

Summit Mennonite Church

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Marilyn Rossiter, Pastor

Worship: 9:30 am

Stan King and Rachael Oyer, Caring Team

Sunday School 10:30 am

Welcome to all visitors! May you feel at ease with us and sense the presence of God.

We follow Christ, offering healing and hope as we serve our neighbors in need

October 30, 2016

Focus Statement: Choosing to unite in covenant membership with Summit Mennonite is a reflection of the Biblical call to become the Body of Christ in the world.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/Sharing Joys and Prayer Requests

Singing: HWB 1 What is this place

HWB 545 Be thou my vision

STS 39 Will you come and follow me

Call to Worship

Leader: Lord God, maker of heaven and earth,
we gather together in Your name.

**People: We come as living sacrifices,
to offer You our worship and thanksgiving,
our praise and our prayers.**

Leader: Come among us, living Lord.

Through the power of Your Holy Spirit, transform our hearts
and minds so that we may recognize Your presence,
hear Your voice, know Your will, and walk in Your way.

HEARING GOD

Children's Time

Mona Rohrer

Offering

Prayer for the Day

Scripture: Romans 12

Sermon: Belonging and Becoming: Walking in Place

Pastor Marilyn

RESPONDING

Singing: HWB 632 God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian

Sharing of sermon responses, introduction of guests

SENDING

Singing: STJ 87 Put peace into each other's hands

Blessing

THIS MORNING

Gathering Music: Susan Moyer

Worship Leader: Hannah Troyer

Song Leader: Hank Rossiter

Greeters: Brenda & Cliff Lowe

Nursery: Rachael Oyer & Brenda Lowe

Worship Planners: Hannah & William Troyer & Marilyn Rossiter

LAST WEEK

Attendance: 29

General Offering: \$1,031

THIS WEEK

- Thurs, Nov 3, 6:30 – 8pm: Missional event at Berlin Mennonite Church, all are invited

COMING EVENTS

- Nov 20: Discernment Meeting following Thanksgiving meal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Marilyn's office hours this week will be Wednesday 12 – 4 and Friday 12 - 4. Call/email/text Marilyn for time with her, keeping in mind that Tuesday is her day off.

Remember to email or call Marilyn or Wanda with any announcements or prayer requests that you would like listed in the bulletins on Sunday by Thursday evening of each week.

Please remember to bring your **offering for Barberton Area Community Ministries** the first Sunday of November- (NEXT SUNDAY!) We'll bring them forward during the offering time.

BACM has a **Paper Retriever!** Now you can bring your paper recycling to BACM and help us earn money while sending less to the landfill!! Acceptable items include: newspaper, magazines/catalogs, office & school papers, books, junk mail, envelopes (windows are fine), folders, fax & copy paper, colored paper, shredded paper (bagged), phone books & cardboard. The Paper Retriever is located in the far corner of the parking lot on the street side. Drop your paper recycling off today!

How have you seen God at work in the Ohio Conference Year of Mission? This fall, members of all Ohio Conference congregations are invited to gather together at Fall Mission Events to share stories of how their churches are engaging in God's mission in their local communities. Everyone in Ohio Conference is invited to attend the Fall Mission Event at the following location:

- Nov. 3 — Berlin Mennonite Church, 6:30- an hour and a half in length.

The meetings will include time for brief presentations and group discussion. The first part of each meeting will focus on what has happened so far in the Ohio Conference Year of Mission. Participants will be encouraged to talk about how they see God at work in their congregations. The second part of the meeting will have a "looking forward" focus, getting people ready for the March 2017 missional training event with Alan and Debra Hirsch.

ELECTION DAY COMMUNION On the day we choose the next president of the United States, let us gather to remember that we have and serve one Lord. We have one faith, one baptism, and are subjects of One God and Father of all. Let us gather to declare our faith, not in human systems, but in the God who saves. Let us gather around the table for communion. One Body. In Christ.

WHAT: ELECTION DAY COMMUNION

WHO: ALL MENNONITE AREA CHURCHES ARE INVITED

WHERE: MARTIN'S MENNONITE CHURCH, 14027 Church Road, Orrville

WHY: BECAUSE ALLEGIANCE TO CHRIST IS BIGGER THAN PARTY, CANDIDATE, OR COUNTRY.

The **Steel Wheels**, an American Roots style band will be in concert at Central Christian School on Friday, November 11. Tickets can be purchased online at [eventbrite.com/e/the-steel-wheels-tickets-27754609785](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-steel-wheels-tickets-27754609785).

Are you confused by **student loans**? LSS Financial Counseling can help you explore your options and make a plan to pay off those loans. Thanks to Everence support, it is a free service to you. Call (877)-809-0039 to make an appointment.

BACM: Bring **Canned Ravioli, Beef Stew, Chili with meat and toothpaste and toothbrushes** for the month of November and drop into the box by our white giving tree. You may bring other food or grocery supplies also. It would be helpful to get into the habit of buying a few extra items when you do your grocery shopping.

MENNONITE MISSION PRAYER REQUEST: Delicia Bravo and Peter Wigginton of Mennonite Mission Network use their gifts in music, education, and children's and youth ministries in the programs of the Mennonite churches in Ecuador. Pray for them as they also serve as coordinators for partnerships with churches in Colombia and the United States.