

Tidings  
of  
comfort  
& joy



# 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

## December 28, 2025

**Greeters:** Bruce & Diane Heimbach

### **Worship Service**

Nursery: Jodie/Emma

Worship Leader: Mike Clark

Worship in Song: Tonya's Team

Message: Mike Clark

### **Last Sunday**

Attendance: 138

Offering: \$4866.08

### **Next Sunday** — January 4, 2026

Greeters: Jeff Hoover Family

Message: Darren Peachey

## **Announcements**

1. **Curtiss and Robin are in Mazatlan**, Mexico waiting on Omar and Breanna's firstborn child to enter the world. They will be returning on January 8th, and while they are away if there are any pressing needs please contact one of the Elders using the contact information on the back of the bulletin.
2. **Important Update regarding the Conqueror Series**, "The Battle Plan for Purity" update: Following last week's announcement and talking with several within the congregation, the Elders have agreed to open up the Conqueror series to those under 18 with their parents' consent. We ask that parents of minors who may attend to view part of the series to be informed of the content so they can make the best decision for their child. If you have any questions please talk with Curtiss or one of the Elders.
3. **Conqueror Series Dads**: There are DVD's available to preview the course. See Elvin Ranck for Details.
4. The council would like to thank the congregation for your support, prayers and generosity through the love offering that was shared. We are humbled and grateful. Thank you!
5. **Youth Events**:
  - Work Project at Abundant Blessings on Friday, January 2 at 6 p.m.
  - Bible study at Jason and Jen's on Tuesday, January 20 at 7 p.m.
  - Chopped Competition at Jeff Hoover's on Saturday, January 24 at 6 p.m.

## **Upcoming Events**

January 2 – Youth work project at Abundant Blessings @ 6 PM

January 14 - Conqueror series (the battle for purity) begins

January 20 – Youth Bible study at Jason and Jen's @ 7 PM

January 24 – Youth Chopped Competition at the Hoover's @ 6 PM



## **Connect with LMC!**

### **Our Church Council:**

#### **Elders:**

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## *Prayer Page*

**A Promise from God for when you need wisdom: “If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking.” James 1:5**

### **Praises:**

- ~wisdom from the Lord provides direction for our lives.
- ~Cody and Gina and their children welcomed Reed Asher into their family. Praise God for His blessings!

### **Prayer Requests:**

- ~Samantha & her team are in Indonesia! We can look forward to team newsletters every 2 weeks. Pray for health & adjustments.
- ~Heintzelman family grieving Roger’s death. Wife Heidi and adult children; and others grieving the loss of a loved one over the holidays, that God will meet all of their needs, giving reassurance and that others will show sensitivity.
- ~Marietta—Amish wife, whose husband died in a hunting accident.
- ~those affected by shootings at Brown University in Rhode Island; Bondi, Australia.
- ~Gunner is having infusions monthly, then will switch to injections to control the inflammation in his digestive system. Pray for good results and no side effects. Praise God he does not have pain.
- ~Hanna’s mom, who is receiving care at home. Pray for her to commit her last days to the Lord, and for reconciliation with her family.
- ~Expectant parents: Breanna & Omar (Dec), Lance & Paige (Dec), Adrianna & Daniel (Jan), Bailee and Austin (April), Laura & Wendell (April), Megan & Manny (May).

***Heidi Glick will be serving in the Prayer Room with joy this morning!  
See her or another to pray with you.***