

Praise & Worship Service

September 25, 2022



Warwick River Mennonite Church

A congregation of
Mennonite Church USA

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WELCOME HOME TO Warwick River Mennonite Church

In-person Sunday School: 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Virtual Coffee Connect: 10 a.m.

In-person and Virtual Worship Service: 10:40 a.m.

In-person Coffee Connect follows Worship Service

Recorded Sermons available at www.warwickrivermennonite.org

District Overseer – David Lehman
Christian Education Chair - Ann Aulich
Fellowship Chair - Theresa Siebels
Worship Chair - Stuart Hunnicutt

Church Elder – Tammara Geary
Stewardship Chair - Tom Salyers
Outreach Chair - Sue Yoder
Members-at-Large - Laura Siebels &
Ursula Bock

Secretary - Pat O'Connor office hours: Tuesday – Friday, 9:30am – 3:30pm

Serving Today:

*Various song leaders will contribute to today's
special worship service*

Worship Leader: Susan Ackerman

Reader: Steve Fannin

Zoom Host: Mackenzie Butler Shenk

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HOW TO CONNECT

***Worship Service * Sunday School * Meetings ***

Computer: [Click Here](#) to enter Zoom Meeting

*MEETING ID: 846 7407 1811

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*If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to
Mackenzie Butler Shenk (740-868-0016) or Don Brunk (610-787-0823)*

-- Gathering --

Welcome

***Hymn of Praise and Gathering**

Call to Worship (Revelation 5:11-14):

Then I looked...and I heard...the voice of many angels, numbering myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice,

“Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!”

And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying,

“To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!”

And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” and the elders fell down and worshiped.

***Hymn of Preparation**

-- Hearing from God’s Word --

Scripture Reading: Psalm 147

***Hymns of Praise and Worship**

-- Responding to Worship --

Sharing of Blessings and Concerns

Offertory Prayer & Offertory

Sharing of Announcements

-- Sending --

***Song of Sending**

Benediction (1 Timothy 1:17)

To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Gift Giving (FY = Fiscal Year)

FY2022 runs 12/01/2021 through 11/30/2022

Annual operating expense budget: \$191,710.00

Attendance Report

September 18, 2022

Worship Service: 39 ~ Sunday School: 10

Offering Report September 18, 2022

\$ 6,827.00 In-person & Mail Offertory totals this week toward FY2022

\$ 452.00 Long Green Mennonite Cemetery Fund

\$ 7,279.00 Offertory Total 9/18/2022

Budget Offertory collected YTD 12/01/2021-09/18/2022= \$102,867.62

Total Budgeted need 12/01/2021-09/18/2022=\$154,842.66

Thank you for your continued gifts to God and Church

Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops.

Proverbs 3:9



Building News Corner

This Week’s Building Fund Update

09/04/2022 Building Fund Balance to date \$ 1,532,538.05*

09/11/2022 0.00

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(*includes \$12,947.05 estimated value stock shares)



Warwick River Mennonite Church
is grateful for your financial support and
committed to exercising faithful stewardship
over the funds contributed.

We are very aware of the many sacrifices you make to provide these gifts, and sincerely pledge to see that these dollars are used wisely.

To assist everyone in making consistent offerings that are so important to your church, we are now able to accept ACH savings/checking drafts and PayPal.

For PayPal, you may go directly to: [Donate \(paypal.com\)](https://www.paypal.com)

Prayer and Praise Requests:

- ❖ *Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. ~ Philippians 4:6-7*
- ❖ Please pray for those among us who are grieving loved ones today, whether their loss was long ago or recent, we remember their names, their laughter, and their sweet smiles. May the Lord comfort us in our time.
- ❖ Praise God for the new partnership program created by Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary (AMBS), Meserete Kristos Seminary and Mennonite Mission Network, which offers a master's level curriculum in theology to Ethiopian students. Pray for the students, as well as for Henok Mekonin and Joe Sawatzky, who are jointly supported by AMBS and Mission Network, as they provide leadership.
- ❖ *Prayer and Praise concerns are always welcome & may be requested or updated by calling or emailing Pat O'Connor in the front office: (757)-874-0794 or warwickrivermc@gmail.com*

Happy Birthday!

September 26 Brandon Stover
September 27 Jessica (Saunders) Lasris
September 28 Phil Cassel
September 30 Jim Boldy // Martha Young

Weekly Events:

- ❖ *Sun., Sept. 25th: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School*
- ❖ *Sun., Sept. 25th: 10:40 a.m. Worship Service & Coffee Connect*
- ❖ *Tues., Sept. 27th: 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Community Prayer Group meets in the Warwick River Chapel*

Announcements:

VIRGINIA MENONITE RELIEF SALE

Friday, Sept 30th, 4-9PM and Oct 1st, 7AM – 2PM at the Rockingham County Fairgrounds, Harrisonburg, VA. Events include Farmer's Market, Music, Food, a 5k Race, Auction, and more! For more information, visit www.vareliefsale.com

THRIVE FOOD PANTRY MOST NEEDED THIS MONTH:

Jelly, Canned Fruit, Cereal and Canned Peas. SAVE YOUR PAPER BAGS with handles (such as those from Lidl, Trader Joes, and Whole Foods). Collections can be dropped off in Pat's Office at WRCLC and in the Chapel.