

**March 27, 2011**

**WORSHIP SERVICE**

Worship Leader—Chris Hoover Seidel  
 Sermon—Doug Pritchard, Christian Peacemaker Teams  
 Song Leader—Brenda Sauder  
 Prelude and Offertory—Arranged by Ryan Kauffman  
 Sound Technicians—1<sup>st</sup> Service, Steve Stayrook; 2<sup>nd</sup> Service, Don Stoltzfus  
 1<sup>st</sup> Service Greeter—Dean Brubaker; Ushers—Lois Martin, Milton Lehman  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Service Greeters—Katie Heinzl, Pauline Zimmerman  
 Ushers—Stephanie Hanna, Linda Berger

**CHILDCARE**

1<sup>st</sup> Service—Ron Umble, Bonnie Weaver  
 Christian Ed—Becci Leatherman, Brenda Sauder  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Service—Lois Lehman, Milton Lehman, Meghan McLane  
 Helper: Isaac Martin

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

March	20	Integral Spirituality, 3 p.m.
	21	Program Commission
	23	Congregational Council
April	1-3	Mennonite Men Retreat
	1	Parrot Gallery Reception
	10	Venture Club Labyrinth Walk, Junior Youth Ice Skating
	17	Palm Sunday, Integral Spirituality
	21	Maundy Thursday Service
	23	Good Friday Service
	24	Easter, Bagel Breakfast, No Ch Ed

<p><b>Church Report:</b>          March 13, 2011          Attendance:              1<sup>st</sup> Service—55              2<sup>nd</sup> Service—113          General Fund Offering: \$4533</p>
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<b>Budget Report—Feb 28, 2011</b>		<b>Sep 2010—Aug 2011 Budget: \$446,420</b>
<b>Income to Date</b>	<b>Budget to Date</b>	<b>Expenditures to Date</b>
<b>\$197,964</b>	<b>\$223,210</b>	<b>\$211,452</b>
<b>We are \$25,246 behind budget and have spent \$13,488 more than we have taken in.</b>		



**ANNOUNCEMENTS—MARCH 20, 2011**  
 FOR MARCH 20, TO MARCH 26, 2011

**CMCL**

**ADULT CHRISTIAN ED**—Prison Justice in Lancaster: Six Views. Mary Steffy, CMCL attender and advocate for prisoner rights in Lancaster County, is facilitating this series. Each week guests will present different views or experiences informing our understanding of life in and beyond prison and the impact of our justice system.

**Today:** Karin Young who works in DA Stedman’s office will have a guest with her who will speak of her experiences of being stalked.

**March 27:** Offender view—Leo Lutz, supervisor Juvenile Probation and Parole and Attorney Mike Winters.

**April 3:** Insider view of mental health professionals—Ann Woodland and Bob Bodnar.

**April 10:** Alternative views—Jon Singer, CEO of LancasterVictim Offender Reconciliation Program, on restorative justice, Jean Bickmire on legislative issues and justice and mercy and Teri Miller-Landon from Mental Health Court.

**April 17:** Forward views—Melanie Snyder, author of *Grace Goes to Prison*, speaking on post-incarceration and the role of faith communities and Bud Roda from the Potter’s House with suggestions for ways the faith community can make a difference.

**INTEGRAL EXPLORATION COMMUNITY** will meet today, March 20, at 3 p.m. in the Gathering Place . Today we will allow our experience of the divine/sacred/mystery/God to bubble to the surface and we will reflect on a John Shelby Spong audio clip on “God Beyond Theism.” For more information contact Jason Mundok, Nancy Brubaker, Greg Newswanger, or email [info@lancasterintegral.org](mailto:info@lancasterintegral.org). All are welcome.

**CURIOUS ABOUT SMALL GROUP LIFE?**—The Small Group Committee will host an informational meeting today for those interested in joining a group. The meeting will be at 10 a.m., during the Christian Ed. hour. We'll meet in the Christian Education foyer, adjacent to the kitchen.

**LAST CALL FOR GROCERY CARDS**—This Sunday will be the last (at least for a few weeks) for purchasing Giant grocery cards during Christian Education hour in Beth Brubaker Weida's office. Also, if you have any thoughts, pro or con, about continuing this kind of CMCL fundraiser in the future please email Monte Garber at lamonte3@verizon.net. Senior Youth thank you for your support!

**SUMMER CHILD CARE**—Phil and Bonnie Weaver are looking for summer child care options for two energetic, fun-loving kids—Lauren, nine years old and Jack, five years old. Great pay, pool and gym membership negotiable and gas money reimbursement. Responsibilities include working five days per week M–F and providing transportation for children to activities. Can be flexible for vacations/time-off. If interested contact Bonnie or Phil, 305-7914.

**CHILD CARE FOR SPECIAL SERVICES** will now be provided to families with young children. This was started Ash Wednesday and will be offered for all evening services through the year—Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Evening of Remembrance, Winter Solstice and Ash Wednesday. Childcare will take place in the Fishbowl.

**KEEPING INFORMED**—*The Mennonite*, is a monthly publication of Mennonite Church USA. Keep informed of what is going on in the wider church by subscribing. CMCL is part of a group subscription plan, making this publication available mailed to your home for \$37 per year. If you would like to subscribe, write a check for \$37 to CMCL and put it in the church office mailbox with your home address attached.

**DELEGATE FOR MCUSA CONVENTION**—If you are already planning to head to Pittsburgh this July 4–9 to attend Mennonite Church USA's biannual convention, and would be interested in representing CMCL as one of its delegates in the decision-making sessions that will go on there, please let us know. We'd love to have you! [www.mennoniteusa.org/convention](http://www.mennoniteusa.org/convention). Email [susan@communitymennonite.org](mailto:susan@communitymennonite.org) if you have interest in representing CMCL.

## ***Community/General Mennonite***

**APARTMENT OPENING**—Farmhouse apartment for a single or couple, available May 2011, in scenic setting at Herrbrook Farm ([herrbrook.com](http://herrbrook.com)). Gardening space and reduced rent in exchange for help with yard work and retreat cottage. Inquiries: [herrbrook@verizon.net](mailto:herrbrook@verizon.net) or 872-2848

**ETHIOPIAN MEAL FUNDRAISER**—Zemedkun Baykeda and his family, plan to hold a fund raising lunch at East Chestnut Street Mennonite Church April 2 and 3, 12:15–2:30 p.m.. Donations will be accepted for their daughter Ruhama's tuition at Eastern Mennonite University. For more information, please email [zh@mcc.org](mailto:zh@mcc.org). or call 717-859-442.

**BRIDGE OF HOPE** Lancaster & Chester Counties welcomes spring at its Garden Luncheon at The Eden Resort & Suites, Saturday, April 9, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Enjoy a silent auction with gardening items, lunch and local artist Liz Hess speaking on “Sprinkled with Grace and Red Umbrellas.” For reservations, call 394-7406 x 106 or visit [www.bridgeofhopelcc.org](http://www.bridgeofhopelcc.org).

**ETHICS AND CLIMATE CHANGE**—Professor Donald A. Brown of Penn State will make a presentation on this crucial missing link on Wednesday April 6, 6 p.m., at McComsey Hall Auditorium, Millersville University. This event is free and is co-sponsored by Transition Lancaster and the Millersville Geography Department.

**COMMUNITY ACTION SERIES** on Marcellus Shale Gas begins Wednesday, March 23, 2011, 7 p.m. in the Lisa Bonchek Adams Auditorium Kaufman Hall on the Franklin and Marshall campus. A coalition of interested citizens including Elaine Lapp Esch from CMCL has formed to help this community learn about implications of natural gas extraction from Marcellus Shale. Dates, locations and topics for the series will be distributed.

**ACCOUNTANT NEEDED**—Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is seeking an accountant for its offices in Akron, Pa. This is a 0.75 FTE position. Send resume and letter of interest by March 18, 2011 to Prem Dick at [psd@mcc.org](mailto:psd@mcc.org) or MCC Human Resources, P.O. Box 500, Akron, PA 17501 or call 859-1151.

**HARMONIES ANNUAL HYMN SING** will be led by Glenn Lehman and others, Sunday, March 27, 6:30 p.m. at Blossom Hill Mennonite Church, Delp Road. An offering to benefit music ministries of Harmonies Workshop will be received. See [www.harmonies.org](http://www.harmonies.org) for details.

**VOLUNTEERS FOR BEREAVEMENT CAMP**—We are looking for volunteers who would be interested in being " Buddies" to bereaved children ages 6–12 years old at Camp Chimaqua, a bereavement camp held at the YMCA Camp Shand. The camp will be held June 10–12 and the training dates will be June 1–2 at Hospice of Lancaster County in Mt Joy. Contact Sonya Hershey-Velasco at 380-7216 or [shersheyvelasco@hospiceoflanaster.org](mailto:shersheyvelasco@hospiceoflanaster.org).

**BONHOEFFER LECTURE**—Today at 3 p.m., Dr. Charles Marsh will speak at Trinity Lutheran Church, 31 South Duke Street, on “The Meaning of Dietrich Bonhoeffer for Contemporary American Christianity.” Marsh is the director of the Project on Lived Theology at the University of Virginia. Today's event is sponsored by the Lancaster Interchurch Peace Witness.