# The Happenings

# September 5-11, 2021



# **Our Mission:**

# Making And Launching Disciples Of Jesus To Transform Our World

August 29, 2021	
Offering	
General Fund	\$14,853.00
Capital Fund	\$450.00
Children's Sunday School	\$3.85
Attendance	
Worship Service	330
Sunday School	291
Online Views	154

**Next Steps: Membership Exploration Class** begins September 12 during Sunday School. If you are interested please contact Pastor Sebastiano.

**Help Us Fill School Kits for MCC**. Today is the last day to pick up a bag and supply list in the foyer. All bags need to be returned by Sunday, September 12.

Clinton Frame is once again making and selling pulled pork sandwiches at the MCC Relief Sale on Friday, September 24 and Saturday, September 25, and we need volunteers. One change from prior years is that we will not be cooking and cutting the pork this year. We will only be making and selling sandwiches. This is a fun, easy way to help a great cause. A sign-up sheet is at the Info Center in the foyer and an online sign-up will also be emailed. Help is especially needed for the Saturday shifts. Anyone with questions can contact Steven Birkey at (574) 333-1537.

**Fundraiser for Nazareth Man House**, where ex-felons can get help starting a new life, Friday, September 10, 6:30 pm at Clinton Frame Church. There will be a worship service with speaker, Martin Thomas, Executive Director of Nazareth Man House, Indianapolis, IN and guest musician John Schmid, Founder of Common Grounds Prison Ministry, Berlin, OH. A offering will be taken. For more information contact Danny Yoder, 574-536-6439.

**Sunday School Quarterlies & Quiet Hour Devotionals:** We will be collecting and sending used quarterlies and devotionals to Love Packages, Butler, IL. Love Packages ships recycled gospel literature to the mission field all over the world. Please place your used books in the recycle box at the Info Center.

## Wednesday Evening September 8, 2021

5:30 pm Meal/Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm Childcare/Nursery

Kid's Klub

JOY/Sunshine Kitchen Torchbearers/Room 3 MSM/The Rock HSM/The Loft

Ladies Bible Study/Memorial Room
Sermon on the Mount Bible Study/Share

& Care Room

Men's Huddle/Connections

Worship Team

Family Fun In The Park! Sundays we come to church, go home & rest. And then? We want to do something!... Holly & Chet invite you to "Come have fun & get some exercise!" We'll meet at Shanklin Park in Goshen, 5pm, at Tommy's Kid Castle. Smaller kids and a parent can enjoy the playground and swings—older kids, youth and adults can join in on a fun game nearby. It's FUN! and a great way to befriend and get to know others from the community. Bring someone. Invite a family. Backed up with prayer and a willingness to invite & share... God will use this—to bless you, and over time, change lives too!

Praise Moves, have you not heard; God is doing a new thing! Lisa Miller will be offering weekly exercise and stretch classes to build balance, strength and improving posture in your physical body and uplift your mind and spirit as we worship and pray with scripture together in music and movement. Men and women are invited to attend. Classes are located in the gym at Clinton Frame, (enter door O) are free and the public is welcome to attend. (Donations will be accepted for time and equipment offered). Classes will be weekly for 10 weeks starting September 7. Wednesday, 8:30 am, Thursday, 4:30 pm, Thursday, 6:30 pm. There will be one class at the Greencroft Community Center, Tuesdays 8:30 am, that will be slower paced, no floor exercises and a \$6 fee. If you have questions or are interest in attending, contact Lisa Miller, 574-971-6590 or lisa@holistichealingartsbms.com

It's My Coins Count time again this year! Everyone is invited to collect their coins to bring to church now through Sunday, September 19, to be taken to the Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale. Your efforts will help provide clean water to children and families around the world through Mennonite Central Committee and its partners, by building cisterns in Bolivia and DR Congo, drilling wells in Ethiopia and Mozambique, and providing pipes to bring water to villages in India. Access to clean water helps prevent disease, keeps families together, gives them better access to food, health and education and helps people live in peace. Thank you for making a difference in the world through MyCC and Mennonite Central Committee!

Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale, Friday & Saturday, September 24 and 25. The sale begins Friday at 5 pm with activities until 9 pm and continues Saturday 7 am until early afternoon. We have many great things: quilt auction, online auction, food, crafts and dried flowers, Ten Thousand Villages Sale, Children's Auction and Activities, My Coins Count, 2K Fun Walk/5K Run for Relief, Garage Sale and The Sewing Box. Plan now to attend.

**Library Additions:** Church is a Team Sport by Jim Putman offers a strategy for doing ministry together. Dan Schaeffer is the author of In Search of the Real Spirit of Christmas, which explores the meaning of Christmas and how we practice it. Get Real written by Valarie Fish will help you look at yourself and how you live out your faith. Max Lucado is the author of Jesus: The God who Knows your Name, which looks at the life of Christ and its meaning for your walk with him. Girls with Swords: how to carry your cross like a hero by Liz Bevere will help you stand for truth, be courageous, discerning, forgiving, and wise. Thom and Joani Schultz provide a roadmap for energizing Christian education in Why Nobody Learns Much of Anything at Church: and How to Fix It. How to Really Love Your Child written by D. Ross Campbell, M.D. has been revised and updated. This a is a great guide on how to love your children. Drs. Les & Leslie Parrott's book, The Parent You Want to Be will show you that who you are matters more than what you do. The Daniel Plan: 40 Days to a Healthier Life by Rick Warren, Daniel Amen, and Mark Hyman gives simple ways to be good stewards of your health.

All activities and announcements and prayer concerns for the Bulletin and Happenings are due by 10 am on Thursday.

Office Hours: Monday—Thursday, 9 am-3 pm.

# Looking Ahead to Week of September 12-18, 2021

#### Sunday

9:15 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship Service & Livestream

5 pm Family Fun & Exercise/Shanklin Park, Goshen

Tuesday:

9 am ECHD Immunization Clinic/Library

Ladies Bible Study/Sunshine Kitchen

6:30 pm Congregational Oversight Board/Conference Rm

#### Wednesday:

8:30 am Praise Moves/Gym

5:30 pm Wednesday Evening Meal/Fellowship Hall

6:30 pm Childcare/Nursery

Kid's Klub-Preschool/Red Room

Kid's Klub-K-2/Room 3 JOY/Sunshine Kitchen Torchbearers/Room 1 MSM/The Rock

HSM/The Loft

Ladies Bible Study/Memorial Room Sermon on the Mount Bible Study/

Share & Care Room
Men's Huddle/Connections
English Conversation (Sept. 22)

Worship Team

#### Thursday:

7:30 am Men's Prayer/Connections

9:30 am Connect For Moms/Connections

4:30 pm Praise Moves/Gym 6:30 pm Praise Moves/Gym

# Friday:

9 am Classical Conversations/Children's Area

Kingdom Seekers Camp Out Messengers Camp Out

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**Sept. 26** Bring a Friend Sunday

Oct. I Red Cross Blood Drive

Oct. 17 Congregational Meeting