

"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!"







# **Lauvers Mennonite Church**

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"Our mission is to nourish the found and seek the lost through the work of Jesus Christ."

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March 24, 2024

**Greeters:** Curtiss & Robin Kanagy

Sunday School for all ages 9 a.m.

# **Worship Service**

Nursery: Alicia, Jenna

Worship Leader: Elvin Ranck Worship in Song: Tonya's Team

Message: Pastor Curtiss, "The Surprising Kingdom" Luke

19:28-44

# **Last Sunday**

Attendance: 108 Offering: \$3726.71

Next Sunday — March 31 - Easter

Greeters: Tim Fultz Message: Pastor Curtiss

Happy Birthday!
Ike Shawver on March 25
Happy Anniversary!
Brandon & Carrie today!
Nelson & Marilyn on March 30

# **Announcements**

#### 1. Youth Events:

- Saturday, April 6 Yard work at Barb Gingrich's home starting at 9 a.m. Please bring a packed lunch. Rain date is Saturday, April 13.
- Wednesday, April 17 Bible Study at the Martin's home at 7 p.m.
- Sunday, April 21 Hike the 1,000 Steps. Bring a packed lunch. Sunday, April 28 is the rain date.
- 2. **Save the date!** Our **renewal meetings** this year are June 2-4 with Dave Miller as the speaker.
- 3. Easter Weekend Services:

March 28--Maundy Thursday services, 6:30 pm. Meal, Communion and foot washing

March 31—8:00 Easter Sunrise Service

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9:00 Breakfast

10:00 Easter Celebration Service

- 4. **Ladies Fellowship, April 18** at 6:30 at the church. Join us for for an evening of fun as we help Patches of Love Ministry by preparing items for those dealing with cancer at Lewistown, Lewisburg, Danville and Harrisburg hospitals.
- 5. **Committee Members are Needed** for the Building and Fundraising Committees. Please contact a council member if you are interested in serving in this way.
- 6. **VBS 2024 is right around the corner!** There will be signups the beginning of April to register your children and also for the various ways you can help! Start thinking and praying about this wonderful ministry and the ways you can be a part of it. Also pray about who you can invite! Questions can be directed to Michelle or Jenna.

# **Connect with Lauvers!**



To be added to the church email list, send a prayer request, change your directory information, ask a question about Lauvers, etc. scan this QR Code to be taken to the Connect Page on our website.



#### **Upcoming Events**

March 28 - Maundy Thursday meal and Communion, 6; 30 PM

March 31 –Easter Sunrise Service, breakfast and celebration service Children's Church

April 6 – Youth Yard Work @ Barb Gingrich's, 9 AM

April 14 – Prayer Partner Doughnuts & Juice, 8:30 AM

April 17 – Youth Bible Study @ Martin's, 7 PM

April 18 – Ladies Fellowship, 6:30 PM at the church

April 21 – Youth Hike

April 28 – Children's Church

June 2 – 4 – Renewal Meetings

June 9 – 13 – Vacation Bible School

## WHO'S WHO?

- 1. I LIKE TO EAT SOUR CREAM BY THE SPOONFUL.
- 2. I'M SLIGHTLY ALLERGIC TO CATS.
- 3. I HAVE KILLED 4 DEER OVER MY LIFETIME.



LAST WEEK:
Amy Martin

## **Our Church Council**

#### **Elders:**

**Deacons:** 

Mike Clark 717-567-0081 Nevin Glick 717-320-2612 Elvin Ranck 717-363-1077 Ken Gingrich 717-350-6805 Neil Glick 717-513-2717 Wendell Horst 570-541-8784

# Prayer Page

El Olam means Eternal God or Everlasting God. (Appears only 4 times in the Bible.) El Olam is applied to God and his laws, promises, covenant and kingdom. "Don't you know? Haven't you heard? El Olam, Yahweh, the Creator of the ends of the earth, doesn't grow tired or become weary. His understanding is beyond reach. He gives strength to those who grow tired and increases the strength of those who are weak." Isaiah 40:28-29 [Praying the names of God, by A. Spangler]

## **Praises/ Prayer Requests:**

- ~Breanna is planning to have her wisdom teeth extracted this week.
- ~Nicole, Robin's SIL, had surgery on Friday, traveling home tomorrow.
- ~Christopher Cooper died in a local boating accident. Pray for his wife Lynn and 3 children.
- ~The team of students from JCS and chaperones saw the hand of God in the details of their trip to Honduras. Ask them (Jenna, Morgan and Nevin) about their trip.
- ~Volunteer slots are being filled for the new building project: Building Committee and Fund-raising Committee.
- ~Praise God, spring is near!
- ~Charles had a wonderful report with no sign of cancer after his last scan and no blisters in his mouth!
- ~Sydney & Jordan continue to adjust to being parents of baby Zoe Ann.
- ~Plans and details for VBS to come together and to glorify God!
- ~Expectant parents: Monica & Jordan (April), Priscilla & Jordan Lesher (Geneva's sister & B-I-L in April), Adrianna & Daniel (June), Amy & Wyatt (July), Alicia & Ike (August) and *Victoria & Wynn (Nov)*.
- ~Tanner Martin & Kennedy are planning for an August wedding!
- ~Trent Martin & Emma Pannebaker's wedding is planned for 9-21-24!
- ~Pray for salvation of our friends, family, neighbors, co-workers.
- ~Relationships and reconciliation where needed for healing.

Kim Varner will be serving in the Prayer Room with joy this morning! See her or another for immediate prayer needs.