

## ***Next Sunday, July 15, 2018***

Worship Leader—Mary Lou Weaver Houser  
Preaching—Scott Sprunger  
Song Leader—Marty Kelley  
Prelude/Offertory—  
Sound Technician—Ken Kulp  
Greeter—Lois Lehman  
Ushers—Luke Good, Laurel Martin, Esther Becker, Beth Crosby  
Child Care—Christy Heatwole-Kauffman, Anne Sensenig  
Helper—Dulce Zeager

## ***CMCL Calendar***

### **July 2018**

- 9 Mennonite Men—Tellus 360, 7 p.m.
- 15 Truths Worth Seeking—Holding On, Letting Go
- 22 Beliefs Worth Keeping—Holding On, Letting Go
- 29 Changes Worth Evaluating—Holding On, Letting Go

### **August 2018**

- 5 August Worship Series: The Art of Dance
- 12 The Art of the Visual
- 19 Church on the Farm: The Art of Poetry
- 19 Voices Together Regional Hymn Sing, 6 p.m.
- 26 The Art of Storytelling

### **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 Pam Brubaker, [pam@communitymennonite.org](mailto:pam@communitymennonite.org).*

Christy Heatwole Kauffman, Ryan Kauffman, Ezra Kauffman  
Beky Weidner, Larry Penner, Zach Penner and Ali Penner  
Hal King  
Jerry Gibbs and Donna Walton-Gibbs  
Luke and Mary Bomberger  
Kristin, Michael, Ella and Madelyn Sharp (Mennonite Mission  
Network, London)



## **Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster**

ANNOUNCEMENTS—JULY 8, 2018  
FOR JULY 8, 2018 TO JULY 14, 2018

### ***CMCL***

**CHURCH ON THE FARM**—Mark your calendar. August 19. Annual Church on the farm at the Vineyard at Grandview, 1489 Grandview Rd., Mount Joy, PA. No services at 328 West Orange Street.

**SOUL TENDING: JOURNEY INTO THE HEART OF SABBATH**—Following today's service, Anita Amstutz will hold a book signing at Barnes and Noble from 1–3 p.m. Tomorrow evening, 7–8:30 p.m., there will be a book reading and signing at the Parish Resource Center, 2160 Lincoln Hwy East #18.

**MENNONITE MEN**—Join us 7 p.m., Monday, July 9, second floor of Tellus360, 24 E. King St., downtown Lancaster. If weather permits we will hangout on the rooftop; otherwise second floor. Food and beverages are available for purchase, but not required to have a seat at the table. Hanging out is about the conversation.

**LGBTQ POTLUCK LUNCH GROUP** will gather for lunch at the home of Jay and Ruth Martin July 15, 12 noon. RSVP would be nice. Contact Jay or Ruth at [jwremartin@gmail.com](mailto:jwremartin@gmail.com) or (717) 293-9892 if you plan to attend.

**LESLIE HOMER CATTELL'S** ordination will be on Sunday, August 5, at Frazer Mennonite Church, 10:30 a.m., with a brunch starting at 9:30. Leslie is inviting anyone from CMCL who is interested to attend. No need to RSVP for the service; however they would like to have a count for the brunch. Please contact Janet Lind if you are interested. [janetlind@gmail.com](mailto:janetlind@gmail.com).

## Community/General Mennonite

**MARK HALSEY AND DEB CONE HALSEY** are ever so grateful for the blanket of prayer they felt covering them during Deb's back surgery and ongoing healing and recovery process. The phone calls, meals, cards, and visits felt like a warm embrace from their CMCL family.

**PEACE SCHOOL OFFERING**—As most of you recall, we took a special offering during Peace School this year, to help support a family in need in our own community—a family whose father had been taken away by ICE, leaving behind a wife and two older children who are US citizens, and have only known life here in America for the past 12+ years. This week we were able to cut a check for \$1400 because of the generosity of the CMCL community. This will help the family to remain in their home. The mother has taken on a new job, and has also taken in a border to help with the rent. Although they are grieving the loss of their father/husband, at least the rest of their lives need not be upended. May we continue to pray for them, and the safe return of their loved one.

**BABYSITTING FOR YOU**—This summer with school out and not as many activities I'm more available for babysitting jobs. I'm 16 and fully qualified to take care of your kids no matter the age. I charge \$8 per hour. If you're interested you can contact me through my phone number, (717)690-9274, or my email. amanikaufman@icloud.com. If I don't happen to be available, my sister Maia who is 13, is also great with kids and would love to help. —Amani Kaufman

**VOICES TOGETHER**, a regional hymn sing, will be held 6 p.m. Sunday, August 19 at CMCL. This event will provide a glimpse into the work of the Mennonite Worship and Song Committee on the new hymnal, *Voices Together*, scheduled for release in 2020. Benjamin Bergey, music editor for the new hymnal, will lead the singing and introduce new music being considered for the collection. Benjamin and Steve Carpenter, representing MennoMedia, will be available afterward to answer questions. An offering will be received to support the production phase of the new collection. An opportunity to honor a loved one with a line in the hymnal will be presented. Steve Carpenter at (540) 908-3933 or SteveC@MennoMedia.org.

**CALL FOR USHERS**—We need four ushers for the Voices Together program scheduled for August 19 at CMCL. (See previous announcement.) Contact Beth Crosby, bethcrosby74@gmail.com, if you are able to volunteer.

**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 August 6 and close August 26. More information will be coming.

**FAIR TRADE COMING TO DOWNTOWN LANCASTER**—Ten Thousand Villages opened a downtown Lancaster location this past Friday, July 6. The store is located at 4 West King Street, across from Central Market, the Visitor's Center and Passenger Coffee. It features Ten Thousand Villages jewelry, personal accessories and home decor and has a Bunyaad Rug Room with over 200 hand knotted fair trade rugs from Pakistan (this is where Jenni and Yousaf may be found some days!) Story Times on the Carpet will be held the third Thursday of every month at 11 a.m. Help spread the word about this new branch of Ten Thousand Villages! Like us on Facebook and follow us on Instagram.

**JUSTICE FOR THE SISTERS**—This afternoon, 2 p.m., 3939 Laurel Run, Columbia. Join us for a 1-year anniversary celebration at the outdoor chapel on the property of the Adorers of the Blood of Christ. Come and show your support for their stance against the fossil fuel industry, which has condemned their property and violated their religious rights. Light refreshments following the service.

Budget Report—June 30, 2018	Sep 2017–Aug 2018 Budget:
	<b>\$448,275</b>
Budget to Date	Income to Date
<b>\$370,689</b>	<b>\$402,783</b>
<i>Monthly budget reports for are available online under Congregational Resources</i>	