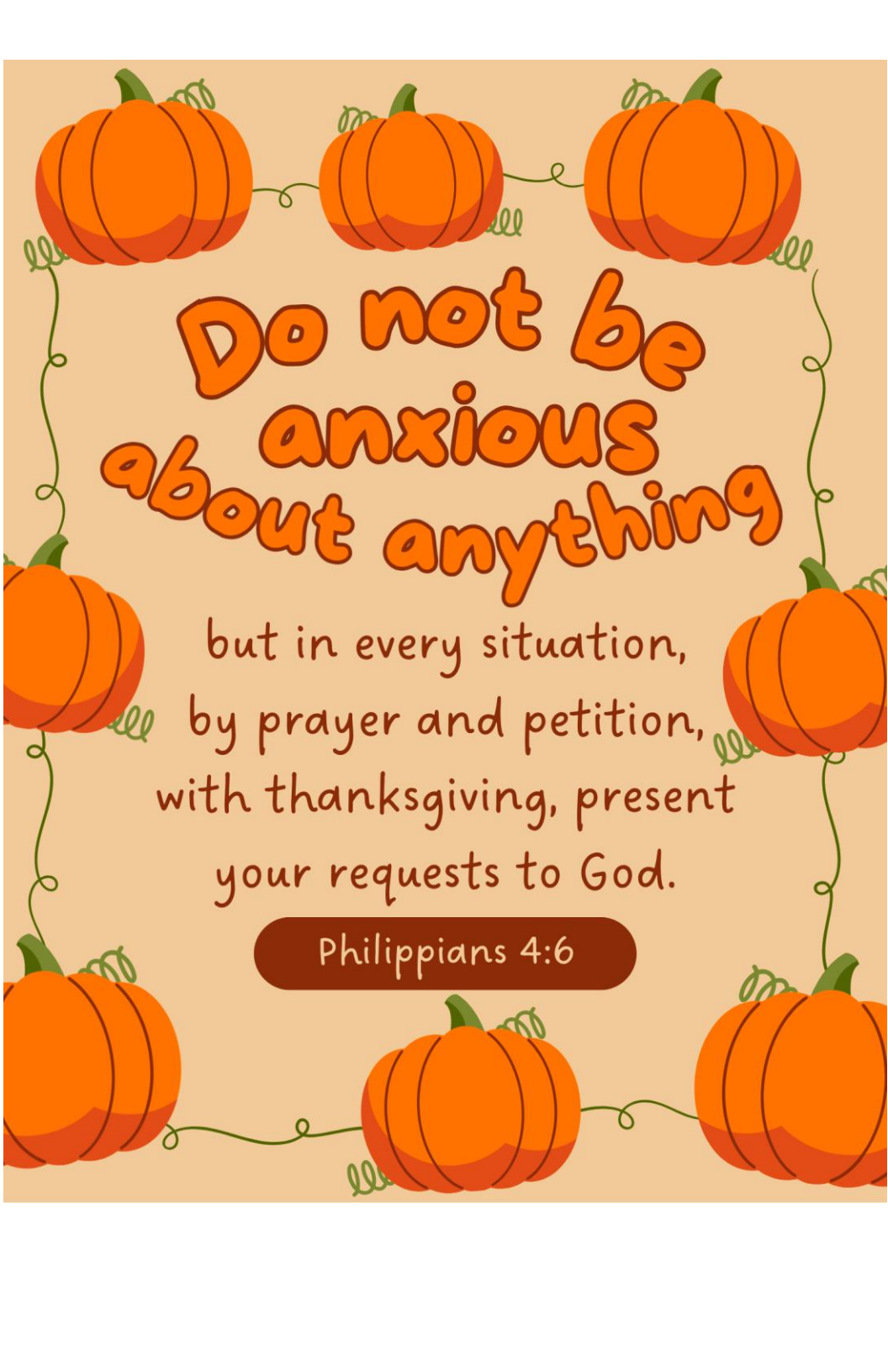




**Do not be
anxious
about anything**

but in every situation,
by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving, present
your requests to God.

Philippians 4:6

welcome to Lauvers Mennonite Church

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

Sunday School - 9:00 AM
Worship Service - 10:00 AM

Pastor Curtiss Kanagy
207-431-8825

October 19, 2025

Greeters: Barb Gingrich

Worship Service

Prelude: Grace Varner

Nursery: Megan/Adrianna

Worship Leader: Eric Brubaker

Worship in Song: Young Adult Team

Message: Pastor Curtiss *“A ‘Walk’ That Pleases God”*

1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

Last Sunday

Attendance: 130

Offering: \$4,231.08

Next Sunday – October 26

Greeters: Tim Fultz

Worship: Eric’s Team

Children’s Church

Message: Elvin Ranck

Happy Birthday!

Neil Glick on Oct 22

Manny Diem and Tim Fultz
on Oct 24

Austin Weaver on Oct 25

Happy Anniversary!

Eric & Michelle on Oct 21



Announcements

1. Once again, we have the opportunity to **show our appreciation to Pastor Curtiss during the month of October.** We invite you to give toward their upcoming trip to Mexico or any other way you wish to express your appreciation. Please place your gifts in the Pastor's mailbox.
2. **A Note of Thanks from Curtiss and Robin:** Robin and I would like to express our gratitude for the many words of affirmation, the work that went into last week's video and the sharing and prayer time. It means more to us than we can possibly express other than to say thank you for sharing your lives with us and for the love we feel as a part of the body of Christ at Lauvers.
3. **The Juniata Valley International Gifts & Bake Sale** will be held at Cedar Grove BIC Church at 287 Deerville Road, Mifflintown, PA, on Thursday, November 13, from 6-8 pm, Friday, November 14, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Saturday, November 15, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
4. **During the month of October, we will be collecting hygiene items and clothes for shoeboxes.** Some common hygiene items are washcloths, toothbrushes (but not toothpaste), band aids, combs, hair accessories, etc. ****Bars of soap are no longer accepted in shoeboxes!**** As for clothes, the ages are 2-14, both boys and girls, and can be anything that fits in the shoebox. Shirts, pants, socks, underwear, hats, and gloves. The donation box is under the coat rack, and you can talk to Lindsey or Michelle if you have any questions, thanks!
5. **Youth Events:**
 - Barn Party at Eric and Michelle's barn at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 1.

Upcoming Events

October 26 – Children's Church

November 1 – Youth Barn Party @ Brubaker's, 7 PM

November 8 – Made to Move @ River Church, 6:30 PM

November 9 – Prayer Partner Meet-Up, 8:30 AM

November 13 & 14 – Juniata Valley International Gift Sale @ Cedar Grove

November 14 – Congregational Meeting @ LMC, 7 PM

November 16 – OCC Shoebox Packing Party



date change!

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14

7 PM AT LMC

Connect with LMC!

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Prayer Page

God's purposes for His people are clearly outlined in Scripture. When we pray according to those purposes, we are praying the very desires on God's heart for His Church. (R LaFountain)

Pray that we trust God to heal our bodies. James 5:14-16

Praises & Prayer Requests:

- ~October is pregnancy and infant loss awareness month. Pray for those who have lost a child, for their grief, longing and hope. See the insert in the bulletin for scripture and other specific prayers.
- ~Gunner had a scope with results of inflammation and a biopsy on a polyp. Pray for healing, wisdom for the doctors advising the family and endurance in waiting for God to move.
- ~Elvin & Charlotte returned from Iraq and enjoyed their visit with Michael's family.
- ~Curtiss's dad is on comfort measures at Brookline.
- ~Jerry's brother, Willy, is diagnosed with multiple myeloma.
- ~Yasir and Manahil celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary. He is recovering from a virus and diabetic coma. They need a place to gather for church services and will start the school soon. Pray for safety in Egypt, in Muslim majority regions and breaking down of barriers to understanding and dialogue.
- ~Samantha Auker has had a great time in Salem, WA learning about discipleship, hearing God's voice, and worldview. It has been very cold there. She and her team returned to North Cascades yesterday.
- ~Ethan Brunner (friend of Daniel Painter's) newlywed.
- ~Church budget; time to pray for direction for each committee/team.
- ~Louise Apple went home this past Friday!
- ~CPYM (Central PA Youth Ministries).
- ~Hanna's mom battling cancer. Pray for strength for the family.

Please ask a prayer team member, Elder or Pastor to pray with you about immediate needs or concerns you may have! We love to pray!