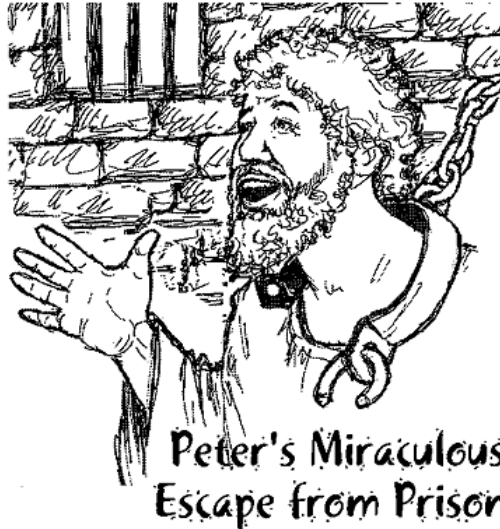


# Lauvers Mennonite Church

(Your bulletin for use at home, can be printed on regular size paper, 8 ½ x 11.)



*... so Peter was kept in prison but earnest prayer for him was made to God by the church the chains fell off his hands and he went out and followed (the angel) Peter said "Now I am sure that the Lord has sent his angel and rescued me Peter continued knocking, and when they opened, they saw him and were amazed. . .*

*From Acts 12:3-19*

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

Pastor: Curtiss Kanagy 207.431.8825

**July 26, 2020**

**Worship at 10:00 a.m. will be live streamed**

**Nevin Glick will speak on "You Grumpy?"**

**2 Corinthians 5:14-20**

Worship leader: Eric Brubaker

Worship in song: Tonya's group

Offering: \$2,097.00

Reminder: send your weekly offerings to Delbert Swartz when you cannot worship with us at our church building. ☺

***The Christian faith is meant to be deeply personal, but never solitary.***

## **Announcements**

1. Thank you to all who submitted a name of nomination for the Deacon role. David Martin was the only person to receive the required five or more nominations. He is willing serve another term. We thank David for his willingness to serve, and God for His leading in this process. -Search Committee
2. **Worship team training** will be held on Sunday evening, August 9 at 6:30 p.m. for all current team members and anyone else interested. Sign up in the foyer so Pastor Curtiss can have a book for you.
3. The July edition of ***On the Level*** from Mennonite Disaster Service is now available. The current issue tells how MDS volunteers helped Minneapolis residents clean up following the protests in the wake of the death

of George Floyd. You can also learn how MDS volunteers are racing the clock to restore homes in Alaska and bring wildfire survivors home. Check it out here: <https://conta.cc/2ChyxXQ>

4. Brian Hershberger, Executive Director at CMC encourages us to **consider the plight** of those in less-developed countries whose lives have been completely upended by the COVID-19 pandemic. For example, in India the Dalits (lowest level of the caste system) and tribal people are experiencing even more extreme poverty than normal and are suffering greatly from the loss of livelihood due to the pandemic. Many are struggling to come up with one meal/day for their family. CMC's International Affiliate in India, Gilgal Mission Trust (GMT), has a vision to provide emergency food items and basic hygiene kits for 500 families in the Coimbatore district of Tamil Nadu. With assistance from CMC and its churches, GMT will be able to help these families survive. You can give to this need by going to the global relief page on RI's website: <https://rosedaleinternational.org/global/>

Brian says, "May our generosity rival that of the Macedonian church of whom Paul said: 'For I testify that they gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability. Entirely on their own, they urgently pleaded with us for the privilege of sharing in this service to the saints.'"

2 Corinthians 8:3-4 (ESV)

Conceit is an odd disease. It makes everyone sick except the person who has it. ☺



*But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up. II Peter 3:10*

### **Praise God for:**

- \*God's promise for a new earth on the day of the Lord!
- \*Good weekend for youth at cabin last weekend.
- \*Doris's heart put back into rhythm.
- \*Rain we received last week.
- \*David, Jesse and Gladys Yoder all doing better!

### **Pray for:**

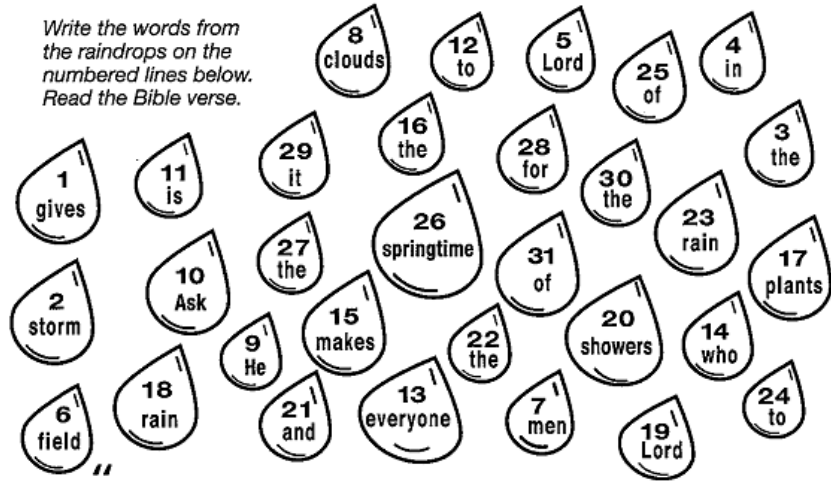
- \*Curtiss and Robin camping this weekend.
- \*Tim and Krissy, Andrew and Kiersta's weddings this weekend!
- \*Youth kayaking Friday evening.
- \*Gina's grandmother, Mary, diagnosed with stage 4 lung cancer.
- \*Doris's heart to stay in rhythm.
- \*Emma's having chemo treatment this week.
- \*Deacon search process.
- \*Orpha's ongoing health issues and grieving journey.
- \*Breanna starting training in Mexico.
- \*Our elderly isolated in nursing homes.
- \*Gunner's new medication to help him heal.
- \*Kyle and Joanna to find affordable housing.
- \*Continued wisdom in controlling the corona virus.
- \*God to work in hearts of people in this nation in this time.

### **God will make all things new!**

### **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](mailto:dmswartz77@gmail.com) by Thursday evening.

Write the words from the raindrops on the numbered lines below. Read the Bible verse.



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*Zechariah 10:1 (NIV)*

**Our Church Council**

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