

March 15, 2026
“The Upside-Down Kingdom”
~Guest speaker Adam Carrier



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 AM

Virtual Coffee Connect: 10 AM

In-person and Virtual Worship Service: 10:40 AM

In-person Coffee Connect follows Worship Service

Recorded Sermons available at www.warwickrivermennonite.org

Leadership

Church office hours: 10:30 AM – 4:30 PM Friday. If you have questions, concerns, or compliments you may contact any of the following people.

Steve Wiebe-Johnson, Pastor
MaryDawn Carrier, Congregation Chair
Chris Miller, Elder & Council Co-Chair
Sue Yoder, Outreach Chair
Adam Carrier, Stewardship Chair
Member-At-Large



Serving Today

Sermon: Guest speaker Adam Carrier

Worship Leader: Twila Blume

Song Leader: Don Brunk

Reader: John Ovington

Zoom Host: Don Brunk

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

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

*MEETING ID: 846 7407 1811

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Questions: Don Brunk 610-787-0823

-- *Gathering* --

Welcome

Fourth Sunday of Lent

*Song of Gathering

*Call to Worship

One: We gather for worship,
seeking a kingdom that is not of this world.

All: *"Your Kingdom come!
Your will be done on earth!"*

One: We pray.
Then we look around . . .
Where is it? What is truth?

One: We gather for worship,
asking questions and staying the course.
We pray again and again,

All: *"Your kingdom come!"*

One: Looking and longing . . .
Where is it? Where are you?

One: We gather for worship
and find that God is here.

All: *On earth as in heaven.*

One: God's kingdom now and not yet;
here and in the world to come.

All: *Let us worship our God.*

*Song of Preparation

-- *Hearing God's Word* --

Scripture Reading: John 18:28-40

Sermon: "The Upside-Down Kingdom"

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-- Responding to Worship --

***Hymn of Response**

Sermon/message response
Sharing of Blessings and Concerns
Sharing of Announcements
Offertory Prayer & Offertory

-- Sending --

***Song of Sending**

***Sending Blessing**

As you go, may you listen for God
in the discordant melodies of your life,
seeking to live in the upside-down kingdom that is here,
but also yet to come.
May you go with Christ's peace surrounding you,
to practice a different kind of power.

Go in Peace

Upcoming Events

- ❖ *Today, Mar 15th* 9:30 Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Sunday Worship Service
- ❖ *Today, Mar 15th* Fellowship meal after the service
- ❖ *Today, Mar 15th* Council meeting after the fellowship meal
- ❖ *Tues., Mar 17th* 3:30-5:30 p.m. WRMC Community Prayer Drop-in
(outdoors in front of Warwick River Christian school)
- ❖ *Thurs., Mar 26th* 6-8:30 p.m. Threads Together sewing group
- ❖ *Sun., Mar 29th* Palm Sunday
- ❖ *Thurs., Apr 2nd* 6:30-7 p.m. Maundy Thursday



Please know we are committed to faithful stewardship of every gift God entrusts to us. We honor the many sacrifices made in giving and seek to use each contribution wisely and with care. You are invited to prayerfully consider tithing and giving as you are willing and able and we thank you for your continued interest in & support of the ministry of Warwick River Mennonite Church.
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Happy Birthday!

Mar 15 Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson

Mar 16 Scott Mumaw

Mar 17 Pat Leming

Mar 19 Leigha Sawyer

Mar 22 Steve Ziegler

Mar 29 Nicholas Mumaw

Mar 31 Karen Mumaw

Prayer and Praise Requests

*Healer of our ev'ry ill,
Light of each tomorrow,
give us peace beyond our fear,
and hope beyond our sorrow.
HWB, Healer of our every ill, #377*

- ❖ We pray God to unite us in love that is wide enough to embrace the world and personal enough to notice the one.
- ❖ **Prayer Request for Our Pastor and Church Family:** Please join in praying for our pastor as he faithfully leads us forward in the ways of the Lord. Ask God to grant him wisdom, strength, and daily encouragement, and to surround him and his family with peace. Let us also pray for one another — that we walk together in unity and grace, supporting and uplifting each other. May we know the peace of Christ in our day and reflect His love in all we do.
- ❖ **Pray for Nelson Baer** as he receives medical care in the hospital.
- ❖ Prayer and bulletin updates, contact Church Elder Chris Miller, or Church Secretary Twila Blume (757-874-0794) (warwickrivermc@gmail.com).