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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (June 11) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) offerings:

- Church Facilities \$3,857.00
- Missions \$400.00
- Leadership Support \$200.00
- Program Fund \$100.00

Happy Birthday

Dawn Moore—Sunday, June 18 Tim Greenawalt—Monday, June 26



Happy Anniversary

Henry & Ruthie Youndt—Thursday, June 22 Raymond & Fern Stone—Monday, June 26 Ron & Louise Hock—Tuesday, June 27





SENIOR YOUTH RETREAT

June 23~25

Paradise Lake Retreat in Denver *Invite a friend to come along!*

Kathy and Mark will be moving on June 24. They would be glad to have some folks with strong backs help them in this process, likely starting about 8 a.m.

Please talk to or email Kathy or Mark.

Many thanks!



MENNONITE CHILDREN'S CHOIR OF LANCASTER Final Concert



Bossler Mennonite Church 2021 Bossler Rd, Elizabethtown Monday, June 19—7:00 p.m.



Kayley and Tanner Eshleman sing in the choir.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

<u>June 18</u>—Honoring Pastor Kathy and farewell to Kathy and Mark, congregational meal

June 23-25—Senior Youth Retreat Weekend

July 7 and 8—300th Anniversary Historical Event

July 9—Worship at Woodcrest Retreat

October 1—300th Anniversary Homecoming Sunday



On Sunday, June 11, the leaders of Promise Learning Center were with us during the Sunday School hour in the All Purpose Room to share about their vision for using Groffdale's facility.

Feedback forms were distributed for you to fill out and place in Levi Hoover's mailbox. Copies of the feedback form are available on the information table in the lobby. If you have questions, please see Levi Hoover or Pastor Tom.

Update from O and L

Their recent letter is posted on the missionary bulletin board. The winter has been long and hard for them. They shared about their miscarriage in January and how they sensed the presence and comfort of Jesus through their sadness and grief. Stop by the bulletin board to read their letter and also for the schedule of their speaking engagements for the summer.

They will be sharing with us during the worship service on Sunday morning, July 23.



CVCCS ANNOUNCEMENTS

CVCCS Food Needs:

Canned fruit Jelly



Clothing Needs:

Sneakers for school-age children, new or gently used.

Sizes? No smaller than 12, and up to smaller adult sizes

Cash donations also welcome to purchase shoes for children.

Please place your food and clothing donations in the box provided in the lobby. Thank you!!!

SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM

The CVCCS summer lunch program started on June 12. Persons are still needed to help cook, pack lunches and drive meals to various sites on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. This is an opportunity for older teens to volunteer.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: AUGUST 11-13 HOME RUNS AGAINST HUNGER

August 11-13 - CVCCS will receive \$4 from every ticket sold for those dates at Clipper Magazine Stadium.

On Saturday, August 13, Home Runs Against Hunger will be featured and there will be special events that games. For more information, go to www.cvccs.org. Call 717-208-3711 to order tickets.

Did you know?

Schirlyn Kamara was featured in the front page article "The Social Fabric" of the Lancaster Newspaper on Monday. Please stop by the bulletin board and read about her latest sewing project.

Volunteer for Woodcrest Kitchen Ministry August 7-11

Two volunteers are needed each day (Monday thru Friday) to assist staff with serving lunch to the campers. There's a signup sheet on the information table in the lobby. This is a great opportunity to serve in the ministry at Woodcrest. If you have any questions, please see Lloyd Weaver.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, July 9 at 6:00 p.m. **EMM Worker Commissioning**

Mellinger Mennonite Church

Andres Prins will be re-commissioned. This is two days before he travels to Uruguay, Paraguay, and Argentina for four weeks.

EMM's 22nd Annual Global Fair

An open-air missions and cultural festival Saturday, July 15 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Hans Herr House in Willow Street

Child friendly event - bring your children! Find international food and fun at Global Fair. Celebrate summer with international culture and flavor at EMM's biggest event of the year! This openair missions and culture festival represents the vast scope of EMM's global presence. Meet the world through cultural activities, international food, mission stories, fun for kids, and more! Suggested donation of \$1.

> Questions? Contact Jessica Fellenger at jessicaf@emm.org or 717 898-2251 ext. 235, or visit emm.org/globalfair.

WORSHIP DESIGN **Using Visual Arts to Enliven Your Space** Monday, July 24 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. **Parish Resource Center** 2160 Lincoln Hwy, Lancaster

Tickets are free since Groffdale is a Parish Resource member. For more information and to register, visit their website at www.parishresourcecenter.org.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, October 1 HOMECOMING WORSHIP SERVICE here at Groffdale Meal following the service. Please mark your calendars. More details will be coming.