

Open my eyes, that  
I may behold  
*wondrous things*  
out of your law.

Psalm 119:18



# 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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**April 7, 2024**

**Greeters:** Caleb Gehman Family

**Worship Service**

Prelude: Marilyn Swartz

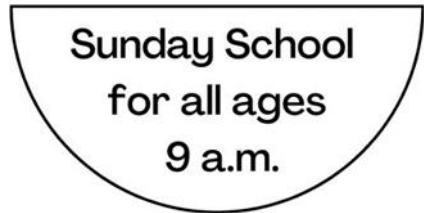
Nursery: Lydia/Lindsey

Worship Leader: Mike Clark

Worship in Song: Tonya's Team

Message: Pastor Curtiss *"Is There Life After Easter?"*

Luke 24:44-53



**Last Sunday**

Attendance: 122

Offering: \$3,142.00

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Children's Offering: \$332.00

**Next Sunday** – April 14

Greeters: Barb Gingrich

Message: Pastor Curtiss



**Happy Birthday!**

Marilyn Swartz on April 9

Jase Graybill on April 10

Dale Gingrich on April 12



## **Announcements**

1. **Committee members are needed** for the Building and Fund-Raising Committees. Contact a council member if you want to help in this way.
2. **Youth Events:**
  - Wednesday, April 17 – Bible Study at the Martin's home at 7.
  - Sunday, April 21 – Hike the 1,000 Steps. Bring a packed lunch. Sunday, April 28 is the rain date.
3. Our congregation is invited to a **hymn sing** at New Hope Bible Church, 310 Raven Lane, Mifflinburg, on April 14 at 6:00 p.m. A homemade ice cream social will follow the service. For more information, contact Marilyn Swartz (717) 994-9910.
4. **Ladies Fellowship, April 18** at 6:30 at the church. Join us for an evening of helping Patches of Love Ministry by preparing items for those dealing with cancer at Lewistown, Lewisburg, Danville and Harrisburg Hospitals. **Please sign up in the foyer if you are planning to come.**
5. **National Day of Prayer is Thursday, May 2.** We will plan to meet at Abundant Blessings. Stay tuned for more information.
6. Mark your calendars for May 10th at 6:30 for an **Ice Cream Social**, for all ages, to kick off our Building Project fundraising. More details to follow.
7. Mark your calendars! **Secret Sisters Reveal Party** will be May 19th at 6:30 p.m. If you didn't participate in secret sisters, you're still welcome to come and socialize! Look for more details to follow!
8. **Save the date!** Our **renewal meetings** will be June 2-4 with Dave Miller as the speaker.
9. **VBS is coming up June 9 to 13.** There will be sign-ups the beginning of April to register your children and also for the various ways you can help. Be thinking and praying about this wonderful ministry and ways you can be a part of it. Also pray about who you can invite. Questions can be directed to Michelle or Jenna.

## Upcoming Events

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 the 1,000 Steps

April 27 – Widow's Luncheon @ Bunkertown Church

April 28 – Children's Church

May 2 – National Day of Prayer

May 10 – Ice Cream Social @ LMC, 6:30 PM

May 19 – Secret Sister Reveal Party @ LMC, 6:30 PM

June 2-4 – Renewal Meetings

June 9-13 – Vacation Bible School

## WHO'S WHO?

1. I HAVE ALL OF MY SUMMER BIBLE SCHOOL ACTIVITY BOOKS, K-8TH GRADE.
2. MY TOUR BUS GOT STONED IN BETHLEHEM.
3. WHEN I SEE OR HEAR A CARDINAL, I PAUSE TO SEE WHAT GOD WANTS ME TO NOTICE.



LAST WEEK:  
Calder Horst

## Our Church Council

### **Elders:**

Mike Clark 717-567-0081

Nevin Glick 717-320-2612

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### **Deacons:**

Ken Gingrich 717-350-6805

Neil Glick 717-513-2717

Wendell Horst 570-541-8784

## Prayer Page

**When we pray to Yahweh Yireh, we are praying to the God who sees the situation beforehand and is able to provide for your needs.** "Abraham...saw a ram... caught by its horns in a bush... and sacrificed it as a burnt offering in place of his son... named that place Yahweh Yireh. On the mountain of Yahweh, it will be provided." Genesis 22:13-14

### **Praises/ Prayer Requests:**

- ~Praises shared last Sunday of God's provision for peace, food ...*
- ~Breanna shared her testimony of how God told her she would have pain, but no complications from having 3 wisdom teeth extracted, and it was so! Praise God she is doing well.*
- ~Nicole, Robins SIL, is recovering at home after reconstruction surgery, still having discomfort and not sleeping well.*
- ~Praise God, spring is near! Enjoy the bright colors of God's creation in this transition! Pray for those affected by flooding, snow, loss of power.*
  
- ~Solar eclipse, safety with special sunglasses and safety spiritually from/for those who are relating mysticism to the eclipse.
- ~Aftermath of the cargo ship and Key Bridge collapse in Baltimore.
- ~Plans and details for VBS to come together and to glorify God!
- ~Expectant parents: Monica & Jordan (April), Priscilla & Jordan Leshner (Geneva's sister & B-I-L in April), Adrianna & Daniel (June), Amy & Wyatt (July), Alicia & Ike (August), 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, and co-workers.
- ~Relationships and reconciliation where needed for healing.

***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!***

Text or call Robin with weekly updates or prayer request for yourself, family member or friend. Cell: (207)431-8874