

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. 8, 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: Steve Fannin
Worship Leader: Mackenzie Butler Shenk
Song Leader: Micah Shenk
Reader: John Ovington
Zoom Host: Mackenzie Butler Shenk

Gathering

Welcome Psalm 24 *Leader reads bold/all read light*

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it,
the world, and those who live in it,
for he has founded it on the seas
and established it on the rivers.
Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord?
And who shall stand in his holy place?
Those who have clean hands and pure hearts,
who do not lift up their souls to what is false
and do not swear deceitfully.
They will receive blessing from the Lord
and vindication from the God of their salvation.
Such is the company of those who seek him,
who seek the face of the God of Jacob. ***Selah [pause]***

Lift up your heads, O gates!
and be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in!
Who is the King of glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty,
the Lord, mighty in battle.
Lift up your heads, O gates!
and be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in!
Who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts,
he is the King of glory. Selah

Song of Gathering

Call to Worship Psalm 19:1-6, 14 *Leader reads bold/all read light*

The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.
Day to day pours forth speech,
and night to night declares knowledge.
There is no speech, nor are there words;
their voice is not heard;

yet their voice goes out through all the earth
and their words to the end of the world.
In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,
which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy,
and like a strong man runs its course with joy.
Its rising is from the end of the heavens
and its circuit to the end of them,
and nothing is hid from its heat.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable to you,
O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading: Job 38: 1-33
Sermon: "An Audacious Claim" Steve Fannin

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 Philippians 4: 8-9

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about[i] these things. ...and the God of peace will be with 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, Leona Ross.**
- **Pray for Warwick River Christian school and local school teachers,** staff and students as they head into the busy holiday season.

Upcoming Events

Sun., Nov. 8	9:30 AM Sunday School 10:40 AM Worship Christmas Choir Practice immediately following service
Tues., Nov. 10	3:30-4:45 PM WRMC Community Prayer Drop-in (outdoors in front of Warwick River Christian school)
Thurs., Nov. 12	6:00-8:00 PM Threads Together
Sun., Nov. 15	Communion and Fellowship Dinner
Sun, Nov. 22	Ingathering Sunday

Happy Birthday!

Pauline Nice, Nov. 9 Noah Shenk, Nov. 10
Archer Carrier, Nov 13

Announcements

- **Ingathering Sunday is Nov 22nd.** Food items will be collected to support Thrive Peninsula. Suggested items are on today's insert.
- **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 .

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.

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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 ***

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Ingathering Sunday

NOVEMBER 22, 2026

Suggested Food Items:

- 3 CANS MEAT OR FISH
- 2 CANS FRUIT
- 2 CANS VEGETABLES
- 2 LARGE BOXES JELLO
- 2 CANS SOUP
- 1 BOX INSTANT POTATOES
- 1 JAR SPAGHETTI SAUCE & 1 BOX PASTA
- 1 BOX BREAKFAST CEREAL (READY TO EAT)
- 2 BOXES MACARONI & CHEESE
- 1 JAR PEANUT BUTTER
- 1 JAR JELLY
- 1 SMALL BOX DRY/POWDERED MILK
- 1 BAG HARD CANDY

