

## Our Mission:

*Making And Launching Disciples Of Jesus To Transform Our World*

### March 26, 2023

#### Offering

General Fund .....	\$28,827.41
Missional Campaign.....	\$3,379.90
Bethany Tuition Fund .....	\$550.00

#### Attendance

Worship .....	329
Online Views .....	133
Sunday School.....	161

**Maundy Thursday Service-** Thursday, April 6 at 6:30pm in the fellowship hall. We will spend time reflecting on Jesus' last moments on earth and what He did for us by dying on the cross. We will have foot washing and communion as well.

**Easter breakfast on April 9-** The congregation is asked to bring a breakfast item to share (ie. casseroles, pastries, fruit, etc.). All dishes should be baked and ready to serve please. The kitchen committee is providing baked oatmeal. Breakfast will begin at 9:15 and end at 10:15, with the Worship service following at 10:30am. We will be providing an Easter devotional and questions to discuss with your tablemates at breakfast time.

**Lost & Found** - Please check the table and coat rack near the Info Center for your lost items. Your spring/fall coat may be one of many on the rack. If you are missing jewelry or earbuds, please check in the church office. Any lost and found items left after today, April 2 will be donated to The Depot.

**Health Kit-** This is your friendly reminder to check out the Clinton Frame Sewing and Fellowship table in the Foyer and pick up a health kit supply list and drawstring bag. These Health Kit bags will be going to Turkey and Syria from the recent Earthquake disasters. Health Kits are due to be returned back to the church today, April 2.

### Looking Ahead to Week of April. 9–April. 15, 2023

#### Sunday:

##### Easter Sunday

9:15 am	No Sunday School
9:15 am	Easter Morning Carry In Breakfast/Fellowship Hall
10:30 am	Worship Service-In-Person & Livestream

#### Monday:

6 pm	Women's Small Group/Children's Area Foyer
7 pm	Men's Small Group/Connections

#### Tuesday:

9:00 am	Ladies Bible Study/Sunshine Kitchen
1:30 pm	Amish School/Sunshine Kitchen

#### Wednesday:

1-5 pm	Library Open
6:30 pm	MSM/The Rock
	HSM/The Loft
	Worship Team Practice/Sanctuary
	VBS Committee/Conference room

#### Thursday:

9:30 am	Connect for Moms/Sunshine Kitchen
6:30 pm	Congregational Oversight Board/Conference Room
7 pm	Gifts Discernment/Connections

#### Friday:

8 am	Classical Conversations/Children's Area
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#### Saturday:

4:30 pm	Messengers/Sunshine Kitchen
6-10 pm	World Coffee Night/Connections

#### Connections This Week:

**Tuesday-Friday:** 6:30-10:30 am

**Thank you** for the donations many of you have already given to our Youth Fundraiser Auction. If you still have items to donate please fill out a form that is at the auction display in the foyer, but hang on to your items until after Easter Sunday. Don't forget to come enjoy good food and fun with the church community on Saturday, April 22nd. Doors open and food will be ready at 4:30. The auction begins at 5:00.

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.

**You are invited** to Connections Coffee Shop Saturday, April 15 from 6-10 p.m. for World Coffee Night! We'll be serving up coffee from around the world; from Costa Rica to Kenya, Myanmar to Papua New Guinea and more! Come taste the differences in each coffee and enjoy special desserts that evening, as well. Bring a friend and take a trip around the world with us!

**Spring is here** and soon it will be summer! Bair Lake Bible camp is a Christian camp located approximately 40 minutes north in Jones, MI. They offer a wide variety of summer camps for individuals and families. If you are interested in learning more, stop by the info center today and pick up a brochure or visit [blbc.com](http://blbc.com) to learn more.

**Jay and I** would like to thank the congregation for your prayers, phone calls, cards and meals for our recent surgeries. We are blessed to belong to such a caring community of faith. Jay & Joyce Yoder

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

**Apr. 6** Maundy Thursday Service

**Apr. 7** Red Cross Blood Drive

**Apr. 9** Easter Sunday

**Apr. 15** World Coffee Night

**Apr. 22** Youth Fundraiser Auction

**May. 7** Baptism Sunday