



JUNE 30, 2024

FREEDOM CELEBRATION

Freedom Only

CHRIST

Can Give

AMC
arthur mennonite church

By 2027, Arthur Mennonite Church will become a community of children and adults who build deeper relationships with each other.

AMC'S VISION
NURTURE THE
FUTURE CHURCH

We will guide our children to learn God's Word and know Jesus personally. Opportunities for the spiritual growth of all ages will be provided as we boldly share God's love to the world.

Welcome to AMC!

Are you a first time guest? We're glad you're here!

Nursery is available for children ages 5 and under. Buddy bags for older children are available in the foyer at the back of the sanctuary.

GET
CONNECTED



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CONTACT US

MINISTERS

All of Jesus' Followers here at AMC

MINISTRY TEAM

Glen Rhodes (Team Leader):

Discipling & Worship

Nancy Kuhns: *Community Life*

Emily Kauffman: *Outreach*

Les Helmuth: *Administration*

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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GET
INVOLVED

CHRISTIAN ED. CLASSES
9:30 A.M. EACH SUNDAY

ADULTS

FELLOWSHIP HALL

Hope In the Lord

PRIMARY KIDS (AGE 2—GRADE 5)

WEST BASEMENT

Gospel Light

JR HIGH YOUTH (Grades 6-8) AND
HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH (Grades 9-12)

AT YOUTH HOUSE

Acts 1-12

ASK ABOUT LIFE GROUPS!

JOIN ONE AND GET CONNECTED!

AMC YOUTH GROUP
JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

The next Youth Event will be on Sunday, July 14. More details to come in next week's bulletin.

Christian Education Reminder

The AMC Youth meet every Sunday morning at 9:30 am at the Youth House for Bible Study, Discussion, and conversations. There are drinks/food!

Led by Cory & Emily Kauffman

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Freedom Celebration: Freedom Only Christ Can Give"

John 8:31-36; John 3:16

Emily Kauffman, Minister of Outreach

Today's Worship Service

Join us on-site or on Facebook Live
starting at 10:25am

Songs of Praise and Worship

The Lord Is By My Side

He Calls Me Friend

***Call To Worship**

**Through Christ In Me*

**Lord, I Am Fondly, Earnestly (BL514)*

**Be Exalted, O God (BR5)*

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Moment in Mission

Global Encounters: Kendall Burdick

Tithes & Offering Prayer

Scripture Readings

Genesis 3:1-19 | 2 Corinthians 5:11-21

Intercessory Prayer

Message

Prayer of Response

Sending Song

Jesus Saves! (BR306 v.1,4)

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance

Worship Celebration 130

C.E. Classes 49

Offering

Total Offering - June 23 \$4,855

*General Fund - \$4,755

*Building Fund - \$100

2024 Weekly Goal \$4,911

Budget Goal YTD +8.2%

Tithes & Offerings can be placed in the boxes at the back of the Sanctuary or online through the church app/website.



Mennonite
Central
Committee



SCHOOL KITS

Items Needed (New only)

- 4 spiral or perforated-page notebooks (8.5x11in & approx.140 pages)
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (must indicate 30cm)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 4 new black or blue ballpoint pens
- 1 small all-metal pencil sharpener

The MCC School Kits will be assembled prior to the Arthur Mennonite Relief Sale.

Please place any of these items in the large tub in the foyer.

If you are able to help sew the bags, or have any questions, talk to Emily Kauffman.

CHURCH & COMMUNITY

- Brittnay Yoder's Grandpa & Dad (health)
- Joe Miller family (Lamar M. brother passed)
- Kevin & Michelle Everhart (newlyweds)
- Margie Checkley (Judy Beachey sister, health)
- Vernon Chupp (healing, prostheses)
- Clara Wood's Family (Son in Law passed)
- Faye Yoder (Edna G. sister in CO, health)
- Esther Yoder (Arthur Home)
- Brinley Herschberger (brain surgery, healing)

NATION & WORLD

- Summer Camps at Menno Haven
- Wars in Israel, Gaza & Ukraine (Peace)
- Revival & people turning back to God
- Families/Marriages/Children/Seniors
- AMC supported Missionaries
Prknovi, Birky, Schrock, Wigginton

PRAYER REQUESTS

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



**THIS
WEEK**

TODAY

9:30am:
CE Classes
10:30am: Worship
6pm: Discipling
Comm. Meeting

MONDAY

5pm:
Relief Sale
Committee
Meeting

TUESDAY

6pm:
AMC leads
Arthur Home
Service

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30am: CE Classes
10:30am: Worship
11:30am: Playground &
Sign Dedication
11:40am: First Sunday
Fellowship Meal and
Diaper Shower
12:45pm: Cong. Meeting

5th Sunday Offering Today

The AMC Administration Commission is designating today's 5th Sunday offering to help support this year's Arthur Mennonite Relief Sale. Make note of this as you plan your giving.

First Sunday Fellowship Meal and Congregational Meeting Next Sunday

Bring a dish and stay for our First Sunday Fellowship Meal next Sunday. There is always plenty for everyone! We will also have our 2nd quarter congregational meeting in the church sanctuary following the meal. Join us as we hear what is happening in our five church commissions and what is being planned for the future.

Diaper Shower Next Sunday

Community Life will be having a diaper shower for Tony Pearsall & Hannah Keown next Sunday in conjunction with the fellowship meal. Help us bless this couple and Raelynn by bringing Huggies, Luvs, or Pampers in sizes 1 or 2.

Playground & Sign Dedication

Following next Sunday's worship service, we will gather outside to dedicate and pray over the two new recent additions to our church property before going in for our fellowship meal. The playground has already blessed many families & the sign has been a nice update for AMC and the neighborhood.

Life Groups At AMC

Life Groups are an important part of our small group Bible study/discipleship/relationship ministry here at AMC. The Discipling Commission encourages everyone to join a group and grow in your faith and support of each other. Sign up on the foyer bulletin board today to be part of a group!

Baptisms & New Members

On July 14, we will be receiving new members into our church family: Ronnie & Renee Olivero, April Carter, and Larry Miller. If you have been baptized and would like to become a member at AMC please talk to a Ministry Team member.

On Sunday, August 4 we will be celebrating Baptism Sunday here at AMC with quite a few baptisms during the worship service. If you would like to be baptized (poured) on this day please talk to a Ministry Team member soon about this.

Questions Please!

What questions do you have about our faith, the Bible, theology, heaven/hell, salvation, or anything else related to Christianity? Glen will be starting a sermon series soon using those questions as a starting point. He will not be able to cover them all but he wants to know what's on your mind and what you have questions about? Fill out the paper on the small table in the foyer and drop it in the box soon.

JULY REMINDERS

Fellowship Meal Helpers Next Sunday:

Luke & Katie M, Jamison & Cheyanne M, Debbie M, Erica and Kendall S

Third Sunday Breakfast: Legacy

Pathfinders: Vernon & Irlene

Legacy: Matt & Jacque L.

Homebuilders: Debby K. & Karen L.

Care and Share: Carol Y, Delilah E, Sarah S, Lela R, Phyllis K

SWS Visitor this week: Amanda Chupp

Nursery Today: Harold Y. & Jackie C.

Next Sunday: Zeb & Kendra H.