

2010 Mission Festival

First Mennonite Church

Berne, Indiana

November 14



**PROCLAIM
THE GOSPEL
OF CHRIST !**

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

ORGANIST - Dr. Scott Lehman  SONG LEADER- Brent Hyman

Prelude *In Christ There Is No East or West/Brunner*

Welcome Brent Hyman

*Call to Worship: #108 [brown] Responsive Reading Brent Hyman

**You're the Lion of Judah*

**Days of Elijah*

Movie: *Evangelism Inspiration*

**Mighty to Save*

Prayer for Unreached Pastor Jeff Linthicum

Offering for Missions Festival
Prayer led by Pastor Jeff Linthicum

Offertory *Jesus Saves*
Chancel Choir

Guests please fill out the cards in the pew and drop in the offering plate.

Scripture Romans 15:14-21/Kenyon Sprunger

*Theme Song: #443 [brown] *O Zion, Haste*
Children may bring their banks forward

Introduction of our Guest Speaker Marie Nussbaum

Message Don Rheinheimer

*229 [blue] *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore*

Prayer & Share Naomi Lehman

Mission Moment: Shekhar Singh Dave
Bauman

*#226 [blue] *You Are Salt for the Earth*

*Benediction Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*Postlude *Lord, You Give the Great Commission/Young*

**We invite you to stand if you are able*
TODAY AT FIRST MENNONITE

On the scanner and TV today is the Chapel class.

We welcome Don & Jan Rheinheimer to the pulpit this morning and this evening for our worship services.

Offerings today are for Mission Festival, unless envelopes are marked otherwise.

Lima Rescue Mission Food Shower concludes for the week. Representatives from the mission will be here tomorrow to collect items.

Children age 3-grade 5 will have special Mission Festival activities during the morning and evening worship services. For the morning worship services only, children are to come to the sanctuary for the first part of worship and then will be dismissed to go to their activities.

- 1:30 p.m.** Junior Quiz meet here at our church. All are welcome to attend.
- 6:30 p.m.** Mission Festival – sanctuary – Don & Jan Rheinheimer will be speaking. Mission Festival offering will be taken.
- 6:30 - 8 p.m.** Youth – Bowling and pizza at Haworth Lanes. Meet at Haworth's. Cost is \$2.50/game plus \$3 for pizza. Parents can pick up kids between 7:30-8 p.m. at Haworth Lanes.
- 6:30 p.m.** Children's Festival – Age 3-K will meet at the bottom of the ramp. Grades 1-5 will meet in the chapel.
- 8:00 p.m.** Youth Bell Choir

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY – November 15

- 6:30 p.m.** Ministries Council

TUESDAY - November 16

- 6:30 p.m.** Sunshine Hour
- 7:00 p.m.** Mennonite Choral Society Rehearsal
- 7-9 p.m.** Prayer Room is open to anyone for a prayer meeting.

WEDNESDAY - November 17

- 5:00 p.m.** Adult Bell Choir
- 5:45 p.m.** Fellowship Meal
- 6:10 p.m.** Children's Choir Rehearsals
- 6:50 p.m.** Imago Dei
- 7:00 p.m.** Nursery for up to age 2
- 7:00 p.m.** *Instant Lessons for Toddlers* in age 2 classroom
- 7:00 p.m.** Age 4-K - *Bible People* in classroom at bottom of ramp
- 7:00 p.m.** Grades 1-5 Christmas Program Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m.** Chapel Service- Naomi Lehman - *Isaac*
- 7:00 p.m.** *Dwell* - Room 15 Time of worship and prayer
- 7:00 p.m.** Women's Ministries (Women in Mission)
- 7:00 p.m.** *God Speaks* -- class for women in room 13, hosted by Women's Ministries. This class is for the purpose of sharing God's personal and specific message. The Scripture and sermon from the previous Sunday will typically be the focus.
- 7:00 p.m.** Prayer Shawl Ministry
- 7:00 p.m.** Prayer Room for corporate prayer

8:15 p.m.

Chancel Choir

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The offering today is for Mission Festival. Next Sunday it is for Ohio Mennonite Conference.

Menu for Wednesday, November 17: Ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert & beverage.

On Tuesdays for the month of November, the Loyal Workers class will be setting up the tables for the Wednesday evening meals.

The Church will be closed and locked on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. Contact Kent Frank @ 525-2525 to unlock for emergencies.

Men's Fraternity will be starting this Wednesday, November 17, for men ages 18 and up. Come and enjoy fellowship and studying God's word to help you grow in your Christian life. There will be two sessions and you can choose which one you want. The morning session starts at 6:00 A.M., includes rolls and coffee and ends at 7:30 A.M. This session meets down by the kitchen. A session will also meet Wednesday evening and will start at 6:50 P.M. The cost is \$10 for the book and a donation for the rolls and coffee.

Nov 21st at 7 PM is the annual Community Thanksgiving Service at the West Missionary Church. The speaker this year is Rev. Kent Fahl with very special music from various churches. Please join us for fellowship and worship together in this special event!

The Prayer Room Committee is planning a 24-hour prayer time for Nov. 19 and 20. It will run from 7:00 PM Fri. to 7:00 PM Sat. Since this is near Thanksgiving, the focus will be on Praise and Thanksgiving. Some guidelines/suggestions will be provided. Please sign up for your time on the sheet by the Prayer Room. Let's take advantage of this time to focus on the praise that is due our Lord.

Perspectives on the World Christian Movement will give you a new view of History! It demonstrates how God has used people like you to carry His message to the unreached throughout the annals of His Kingdom. Each week, an outstanding qualified instructor will show you strategic dimensions of what God is doing in our world today. Starts on January 9th at First Mennonite.

Thank You! The Mission Festival happens because so many give generously of their time and abilities. Many thanks to these and others who worked to create this year's events: the missionaries who give us a clear picture of their work; the planning committee, decorating committee, lodging and meal committee, kitchen committee, children's committee, transportation committee, and Carol Garringer for doing the Mission Festival brochure.

Multi-purpose Building Pledge Update:

	Pledges	Payments	
Initial Pledges	\$2,029,412.45	\$1,441,411.12	71.0%
Paid in Full	<u>\$ 97,385.70</u>	<u>\$ 61,668.66</u>	63.3%
Combined	\$2,126,798.15	\$1,503,079.78	70.7%

UPDATE ON THE CHURCH'S FINANCES

As of the end of October, we have the following balances on hand:

Benevolence Treasury	- \$ 3,103
Household Treasury	- \$ 24,552

Actual spending compared to the approved plan for the Household Treasury is as follows:

	<u>YTD Actual</u>	<u>YTD Plan</u>
Disciple Commission	\$34,026	\$43,833
Witness Commission	538	3,125
Worship Commission	6,564	8,132
Care Commission	9,883	15,417
Personnel	323,318	328,958
General Administration	28,640	35,458
Church Property & Maintenance	<u>67,965</u>	<u>92,208</u>
Total Household Treasury	\$470,934	\$527,131