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SUPPLEMENT

In this world, you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world. John 16:33

THANK YOU for this week's Electronic Funds Transfer offerings and individuals' offerings:

- Missions \$3,891.50
- MCC and MDS \$550.00
- Leadership Support \$320.00
- Church Facilities \$300.00
- Maundy Thursday Offering for Brotherhood Fund \$2,410.00

Sunday, April 11 offering: Leadership Support

Next Sunday, April 18 offering: Church Facilities

<u> Happy Birthday</u>

Linda Herr—Wednesday, April 14 Christopher Martin—Friday, April 16 Alice Reiff—Saturday, April 17



<u> Happy 85th Birthday</u>

Lloyd Wenger—Monday, April 12 Paul Reiff—Friday, April 16

Thank you note to our Groffdale family!

Thanks for your prayers, phone calls,

cards and visits.

Blessing to you all!

Jonas and Emma Reiff



New Sunday school class starting soon!

We are introducing a new Sunday School class that will focus on building and strengthening friendships as we begin each gathering with scripture that launches us into a time of sharing and prayer. The class will have a leader and will also provide ample time for sharing about our lives and how God is moving. Every other week the children are welcome to join this class and the lesson will engage them as well. This class will begin on **April** 18 at 9am (children are welcome!) and will meet outdoors at the fire pit beside the Groffdale



parking lot. Feel free to contact Pastor Tom or Krista Snader with any questions you may have.



Seeking Ministers of Hospitality

Additional persons are encouraged to volunteer for usher/greeter assistance.

To schedule or questions, talk to Glenn Hershey.



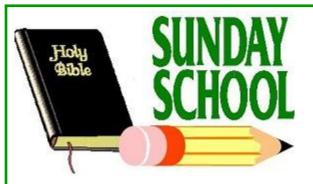
Sewing Circle News

Sewing circle will once again meet on **May 4**. Many of us have had our vaccines so each attendee may use their own discretion as to whether you wear a mask. It will be a blessing to meet once again after a long year! We will not have our usual May luncheon.



Lenten Scripture Memory Challenge: I Corinthians 13

During the weeks of Lent, our Scripture memory focus has been I Corinthians 13. Pastor Tom has challenged our congregation, including our children, to memorize as much of this chapter as you can by Easter, April 4. Please let Pastor Tom know if you would like to recite and we will arrange an opportunity for you. Children will receive one point for every verse that they recite from week to week and a special prize for reciting the entire chapter.



Sunday School Lesson on April 11

Since there is no S.S. in the multi- purpose room on Easter Sunday, we will do the Emmaus Road lesson the following week, April 11. Glenn Hershey will be teaching.



Save the Date!

Church Retreat at Woodcrest July 9-11, 2021

Please mark it on your calendar and plan to attend. We have 10 campsites reserved. Invite your family and friends to go camping with you. More details coming soon!



Employment Opportunity

The MCC Material Resource Center in Ephrata is hiring a part-time Receptionist/Administrative Assistant.

The position is 24 hours a week. To learn more about the position and to apply visit the MCC website at:

https://mcc.org/get-involved/serve/openings/mrc-receptionist

