

Welcome to
Lauvers Mennonite Church

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

Pastor: Glenn Lauver 436-9051

January 22, 2017

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!

Greeters: Rick & Sue Harlon
End of fasting meal, all are welcome!

Sunday School: *Praise for the Creator's Wisdom*,
Psalm 104:1-4, 24-30

Worship Service:

Nursery: Jodie Martin

Worship Leader: Mike Clark

Worship in Song: Marilyn's group

Offering

Message: Pastor Elvin, Sharing Your 'Sacred Mountain'
Experiences, 2 Peter 1:18

Last Sunday

Attendance: 110

Offering: \$3,503.00

Next Sunday

Greeters: Daryl Ebersole Family

Message: Pastor Glenn, An Unhappy Adversary,
I Chronicles 4:10

Upcoming Sermon Schedule

February 5 – Pastor Glenn

February 12 – Pastor Glenn

February 19 – Nevin Glick

February 26 – Steve Swartz

Announcements

1. **Today** is our 'end of fasting' meal. All are welcome for this special meal!
2. **Find your congregational meeting minutes** in your mailbox & note that all voting was affirmative.
3. **Prayer Night, Wednesday, February 1**, here at the church will be on 'The Importance of Relationships' led by Marcus Lehman.
4. **You are invited to a Sweetheart banquet** being sponsored by Evendale Bible Church on **Saturday, February 11, 2017, at the Beavertown Firehall at 6 p.m.** The evening will include a family-style turkey dinner, special music, skit, games, and **speaker Glenn Lauver**. Cost is \$20 per couple. See bulletin board for more info.
5. **Update** your church directory with Tina Hile's new address: P.O. Box 253, Richfield, PA 17086.
6. **Leadership team minutes** of December 6, 2016 are in their mailbox today.
7. Belleville area **Meat Canning** is coming up within a month! East Derry Fire Company, 1800 Glenwood Ave, Lewistown, on **February 13-16** is the place & time. Workers are needed.
8. **Youth**: Saturday, January 28, Taffy pull at ~~Neil and Gretchen's~~ – moved to the church basement. There will be a Souper Bowl party at Neil and Gretchen's.
9. **JMS Events**:
Saturday, January 28, 2017 7-10 AM
First Baptist Church in Mifflintown, Family Ministry Center
All-you-can-eat Pancake Breakfast
Available by donation
Supporting the JMS Jamaica Missions Trip
– Also, that evening at 7 PM
(same place)
JMS will be holding a
'Showcase of Talent'
Highlighting talents of the 'JMS Family'

Happy Birthday to: Gretchen Glick on January 23

Nathan Varner on January 26

Jenna Glick on January 28

Upcoming Events:

- ~Jan. 22 – End of fasting meal
- ~Jan. 28 – Youth taffy pull at LMC basement
- ~Jan. 28 – JMS events, pancake breakfast & talent show at
First Baptist Church in Mifflintown
- ~Feb. 1 – Prayer night, Importance of Relationships, 7 p.m.
- ~Feb 11 – Evendale Bible Church Sweetheart Banquet at
Beavertown Fire Hall, 6 p.m. See BB for details.
- ~Feb. 13-16 – Meat Canning at the East Derry Fire
Company, Lewistown, workers needed.

Get Involved in Your Bible

The Bible not only tells of God working with his people in the past, but it can speak to us today. It's not only part of the dead past. It's part of the living present. The experiences of the biblical characters are like our experiences. They ask questions that are pertinent today:

If a man dies, will he live again? (Job 14:14)

What do you think about the Christ? (Matthew 22:42)

Who are you, Lord? (Acts 9:5)

What shall I do, Lord? (Acts 22:10)

Why does the way of the wicked prosper? (Jeremiah 12:1)

Why are you downcast, O my soul? (Psalm 42:5)





Power House of Prayer

You send rain on the mountains from your heavenly home, and you fill the earth with the fruit of your labor. Psalm 104:13(NLT)

Praise God for:

- *Rain we received this week!
- *Testimony of Daniel Shayesteh's conversion from the Muslim faith.
- *God's faithfulness during our time of fasting.
- *Court hearing on parental rights for Hope and James denied on Wednesday.
- *Availability of Christian education at JMS.

Pray for:

- *President Trump and his cabinet as they lead our nation.
- *Elvin and Charlotte traveling to Ghana this week.
- *Eric & Michelle Brubaker family preparing for prison ministry in South Carolina, February 5th-9th.
- *George and Jodie as they proceed towards adoption.
- *Sallie Nissley healing from bowel surgery.
- *Ken Smoker dealing with a torn hamstring muscle.

**Note: Our next prayer night is February 1 with Marcus leading on "The Importance of Relationships."
Heidi Glick 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.