

**My help comes
from the LORD,
who made
heaven
and earth.**

Psalm 121:2



Lauvers Mennonite Church

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“Our mission is to seek the lost and nourish the found through the work of Jesus Christ.”

WELCOME to our visitors today! Please join us in worshipping the Lord and in experiencing His love, grace, truth and presence. God bless you in this service and in the coming days!

Welcome/Door holders: Jay & Barb Nissley

Sunday School: *Honor All Relationships*, Exodus 20:15-17;
Psalm 37:1-6

Worship Service

Nursery: Lisa/Faith

Prelude: Andrea Clark

Worship leader: Jeff Hoover

Worship in song: Elvin Ranck

Offering

Message: Pastor Curtiss “Getting Into the Game, Part 4”

Last Sunday

Attendance: 99

Offering: \$4,304.50

Next Sunday

Welcome/Door holders: Marlin & Marcella Burkholder

Message: Pastor Curtiss

Happy Birthday to: Shayla Martin on October 12

Happy Anniversary to:

Neil and Gretchen Glick on October 12

Daryl & Vonda Ebersole on October 17

Announcements

1. The library committee is planning to order books for our church library. If you know of **any books you would like to see in our library**, please let Denise or Gretchen know by the middle of October.
2. There will be a **Women's Prayer Gathering on Tuesday, October 13**, at Kim Varner's home from 1:30-3:00. Come for a time of encouragement and refreshment as we pray together. Childcare will not be provided.
3. This year's renewal meeting (Nov. 1-3) speaker is Pastor Jonathan Yoder with the theme being "The Way Life Is" teaching out of the book of Ecclesiastes. Pastor Yoder was born and raised in Belleville, Pa. After graduating from Belleville Mennonite School in 1970, he enrolled at Philadelphia College of Bible (now Cairn University). Here he met Susan, now his wife of more than 40 years. After graduating from college in 1974, he attended Eastern Mennonite Seminary for one year and then completed his Master of Divinity degree in 1980 at Western Baptist Seminary in Portland, Oregon. He has served as a lead pastor in several churches for more than 33 years, including Pine Grove Church since 2000. Pastor Yoder is a trained Chaplain, having completed 5 units of Clinical Pastoral Education. He has two daughters, and four very special grandchildren. In his spare time, he enjoys golfing, hunting and officiating basketball games as a PIAA official. Pastor Yoder is deeply committed to providing leadership to the local church that ministers effectively in the congregation, local community, and in global missions.
4. **Training in Ministry** will offer two distance-learning classes in the Winter Term beginning the week of January 4. These courses are undergraduate courses designed to enhance a leader's congregational skills. Preston Yoder will teach Caring for the Congregation. Mark Miller will teach Leader Self-Care. To enroll, visit rosedale.edu/tim/. Scholarships are available for students from CMC churches. For more info contact steve@cmcrossdale.org.



5. Take control of your money with *Financial Peace University* at River Church Community Room, 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 1. This 9-lesson class uses biblical wisdom & common sense to help tackle budgeting, pay off debt, and make your money work for you! Sign up for this class and start your 14-day free trial of Financial Peace at fpu.com/1127715. Questions? Contact John & JoLene Langan, 717-250-4664 or Lynette Reinford 717-436-6513.

Upcoming Events

- ~November 1-3 - Renewal meetings with Jonathan Yoder, Sunday morning and 7 PM each evening
- ~November 11 - Congregational Meeting, 7 PM
- ~November 15 - Farewell for Marlin & Doris Ebersole
- ~November 22 - Thanksgiving Service, 7 PM

What is your most important citizenship? Fit the names of these Bible places in the puzzle. Write the circled letters on the lines below, in the order found, to find that citizenship.

Read the words!

Tyre
Cana
Rome
Gaza
Sidon
Berea
Lycia
Athens
Kedesh
Sychar
Galilee
Ephraim
Ephesus
Corinth
Iconium
Damascus
Bethlehem
Phillippi
Jerusalem

Our Church Council

Elders:

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Deacons:

Marlin Burkholder 717-991-2401
 Neil Glick 717-513-2717
 David Martin 717-363-7081



Power House of Prayer

Dear brothers and sisters, honor those who are your leaders in the Lord's work. They work hard among you and warn you against all that is wrong. Think highly of them and give them your wholehearted love because of their work.

1 Thessalonians 5:12&13a (NLT)

Praise God for:

- *Our Pastor, Curtiss!
- *Good JCS sale!
- *Beautiful fall foliage!
- *The spiritual gifting God has given each of us.
- *God's Word that speaks to the times in which we are living.

Pray for:

- *8 year old George Zimmerman recovering from injuries in an accident last week.
- *Continued healing for Robert Swartz's leg wound.
- *The elderly isolated in nursing homes.
- *Curtiss having an MRI for his tinnitus.
- *Matt Zimmerman having an MRI this week. Pray for good results.
- *Upcoming elections.
- *Chris Delancey's wife diagnosed with leukemia.
- *Much needed rain.
- *Healing of Daryl Ebersole's foot injuries.
- *People dealing with loss through wildfires/hurricanes.
- *Ty and Lisa planning for their wedding and new life together.
- *Orpha's ongoing health issues and grieving journey and Barb caring for her.

We appreciate you, Curtiss!

Michelle Brubaker is serving in the prayer room this morning.

Please give any praises or prayer requests to Marilyn Swartz by calling 463-3466 or via email at dmswartz77@gmail.com by Thursday evening.