November 6, 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:

Guest Speaker: Mark Marvuglio
Worship Leader: Kathryn Baer
Song Leader: Stuart Hunnicutt
Reader: Jan Dennis
Zoom Host: Leanna Schrock
Greeters: James Salyers & Chris Miller

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HOW TO CONNECT

*Worship Service * Sunday School * Meetings *

Computer: Click Here to enter Zoom Meeting
*MEETING ID: 846 7407 1811
*PASSWORD: 809884

Phone: 929-205-6099
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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:

Leader: The Lord is my light and my salvation;

All: whom shall I fear?

Leader: The Lord is the stronghold of my life;

All: of whom shall I be afraid?

One thing I ask of you, O Lord,

And that I will pursue:

To live in your house all the days of my life,

To behold your beauty and to seek you in the temple.

*Hymn of Preparation

-- Hearing from God's Word --

Scripture Reading: We extend a very special welcome and sincere

thanks to our Guest Speaker, Mark Marvuglio, for

bringing the message this morning.

Worship Service Title: As displayed on screen slides

-Mark Marvuglio

-- Responding to Worship --

*Hymn of Response

Sharing of Blessings and Concerns Offertory Prayer & Offertory Sharing of Announcements

-- Sending --

*Song of Sending

Prayer of Sending:

May God bless and keep you.

May the very face of God shine on you and be gracious to you.

May God's presence embrace you and give you peace.



Gift Giving (FY = Fiscal Year)

FY2022 runs 12/01/2021 through 11/30/2022 Annual operating expense budget: \$191,710.00

Attendance Report October 30, 2022

Worship Service: 38 ~ Sunday School: 7

Offering Report October 30, 2022

\$ 7,014.00 In-person & Mail Offertory totals this week toward FY2022 \$ 500.00 designated to THRIVE Ingathering 2022

\$ 7,514.00 Offertory Total 10/30/2022

Budget Offertory collected YTD 12/01/2021-10/30/2022= \$121,276.87 Total Budgeted need 12/01/2021-10/30/2022=\$176,963.04

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

10/23/2022 Building Fund Balance to date

\$ 1,532,638.05*

10/30/2022

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10/30/2022 Building Fund Balance to date

(*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: <u>Donate (paypal.com)</u>

Prayer and Praise Requests:

- We come together in prayer asking His guidance and wise counsel for the Pastoral Search Committee. May God's wisdom and providence be over them; May God give them peace with decisions made and may God's will be done in our Church.
- ❖ Please continue to pray for Jan Dennis as she undergoes further testing seeking diagnosis of the cause of the severe pain she is experiencing. Two MRIs are scheduled (11/18 and 11/19/22).
- ❖ "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 healing and health for all who continue their journey of recovery from the Coronavirus Covid-19.
- ❖ 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!

November 7 Emma Shenk

November 9 Pauline Nice // Austin Hodges

November 10 Noah Shenk

November 11 Ethan Boldy // Noah Boldy // Corey Paster

November 13 Edie Holsopple

Happy Anniversary!

November 9 Ernie & Ruth Ann Miller

Shout Out to Everyone Who Came Out for Trunk or Treat!

Trunk or Treat was a huge success! Many people from the community came out and were blessed by our church!



Upcoming Events:

- Sun., Nov. 6th: Daylight Saving Time Ends & Standard Time Begins
- Sun., Nov. 6th: Sunday School, Worship Service & Coffee Connect
- ❖ Tues., Nov 8th: 4:00 6:00 p.m. Community Prayer Group at Chapel
- ❖ Sun., Nov. 20th: Ingathering Sunday

Announcements:

SAVE THE DATE! START BAKING & FREEZING FOR COOKIE WALK, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2022:

Warwick River Christian Learning Center resumes the WRCLC Cookie Walk & Cookie donations are needed! Questions? Ann Aulich: 757-870-2042 or aulichwrcs@yahoo.com

INGATHERING SUNDAY:

Ingathering will be on November 20th during the morning Worship Service. More details to follow!

PREPARING!

Poinsettias & Christmas Trees for Advent & Christmas

<u>POINSETTIAS</u>: Again, this year, the Worship Commission would like to invite people to purchase a poinsettia in honor or memory of a loved one that could be used for decoration in the chapel for the first three weeks of Advent. On December 18th we would encourage those who purchased a poinsettia to take their poinsettia home with them for Christmas. The cost for one poinsettia this year is \$19.99. The poinsettias will be purchased from Anderson's and delivered to the chapel through a special program Anderson's has established for churches in Hampton Roads. The deadline for purchasing a poinsettia is Sunday, November 20. For the first Sunday of Advent, we will print out a list of who donated the poinsettia (being listed as anonymous is an option) and for whom the poinsettia was in honor or memory of.

<u>CHRISTMAS TREES</u>: New this year – we would like to purchase no more than 5-10 Christmas trees to decorate the outdoor front circle drive of the Warwick River Church, as was done before the pandemic. If you would like to purchase a tree in honor or memory of a loved one the cost will be \$50.00.

Please contact Pat O'Connor via telephone or email to place your order. We do ask that checks be made payable to Warwick River Mennonite Church with clear spellings of the person or persons you wish to memorialize or honor.