

Church Report

June 3, 2018

Attendance	203
General Fund	\$6,336
MOOS	\$60

Weekly offerings need to average \$8,621 to meet budget.

Next Sunday, June 24, 2018 – Peace School Sunday

Worship Leaders—Malinda Clatterbuck, Peace School Committee

Prelude/Offertory/Song Leaders—Peace School Musicians

Sound Technician—Steve Stayrook

Greeter—Esther Becker

Ushers—Leon Miller, Linford Good, Rod Houser, Luke Good

Child Care—Omer Brubaker, Laurie Vogt

Helper—Maia Shenk

CMCL Calendar

June 2018

- 17 Music Sunday
- 19-21 Peace School
- 23 Church Cleaning Day, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- 24 Peace School Sunday
- 30 CMCL serves breakfast at First Reformed Church, 8 a.m. – noon

July 2018

- 1 Sunday service: Risks Worth Taking, Holding On, Letting Go
- 6 Parrot Gallery Reception, 5-9 p.m. – Julio Mendoza
- 8 Decisions Worth Making – Holding On, Letting Go
- 15 Truths Worth Seeking – Holding On, Letting Go
- 22 Beliefs Worth Keeping – Holding On, Letting Go
- 29 Changes Worth Evaluating – Holding On, Letting Go

HOLDING IN LIGHT AND LOVE

The persons named below are CMCLers who have shared joys or prayer concerns with the community in the previous weeks, or persons who are no longer physically able to come to services. Please take time to remember these folks especially throughout the week, in thought and prayer.

If you have a joy or prayer concern you would like to bring to the congregation, please call or e-mail Susan at cmcl@communitymennonite.org

Christy Heatwole Kauffman, Ryan Kauffman, Ezra Kauffman
Beky Weidner, Larry Penner, Zach Penner and Ali Penner
Hal King
Deb Cone Halsey and Mark Halsey
Jerry Gibbs and Donna Walton-Gibbs
Luke and Mary Bomberger
Laurie, Ron, Emily, Annie and Ellis Vogt
Kristin, Michael, Ella and Madelyn Sharp (Mennonite Mission Network, London)



Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster

ANNOUNCEMENTS—JUNE 17, 2018

FOR JUNE 17, 2018 TO JUNE 23, 2018

CMCL

SUMMER PASTORAL CARE COVERAGE—This summer, urgent pastoral care calls will be covered by rotation by Malinda Clatterbuck, Amanda Stoltzfus, Pam Brubaker and Pastoral Team (Deb Napolitan, Monte Garber, Luke Good, Naomi Paine and Carol Spicher). A schedule and on-call pastoral care number will be communicated to the congregation this week.

ADMINISTRATIVE PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE—78 CMCL members voted to unanimously affirm Leslie Homer-Cattell as our Administrative Pastor! The search committee thanks you for coming out to get to know her and welcome her into our midst. She wrote that her excitement about serving CMCL only continues to grow. Well done Y'all! Staff relations will continue to work on a contract and start date with Leslie, which will be sometime in early September, allowing Leslie to begin as Susan returns from her sabbatical. It was an honor to serve the congregation in this task of finding the right person for this new role at CMCL. Thank you for entrusting us in this work - The Search Committee, Katy Heinzl, Kay Reist, Bryan Martin, Julia Schrock-Rosenfeld, Ryan Kauffman with support from Joanne Dietzel, ACC Conference Minister

PARENTS OF CHILDREN PK-8th GRADE—MEETING JUNE 24 (PEACE SCHOOL SUNDAY)—Hope you can make a 15 minute meeting in the Gathering Place for a short sharing and discussion on changes to the curriculum and breakdown of class divisions. All parents and children are invited to take part in this conversation directly following the service (probably about 11 a.m.). If you have any questions, feel free to contact Malinda. Malinda@communitymennonite.org

CHILDREN'S CHURCH – JULY 1, 15, AUGUST 5—We are trying something new over the summer at CMCL- on the above dates Malinda Clatterbuck will be providing a "children's church" during the service. After the Children's story, she will lead the children downstairs (during the sermon -15-20 min) for a lesson/activity/creativity time with all of the kids who might want to find ways to make the most of their time in church Sunday morning. If any approved adults are interested in helping out with the planning or executing of this time, please contact Malinda. Malinda@communitymennonite.org

ACHENBACH DONUT DAY AKA CHURCH CLEANING DAY—Saturday, June 23, 8:30–12:30 p.m. Come when you can and leave when you must. Please help the facilities committee with the cleaning and repair tasks accumulated from another year's wear and tear. Cleaning supplies will be provided or bring your own favorites. Indulge in Achenbach donuts to boost your energy and spirits.

CMCLer VANESSA HOFER—has a lead role in *Little Women* at Open Stage of Harrisburg. The show runs through June 30th. Tickets can be purchased at 717-232-6736 or <https://app.arts-people.com/index.phpticketing=oshbq>.

THANK YOU—to my CMCL family for the prayers, cards, calls, visits, and assistance with some tasks I could not do myself during my post surgery recovery time. It was a blessing to be able to see so many of you this past Sunday. I am gaining more energy and feeling better every day, and have returned to work half time. I'm happy and grounded and proud to call you my family. - Sonny Ditzler

THANK YOU—for your kind cards and condolences following the death of my father. -- Beth Graybill

NEW ADDRESS FOR LUCYANN, JOSE, SERGIO & ALONSO—The Boll-Borroros have moved to the following new address: 226 Cobblestone Lane, Lancaster, PA 17601. All other information remains the same.

SAVE THE DATE FOR FALL ALL-CHURCH RETREAT—September 28-30, 2018, CMCL will hold its annual all-church retreat at Camp Hebron. Registration will open 6 and close August 26. More information will be coming.

COMMUNITY/GENERAL MENNONITE

WANT TO HELP CHILDREN SEPARATED FROM THEIR PARENTS—at the border? A suggestion from an Albuquerque Mennonite Church attendee: Per an immigration attorney in New Mexico, the best way for non-attorneys to help (besides political pressure) is to pay the bail of their parents so they can be reunited with their children. She recommended this group to donate bail funds:

<https://actionnetwork.org/fundraising/bondfund>. Anne Sensenig

JOB OPENINGS—Lancaster Mennonite School has several positions open for the 2018-19 school year, such as Director of Marketing and Communication, Director of Annual Giving and Alumni Relations, Event Liaison, Spanish Immersion Teacher and others. See the LM website for a full listing and more information about each position: www.lancastermennonite.org/employment.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES—Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society invites applicants for two open positions: *Operations Coordinator* - Office management, volunteer coordination, facilities coordination, and similar, .80 FTE (4 days a week), working from Millstream Road location and *Herr House Gift Shop Manager* - Oversee gift shop and assist with 1719 Herr House and Native American Longhouse tours. .30 FTE

TEENHOPE SCREENING SPECIALIST—Samaritan Counseling Center is seeking a PA licensed counselor to work primarily in TeenHope – a mental health awareness and screening program in local schools. Duties include providing mental health education, coordinating the screening service, screening students, contacting parents, and referring students for services. Focused on TeenHope alone this would be a part-time role, but with the addition of outpatient counseling, this could be full-time, at least during the school year. Some evening or Saturday hours are expected. Candidates should have experience and interest in counseling primarily with children and adolescents. Master's degree and PA license required. Send resume and cover letter to Samaritan Counseling Center, Attention: Executive Director; 1803 Oregon Pike; Lancaster, PA 17601. Visit www.scclanc.org to learn more about Samaritan and TeenHope.

CELEBRATING PETE SEEGER—On Friday July 6, at 7 p.m., join a potluck picnic hootenanny to celebrate the legendary folk singer and activist, Pete Seeger. Bring a dish to share or your meat to BBQ on our grills, and a chair. Rain or shine, we'll move inside if necessary. Most importantly, bring your voice and instrument to enjoy the song swap and hoot. Akron Mennonite Church, 1311 Diamond St, Akron, PA. Pete was an American with courage to speak truth in hard times, and many songs to make his points. Robert V. Peters, a close friend of Pete's for over 37 years, will share stories, and his son Pierre will sing a few songs and lead the song swap and hootenanny. Sponsored by supportive people, this is a fun inter-generational event and all are welcome. A voluntary offering will be taken to support the peace and justice ministries of Akron Mennonite church. For more information, contact John Stoner at jstoner42@windstream.net or (717) 859 3388.

NULIFE @ NIMBLE THIMBLE—is offering Youth Sew Green Camp for ages 8-12. 13 students for 4 weeks located at 45 North Market St (previously Nimble Thimble). Camp runs for 4 weeks 4-8 daily from June 18 - June 29 and July 9-July 20. Cost \$65 per week, fabric provided. For applications email schirlynsfineart@yahoo.com with the subject CAMP. If you are an adult with clearances and would like to help mentor students email Schirlyn Kamara the owner of NuLife@Nimble Thimble.

THE SHALOM PROJECT— Let's Eat! Please join us for a Sudanese meal and cooking demonstration hosted by The Shalom Project. This event will bring together Lancaster residents from a variety of backgrounds in an effort to build relationships and enjoy each other's company. You can sponsor a table for \$200, which will seat six people of your choosing, or purchase individual tickets for \$20 each. Proceeds support both The Shalom Project and Grape Leaf Cafe ("ethnic food prepared by resilient refugee women"). Saturday, July 7, 5 p.m., at The Mix at Arbor Place in Lancaster city. For more info, contact Nathan Grieser, director of The Shalom Project, at nathan@shalomlancaster.org or (267) 222-0730.

BARNES & NOBLE BOOK-SIGNING—Sunday, July 8, 2018: Author Anita Amstutz describes *Soul Tending: Journey into the heart of Sabbath* as a spiritual biography, "my own wrestling with balance... how I found the Sabbath-welcome of 'ceasing work' to be a solace in that dry, droughty space between creativity and overwork/soul weariness." Red Rose Commons, 1700 H, Fruitville Pike, Lancaster, 717-290-8171, <https://stores.barnesandnoble.com/event/9780061941009-0>

STAY WOKE!—Interactive workshop on organizing to build communities— Sunday, July 15, 2018, 2:30-4:30 p.m. Learn how to build communities that resist oppression and embody peace and justice; led by Sarah Thompson, former Director of Christian Peacemaker Teams, a 2018 Generations Fellow at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center in Atlanta, Georgia. Sponsored by Lancaster Interchurch Peace Witness & 1040 for Peace. For more information contact Sue Heilman: heilmangirl@gmail.com, (717) 951-0731.

Budget Report—May 31, 2018	Sep 2017–Aug 2018 Budget: \$448,275
Budget to Date	Income to Date
\$336,206	\$377,197
Monthly budget reports for are available online under Congregational Resources	