Song May God Grant You a Blessing Benediction

HWB 422

HWB 70

WINTER RETREATS

Save the Date: Camp Friedenswald 2020 Winter Camps Can you imagine snow at this time of year? What about hot chocolate, sledding and crackling fireplaces? It will come soon enough. Camp Friedenswald will host the following retreats in early 2020: High School Winter Camp – January 3-5 Junior High Winter Camp – January 10-12 Family Winter Camp – February 14-16 Make plans with your youth and family to attend. We hope to see you there!

BLUFFTON

BLUFFTON UNIVERSITY TO PRESENT 124TH PERFORMANCE OF 'MESSIAH'

Bluffton University will present its 124th performance of Handel's "Messiah" at 4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 8, in Yoder Recital Hall. While tickets are free, seats must be reserved at

http://tickets.bluffton.edu or at Marbeck Center.

Dr. Bo Young Kang, director of choral activities, will conduct the oratorio. Soloists along with the Bluffton Choral Society including students, faculty, staff and community members will be accompanied by an orchestra. Audience members are invited to bring their score to sing along on two of the major choruses—"Glory to God" and "Hallelujah Chorus."

Soloists are Hannah Lee, soprano; Rhy-Kyung Kim, mezzo; Benjamin Bunsold, tenor; and Robert Kerr, bass.

The event will also be streamed live at <u>bluffton.edu/messiah</u>

BLUFFTON UNIVERSITY HOLIDAY CONCERT

Bluffton University will host the Holiday Collage Concert at 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 24 in Yoder Recital Hall.

Get wrapped up in the sounds of the season when Bluffton's Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, University Chorale and Camerata Singers come together to celebrate Christmas.

This event is free and open to the public.

While Pastor Emily is on sabbatical during Oct, Nov and Dec, and if you are in need of pastoral care, please see Lydia Brenneman (419) 305-9989, Carolyn Huffman (419)-384-3316, Brian Good (419)-296-8471, or Dawn Wapperom (614) 917-7090.

MENNONITE MISSION PRAYER REQUEST

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Marvin Lorenzana and his leadership of the Missional Discipleship Initiative. More than 45 leaders in eight "huddles" (learning groups) began training last month. Praise God for their willingness to reach out into their communities to share the good news about Jesus' love.

MCUSA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO LEAD BLUFFTON UNIVERSITY FORUM

Glen Guyton, executive director, Mennonite Church USA, will provide the Forum presentation, "Living Well. Living My IDEAL Life," at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26 in Yoder Recital Hall. The denominational leader and cultural competency advocate will offer practical tips on how to live your best life while navigating today's culture and responding to the divine call.

As a cultural competency advocate, Guyton has made it his mission to help organizations and individuals navigate the complex nature of culture. He helps leaders engage cultural and generational differences in the workplace, allowing them to achieve their goals with less stress, greater collaboration and increased productivity. To remain relevant in this global information age, Guyton believes we must be culturally competent, harnessing our differences to be more competitive and more creative.

Guyton has spoken to thousands of youth and adults throughout the U.S., Jamaica, South Africa, Zimbabwe and Ghana.

THE MENNONITE AND MENNONITE WORLD REVIEW Are The Mennonite and Mennonite World Review merging?

The Mennonite, Inc., and Mennonite World Review, Inc., are merging to form a new independent media organization with a vision for a flagship Anabaptist communications hub in print and online. We will have a new name, a new magazine and a new website.

What happens to my subscription to The Mennonite between now and 2020?

Everyone with time left on their subscription to The Mennonite will have that time added on to your subscription of the new magazine that will begin publishing in September 2020. For those who subscribe to The Mennonite and Mennonite World Review, your remaining time will be combined and added to your new subscription. For example, in September 2020 if you have two months remaining on your subscription to The Mennonite, your subscription to the new magazine will begin with two months before renewal time. In another example, if you have two months remaining on your subscription to The Mennonite, and you have three months remaining on your subscription to Mennonite World Review, your subscription to the new magazine will begin with five months before renewal time.

How much will the new magazine cost? Will there still be group subscriptions?

The cost of the new magazine is still to be determined. If you are part of a group subscription to The Mennonite, you can maintain your group going forward.

How will renewals to the new magazine happen?

We are rebuilding our online subscription renewal system so that it works better than the current one. In addition to the online renewal option, subscribers will still be able to renew by mail.

O Sing to the Lord

Cantad al Señor, un cántico nuevo. Cantad al Señor, un cántico nuevo. Cantad al Señor, un cántico nuevo. Cantad al Señor, cantad al Señor.

O sing to the Lord, O sing God a New Song, O sing to the Lord, O sing God a New Song, O sing to the Lord, O sing God a New Song, O sing to the Lord, O Sing to the Lord. Lima Mennonite Church1318 N Main St Lima OH 45801Church 419-222-2120Email: limamc1318@gmail.comWeb: www.limamennonite.orgSunday School 9:30 am · Worship 10:30 am ·Spanish service 4:00 pmSpeaker: Mark, Krista, and Revi DanielsMusic: Joyce Daniels and Eric BasingerWorship Leader: Karen JantziNext Week:Offering Last Week - Sunday School 19:00 - Regular church 1039.00 - Total \$2,898.00Week of 11/10 Sunday School 10:00 - Regular church 496.33 - Total \$1,058.00

CALENDAR

Today	Brazo en Brazo church service 4pm
Oct-Dec	Pastoral Sabbatical
Sat Dec 7	Game Night LMC @ 5pm
Sun Dec.8	Messiah @ Yoder Recital Hall at 4 pm
Jan 17-18	The Great Winter Warm-up comforter knotting Salem Menno Kidron
	mcc.org/gww-kidron

LMC'S ORGANIZATION

Administrative Council Brice Brenneman , chair George Hostetler, treasurer Carolyn Huffman Jon Zickafoose Deb Stauffer/Jenny Zickafoose

Spiritual Council

Lydia Brenneman Carolyn Huffman Brian Good Dawn Wapperom

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Jon Zickafoose Paul Allen Larry Esmonde

Fellowship Commission Iris Neufeld

Childcare board

Marti Wallace Jenny Zickafoose Nashley Smith Deb Stauffer

Mission Commission

Brice Brenneman Nate Daniels Emilie Hamman Worship Committee: Joyce Daniels Eric Basinger

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARYS

Larry Oatman

12-4 Luis Rafael Diaz 12-11 Jeremiah Grove

SPEAKERS FOR SABBATICAL

November 24 Mark, Krista, and Revi Daniels December 1 December 8 Doug Luginbill December 15 EZ and Company December 22 42 Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' 43 He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

