

## Next Sunday, August 19, 2018 (Church on the Farm)

Worship Leader—Deb Napolitan  
Song Leader—Christy Kauffman  
Prelude/Offertory—Jerry Lee Miller  
Sound Technician—Monte Garber  
Greeter—Steve Walter  
Ushers—Jack Shope, Luke Good, Margaret Krumm  
Child Care  
Helper

### CMCL Calendar

#### August 2018

- 12 The Art of the Visual  
Senior Youth Kayaking
- 19 Church on the Farm: The Art of Poetry  
Voices Together Regional Hymn Sing, 6 p.m.
- 26 The Art of Storytelling  
Senior Youth Welcome Picnic

#### September 2018

- 2 Blessing of the Back Packs
- 7 Parrot Gallery Reception, Jim and Lin Bowman
- 9 Christian Education begins
- 14–16 ACC Youth Retreat
- 28–30 All Church Retreat at Camp Hebron

### 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).*

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—AUGUST 12, 2018  
FOR AUGUST 12 TO AUGUST 18, 2018

### CMCL

**CMCL FALL RETREAT AT CAMP HEBRON**—Registration is now open for our annual fall retreat at Camp Hebron. Simply go to the news feed in the lower right hand corner of our website, [communitymennonite.org](http://communitymennonite.org), and click the link to Fall Retreat Registration. Check your mailbox or the literature table in the Parrot Gallery for a flyer describing accommodations, costs and a tentative schedule of events. *New CMCL attendees: a special invitation to you to attend.* A main purpose of this annual retreat is to provide opportunity for us to learn to know each other better.

**JOB OPENING AT CMCL**—CMCL has posted the opening in the church office on indeed.com. (Best way to find is to search for "community mennonite.") Please share our opening with anyone you know who you feel may be interested and qualified. Questions can be addressed to any member of Staff Relations: Janet Lind (chair), Luke Good, Larry Groff or Bryan Martin.

**CHURCH ON THE FARM**—Our annual worship service on the Larry and Marilyn Kennel farm, 1489 Grandview Road, Mount Joy, will be held Sunday, August 19. Worship starts at 10 a.m., with a potluck following the service. There will be no worship service at 328 West Orange Street on August 19.

**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. An offering will be received to support the production phase of the new collection. Steve Carpenter at (540) 908-3933 or [SteveC@MennoMedia.org](mailto:SteveC@MennoMedia.org).

**ADDITIONAL DATE FOR PHOTO DIRECTORY**—We have added another date, Thursday September 6, to have your photo taken to be included in our photo directory. You can schedule an appointment by following the newsfeed link in the lower right corner of our website or through our FB page, Parrot Nation. You can also sign up before or after church on August 12 or 26. If you can't be here on this date or need more info, contact Pam Brubaker, [pam@communitymennonite.org](mailto:pam@communitymennonite.org). We believe this directory is an important tool for us to have strong community, and we believe in community!

**PRAYER REQUEST FROM ROSALINA WILSON**—I am asking for prayer that I may find the right people to care for my mother Idelisa who needs help in her daily living. I am leaving for Cuba at the beginning of September to arrange help for her. I plan to be in Cuba for one to three months.

**CHILDREN EDUCATION VOLUNTEERS AND TEACHERS**—Save the Date: Saturday August 18, 9–11 a.m. We will be meeting in the Parrot Gallery for a morning of training and scheduling for the year. Bring your calendars and schedules. We will offer Safe Church Training 11:15–12:15 for all who need to become Approved Adults. Breakfast treats will be provided. If you have questions, contact malinda@communitymennonite.org.

**PEACE KIDS TO THE RESCUE ART SHOW & SALE**—Lucas and I are in need of more volunteers to help with the children’s art show on Friday, September 7. There are several opportunities to help set up on Wednesday, September 5 as well as several positions that need to be filled for the night of the show on the 7th. Please email me at lreider75@yahoo.com if you are able to help! Thanks in advance!  
—Lauren Kreider

**FROM KATY HEINZEL**—Many of you know that after 22 years at CMCL I’ve accepted a pastor position at University Mennonite Church in State College and will be moving there later this month. August 19 will be my last Sunday at CMCL. I’d love help packing the moving van Wednesday, August 22 beginning around 4:30 pm. Let me know, kathyheinzl@gmail.com, if you can help. Pizza and drinks will be provided.

Laura Boll and a Kelvin Mack have generously offered to host an ice cream party at their home afterwards, starting around 7. Please come whether or not you help load the truck, though those hearty souls will get an extra scoop! I’m traveling out west right now and won’t be back in Lancaster until August 14 but check email regularly. I am so grateful for this community and how it’s supported my family and me over the years. It’s hard to say goodbye!

**REMEMBERING PREM DICK**—The balance from the Prem Dick Memorial Fund has been used to purchase a used sectional sofa which now graces the living room corner of the Parrot Gallery. Many will remember visiting with Prem in the corner on Sunday mornings during the last years of his life. Check it out, and spend a moment in remembrance of Prem.

### *Community/General Mennonite*

**TWO 16-YEAR OLD CONGOLESE REFUGEES** are in need of housing as soon as possible. They are currently living with a relative who has a wife and three children of his own, and does not have the financial means to provide for the boys. At this time, the boys’ father/uncle is desperately seeking a home for them while they complete their two years of high school. Food, transportation, and other living expenses are all needed, with no compensation available. If anyone has the means to help these boys, please contact Anne Weiss at andy4249@verizon.net.

**AMBS ONLINE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**—Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary is offering a variety of online educational opportunities. See bright pink flyer on the Parrot Gallery bulletin board.

**ACC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** is seeking nominations for a new representative to the MCC East Coast Board. Beyond a candidate’s willingness and capacity to serve, MCC is seeking women and minority representatives to provide a balance to the board. This term would last for three years, through March 2021. The next meeting will take place in Philadelphia on October 27, 2018. Nominations can be sent to Brook at brookm@atlanticcoastconvergence.net

<b>Church Report</b>	
<i>August 5, 2018</i>	
Attendance	131
General Fund	\$8,616
<i>Weekly offerings need to average \$8,621 to meet budget.</i>	

<b>Budget Report—July 31, 2018</b>	<b>Sep 2017–Aug 2018 Budget:</b>
	<b>\$448,275</b>
<b>Budget to Date</b>	<b>Income to Date</b>
<b>\$413,792</b>	<b>\$436,768</b>
<i>Monthly budget reports for are available online under Congregational Resources</i>	

<b>YAEF Annual Report</b>	
Members of CMCL’s Young Adult Endowment Committee make contact with each young adult in our church community between the ages of 18 and 25 at least two times per year. Annual spring and fall contacts include a monetary gift from the Young Adult Endowment Fund.	
<b>YAEF Committee (September 2017–August 2018):</b> Ruth H. Martin, Daryl Snider, Bonnie Weaver, Jack Shope, Doug Burkholder, Carol Spicher, Laura Boll.	
<b>Asset Management:</b> Janney, Montgomery, Scott	
<b>Fund Balance July 31, 2017</b>	\$198,284
<b>Disbursements</b>	
Inception through August 31, 2017	
<i>Total Disbursements</i>	<i>\$147,494</i>
September 1, 2017–August 31, 2018 (41 recipients)	
<i>Total</i>	<i>\$9,208</i>
<b>Fund Balance July 31, 2018</b>	<b>\$182,530</b>