

stadium with more than 200 participants but also raise more than \$50,000 to continue serving these families. See flyer on bulletin board for more information.

Your local Everence office will provide information about Medicare and Social Security at free evening seminars on September 11th, October 2nd, & November 6th (Mondays) for the fall season. The seminars will be held at Everence Financial, 1221 W. Maple St., Hartsville. The Medicare seminar will include what Medicare covers, the differences between plans that supplement Medicare, and enrollment deadlines. The Social Security seminar will cover how benefits are calculated and the best time to start collecting them. There also will be time for questions from the audience. To reserve your spot, contact Jean Bontrager at (330) 877-6066 or email jean.bontrager@everence.com.

MCC Connections Thrift Shop, Kidron, Ohio has opportunities for those who wish to give back through volunteering. We are growing, and the following departments are looking for additional help;

Presort Dept – Greet and assist donors in unloading donations, sorting donations

Floral Dept - Assist in creating wreaths and arrangements. Experience needed.

Toy Dept – Sort and process board games

Live Plant Dept – Assist in general duties of caring for plants

Cashiers – 4 hour shifts available

Home Furnishings – Processing furniture, electrical, & misc items.

Quilt Room – At home position cutting squares. In shop positions needed for laying out comforters, sewing, binding.

Please call, email or stop by for additional information, or to request a volunteer application form. Training provided for all departments. Shifts vary per department.

We'd love to have you join the MCC Connections volunteer family! MCC Connections supports Mennonite Central Committee in its worldwide service, development and relief work, in the name of Christ. Phone: 330-857-7802. Email: cindyconnections@zoominternet.net.

BACM: Bring **Canned Fruit and Hand Soap** for the month of **September** and drop into the box by our white giving tree. Next Sunday is the first Sunday of September

MENNONITE MISSION NETWORK PRAYER REQUEST: Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Mennonite Church Nigeria's youth who will begin gathering Wednesday for their five-day national camp. Pray for Psalmist Ekpedeme Jackson, their president, as he leads the young people in worship, Bible study, training in peacebuilding and reconciliation, and in business development principles.