

June 9, 2019
Morning Worship Service



Prelude

Meagan Byler

Worship Team Leader

Brian Renno

Worship Leader

Ivan Yoder

Max Peachey: Commissioning Prayer as Elder

Sermon – Nathan Rittenhouse

9:00 “Why is faith necessary?”

10:30 “Why did Jesus have to live?”

11:15 Children’s Breakout Session (Pre-K-Grade 2) in the MYF Room.

Nursery: Infants through 3 year olds

9:00 – Bobbi Yoder, Bri Mazur, Sonya Yoder

10:30 – Cheston & Jen Hartzler

*Next Week: 9:00- Rachel Paul, Megan Hartzler

10:30- Michelle Kline, Rachael Saldubehere

Prayer List:

At Home: Bill, Gina, Gianna, Isaiah, Jaylin, & Alex Fate
Gerald & Pat Yoder

Valley View: Grace Stacy, Room 707, 4702 E Main St

Away: Dion, Naty, Gabby, & Marcus Peachey
Calle Villalengua 1515 OE5-195 y Sancho de Escobar, Quito, Ecuador

REACHING OUT: **Sam Detweiler** is preaching at Mattawana Mennonite, **Max** is preaching at Boyer, and **Dave Sharp** is preaching at Smithfield Prison this morning.

MISSION SPOT: **Carrie Kanagy** travels to Cluj, Romania on June 11-22 to assist Alin and Gabi with English camps. She will be teaching children English with Christian materials. Carrie requests prayer for safety in traveling, wisdom as she teaches, and the children’s hearts to be open to the Gospel.

Welcome to our Worship Service! We are so glad you are here. Our morning schedule includes many class options for discussion during both of our morning worship services. Lists of classes are available on the information table in the welcome corner of our foyer.

June 2, 2019

9:00 Worship Attendance	199
S.S. Attendance	341
10:30 Worship Attendance	238
S.S. Offering	\$11
Morning Worship Offering	\$14,453

Week 22

Budgeted Morning Worship Offerings - \$256,784

Actual Morning Worship Offerings – \$271,802

This Week’s Events:

Today – Daytec Fundraiser Meal following 2nd service

Today, immediately following 2nd service – Mega Sports Camp Coach/Huddle
Coach meeting in MYF Room

Monday, 7pm – Leadership Team Meeting

Monday-Friday 9 – 11:30 a.m. Mega Sports Camp

Tuesday, 7am – Men’s Pursuit of God Bible study meets in the café

Tuesday, 6:30pm – Colossians Bible Study

Wednesday, 5am – MYF meet at the church to depart for City Challenge

Upcoming Events:

June 23-26th – VBS

June 26-30th – 7th Grade Girls Trip

Group Grades 7-9: Meet **tonight** at the church from 6-8pm to finalize Group trip planning. 7th & 8th bring a snack, 9th bring a drink.

MYF Grades 10-12: Meet at the church at **5am** on Wednesday, June 12th to leave for City Challenge!

Young Adults: Meet today at 1:30pm at Ivan & Pam’s for homemade ice cream (by Neil Renno) and time with Nathan Rittenhouse.

Summer Youth Trip Dates:

MYF: City Challenge June 12 – 19th

7th Grade Girls: June 26 – 30th

9th Grade Combined: July 8 – 12th

7th & 8th Grade Boys: July 17 – 21st

8th Grade Girls: July 20 – 24th

CHURCH NEWS

TODAY the Mission Board is sponsoring a **hamloaf fundraiser meal to benefit Francis and Leah Daytec in the Philippines** in the multipurpose room at noon. You may give a one-time donation or sign up to become a monthly supporter.

Names & Address Directory- In June we will be printing paper copies of the names & address directory for attenders of Locust Grove. If any of your contact information (address, email, home phone, or cell phone) please notify Steph this week via email (steph@locustgrovemc.org) or you can drop your changes off at the church this week. Last call for edits is Sunday, **June 16th!**

Last Call to Submit Directory Pictures! If you were unable to attend the Universal Directory photography sessions, this is your last call to submit a family picture to be included in the pictorial directory. Please note- the pictorial directory will NOT include contact information on any families that are not pictured. You can submit your digital picture as an attached file to Steph at steph@locustgrovemc.org by **June 16th!** If your picture was taken by the Universal people, you do not have to do anything!

Meals on Wheels: Locust Grove is scheduled to cook for Meals on Wheels June 18, 20, 25, & 27. If you would like to contribute to these meals, please call Rita at 717.935.5244. We can use applesauce, cabbage, corn, potatoes, fruit salad, jello salads, cake, and cookies. Thank you!

Lewistown Prayer Walks- June 20th. Please meet at the Lewistown Bon-Ton parking lot at **7pm.**

Library News: The Summer Reading program was such a big hit last year, we've decided to do it again! Last year, 50 people registered and read 36,000 minutes -that's 600 hours!! Can we surpass those numbers? We've added lots of new titles in the kids, youth, and adult sections and we can't wait for you to stop in and choose a few great reads! We could use a couple extra helpers during those crazy, exciting, reading program mornings, so if you're not on the library team but would like to help check out books or hand out prizes, talk to Brenda Zook or Carmen Groff! Pick up your tickets today and start reading!! ***Meet me in the library!!***

Baby Bottle Boomerang: Bottles need to be returned next Sunday, June 16th! Any amount you can give will help. Will you partner with us in this simple way to save lives? All funds collected for Baby Bottle Boomerang benefit Crossroads Pregnancy Center, serving Huntingdon, Mifflin, and Juniata.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

Rooted (Grades 5th & 6th) will meet Saturday, June 15th at Rick Byler's camp.

Coaches/Huddle Coaches for Mega Sports Camp: There will be a brief meeting immediately following 2nd service **TODAY** in the MYF room. If you are unable to attend, please let Kara Kauffman know. Thank you.

Mega Sports Camp is this week, June 10-14 from 9-11:30am at the Belleville Playground for children entering 1st grade to children who will be completing 5th grade. Registration is open online or forms are under the bulletin board.

Vacation Bible School will be held June 23 – 26 here at Locust Grove from 6:30-8:00pm! The theme for this year is ROAR (Life is Wild, God is Good). Register online or registration forms are located under the children's ministry board.

VBS Supplies: We are in need of the following supplies for our upcoming VBS. Thank you for your help with this!

- big cardboard boxes/fridge-size
- baler twine

COMMUNITY NEWS

Longest Day Walk: Each year the Alzheimer's Association recognizes the longest day of the year as an opportunity for facilities (like Valley View), and others across the world, to raise funds and awareness for the Alzheimer's Association. It is held on the longest day of the year -the duration of the sunrise to sunset event symbolizes the challenging journey of those living with the disease and their caregivers. The thought behind this is that together the light of our efforts on this day will outshine the darkness of Alzheimer's disease. Valley View is pleased to announce a Community Walk at Valley View Retirement Community will be held June 21, 2019 on the Valley View Campus from 9am to 11am. The walking path will be marked. The entire community is invited to participate in the fight against Alzheimer's Disease by participating in this walk. Participants are asked to give a \$5 donation, all of which will go to the Alzheimer's Association of America to help fight this disease. Donation is payable at the event. For more information or to sign-up to participate in the walk, please contact Valley View's Director of Volunteers, Kelly Esh by June 14 at 717-935-2105.

Multiply 2019 - Plain City, Ohio: The annual gathering of CMC will be held July 26-28 in Plain City, Ohio. The theme is "Irresistible Evangelism." Everyone is invited to attend this family-oriented, conference-wide event. Go to the CMC website cmcrosedale.org/cmc-events/annual-conference/ for more information and to register.

The Monday Nite Seniors will meet tomorrow evening, June 10th at 5:30 p.m. in the social room at West Kish. We will be having our annual Strawberry Festival. People have signed up to bring certain foods so in case you have forgotten what to bring or you have not joined us before, you can call Barb Frankhouser (717 935-2550 to find out more info. We invite anyone aged 60 or above to attend. Come and join us for a relaxing evening meal and fellowship.

New counseling office in Belleville: New Life Counseling Services is located at 4129 East Main Street. They offer Professional and Biblical Based counseling services for Individuals, Marriages, and Families. New Life's mission is to glorify God through loving and caring for people at their greatest point of need. To make an appointment please call (717) 653- 1507.

Congratulations to our 2019 high school graduates!

- Justin Deed
- Jared King
- Natalie Lavelle
- Samantha Morales
- Ethan Patkalitsky
 - Chloe Paul
 - Gabe Peachey
 - Jon Reece
 - Olivia Yoder
 - Sophia Yoder
 - Joel Zook

Prayer Guide for June 9 – June 15

9 Sunday – “*And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.*” Hebrews 11:6

10 Monday – Pray for **Max Peachey** as he joins the elders for the monthly Leadership Team Meeting tonight at 7pm, and pray for the **coaches, huddle coaches**, and **other staff members** of the Mega Sports Camp being held each morning at the Belleville playground this week.

11 Tuesday – Pray for members of our **high school MYF youth group** who plan to leave tomorrow morning at 5am for their summer mission trip to Columbus, Ohio. They plan to participate in City Challenge, a city mission experience created by Rosedale Mennonite Mission, to introduce high school students to various mission opportunities in the city. They plan to return home next Wednesday after also spending a few days at Ivan and Pam's camp early next week.

12 Wednesday – Pray for **Max** as he prepares a Father's Day message, for **Sherryl** as she prepares with the worship team to lead us in worship on Sunday, and for **Matt, Whitney, & Brody Reed** and their family dedication prayer in the 10:30 service.

13 Thursday – Pray for **Brandi Peachey** in her role as rally leader at Mega Sports camp this week and pray for all the **huddle coaches** as they meet with campers twice each morning. Today is the day for sharing the Gospel and encouraging participants to trust Jesus as their Savior. Pray for a meaningful week for the children in connecting with each other, volunteers, and with Jesus this week.

14 Friday – Pray for **Carrie Kanagy** who traveled to Romania on Tuesday to assist with an English camp in Cluj next week. Pray for Carrie to be a blessing to the students who attend and pray for God to guide her as she works with other volunteers to share the truth and love of Jesus with school age children and young teens. Also let's pray today for **Kyle Derstein** in his mission experience with the Navigators in Nairobi, Kenya this month.

15 Saturday – On this Father's Day weekend lets pray for all the **fathers** in our church family, especially those fathers of young children under 18 in their homes. Pray for courage to be godly men of integrity who use their strength to protect and provide for their families.

We are disciples of Jesus Christ, encouraging all people to become His fully devoted followers