

Welcome
to
Warwick River Mennonite Church

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We are an Anabaptist Christian congregation of Mennonite Church USA emphasizing peace, community and following Jesus Christ

~~~ Nov. 1, 2026 ~~~

Sunday School (in person):	9:30 -10:30 AM
Coffee Connect (virtual):	10:00 AM
Worship Service (in person and virtual):	10:40 AM
Coffee Connect (in person):	After worship service

Recorded Sermons available at www.warwickrivermennonite.org

Serving Today:

Sermon: Pastor Steve Wiebe-Johnson
Worship Leader: Twila Blume
Song Leader: Don Brunk
Reader: Salyers Family
Zoom Host: Don Brunk

Gathering

Welcome

Song of Gathering

Call to Worship VT 851

Leader: Jesus calls us to praise and prayer,
to song and silence:
People: Jesus calls us to worship.
Leader: Jesus calls us to hearing and healing,
to service and solidarity**.**
People: Jesus calls us to love.
Leader: Jesus calls us to advocacy and action,
to protest and provision**.**
People: Jesus calls us to justice.
Leader: We hear the call of Christ.
All: We worship together with joy.

Song of Worship and Praise

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading: Psalm 22: 1-2; Psalm 13: 1-3;
Isaiah 53: 1-3; John 11: 31-36
Sermon: "Recognizing our Trauma, Loss and Grief", Part 3
Pastor Steve Wiebe-Johnson

For reflection: Take time to reflect upon your own experiences of trauma, loss, and grief.
How have they impacted you in your journey?
How have you experienced healing? Or not?

Responding to Worship

Song of Response

Sermon/message response
Sharing of blessings and concerns
Offertory prayer and giving
Sharing of announcements

Sending

Song of Sending

Benediction VT 1066

May the Christ who walks on wounded feet
walk with you on the road.
May the Christ who serves with wounded hands
stretch out your hands to serve.
May the Christ who loves with a wounded heart
open your hearts to love.
May you see the face of Christ
In everyone you meet,
And may everyone you meet
see the face of Christ in you.

Go in Peace

Prayer Requests

- **Pray for continued healing and wellbeing** for those that have had recent health issues: **Susan Ackerman, Nelson Baer, Jan Dennis and Ted and Snooky Yoder.**
- **Pray for Leona Ross** as she adjusts to her new location. Riverside Lifelong Health & Rehabilitation 672 Gloucester Rd, Room 32A, Saluda, VA 23149. She loves visitors!

Upcoming Events

Sun., Nov.1	9:30 AM Sunday School 10:40 AM Worship
Sun., Nov 1	Remembrance Day. WRM Cemetery. Place and light candles 5-6 p.m. Visiting time is 5-8 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 3	3:30-4:45 PM WRMC Community Prayer Drop-in (outdoors in front of Warwick River Christian school)
Sun, Nov. 22	Ingathering Sunday

Announcements

- **Ingathering Sunday is Nov 22nd.** Food items will be collected to support Thrive Peninsula. Suggested items are listed below.
- **Worship commission** is looking for anyone who is interested in helping with the **Christmas Eve** service as a choir singer or scripture reader. Please reach out to Micah Shenk if you are interested.
- **Council and worship commission** seek someone to lead activities with community involvement .

Ingathering Suggested Food Items

3 cans meat or fish	1 box breakfast cereal (ready to eat)
2 cans fruit	2 boxes macaroni & cheese
2 cans vegetables	1 jar peanut butter
2 large boxes jello	1 jar jelly
2 cans soup	1 small box dry/powdered milk
1 box instant potatoes	1 bag hard candy
1 jar spaghetti sauce & 1 box of pasta	

Giving and Receiving

Thank you for your continued gifts to God and Church. We are committed to faithful stewardship of every gift entrusted to us. We are grateful for your continued interest in and support of the ministry of Warwick River Mennonite Church.

Donate (paypal.com)

Contact Us: The church administration office is open Tues. and Thurs., from 9am to 1pm. Office contact information is listed at the top of this bulletin. Contact information for church leaders is listed here.

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HOW TO CONNECT

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

Computer: Click Here to enter Zoom Meeting

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