### Mill Creek Church of the Brethren Associate Pastor Appreciation Sunday

October 27. 2024 10:00 a.m. Music as We Gather Welcome and Announcements "O Jesus. I Have Promised" Arr. Rick Parks Prelude Bringing in the Light of Christ \*Call to Worship (Psalm 34) One: I will bless the LORD at all times; All: His praise shall continually be in my mouth. One: My soul makes its boast in the LORD; Let the humble hear and be glad. All: Oh, magnify the LORD with me, One: All: And let us exalt His name together! "This is My Father's World" \*Hymn Blue 154 (Children may leave for Children's Church) \*Invocation Sharing of Joys and Concerns **Morning Prayer** "Have Thine Own Way" Blue 504 Hymn **Blessing of Offering** \*Doxology (Blue 119A) \*Prayer of Dedication Scripture Mark 10:46-52 Anthem "Shine. Jesus. Shine" **Chancel Choir** "Throw the Cloak" Message \*Hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory" Blue 366 \*Benediction \*Postlude "Praise the Lord!" Carol Kumler \*Those who are able are invited to stand.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH – AGES 3 THRU GRADE 5 (Sanctuary Basement) TEACHER: Josh Bollinger HELPER: Andrew Bollinger

### **Assisting in Worship**

MORNING MESSAGE: Pastor Ryan McAllister WORSHIP LEADER: Eric Humphries CHORISTER: Carlyle Cline ORGANIST: Kaye Cline PIANIST: Becky Echard ACOLYTE: Luke Miller AUDIO/VISUAL: Jon Wenger NURSERY: Emma & Delane Bailey, Angie Somma LIVESTREAM: Jamin Engel, Dick Halterman, Ben Martin, Brant Somma USHERS: Andy Brunk, Larry Wheeler HEAD USHER: Gary Cline

## Today - October 27, 2024

8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Handbells Puppet Ministry in Jr. High Room Worship Service, Children's Church, Livestream worship (9:50 prelude)
11:00 a.m.	Sunday School
12:00 noon	Council Meal
1:00 p.m.	Council Meeting
3:30-5:00 p.m.	Mill Creek Trunk or Treat (see announcement)

Children, ages 2-4 & grades K-5 attending Sunday School, may be picked up in the Sanctuary at noon, after Sunday School is over.

#### **This Week**

Oct. 28, 7:00 p.m. Nurture Commission in Chapel Oct. 28, 7:00 p.m. Personnel & Nominating Commission in Library Oct. 28, 7:00 p.m. NO Missions & Service Commission meeting October 30 -- Wednesday Evening Activities 5:30-6:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal in Social Hall Menu served by Dennis & Lou Dellinger, Will & Brooke Goodwin (Friends and neighbors welcome) Chili, corn bread, tossed salad, pumpkin pie, iced tea and coffee 6:30-7:00 p.m. Mill Creek Kids in the Chapel 7:00-7:30 p.m. Little Angels, Kingdom Kidz Club Youth Hang Time – Sr. Highs, Sr. High Room; 6:30-7:30 p.m. Jr. Highs, Jr. High Room **Chancel Choir** 6:30-7:30 p.m. **Bible Study** 6:30 p.m. Praise Team 7:45-8:45 p.m.

Scripture Readings – Ruth 1:1-18; Psalm 146; Deuteronomy 6:1-9; Psalm 119:1-8; Hebrews 9:11-14; Mark 12:28-34

## Next Sunday – November 3, 2024 Junior High Sunday - Daylight Saving Time Ends

8:30 a.m.Handbells9:00 a.m.Coffee Hour, hosted by Friends & Followers Class9:00 a.m.Puppet Ministry in Jr. High Room10:00 a.m.Worship Service (Jr. High Sunday)Livestream worship (9:50 prelude)

# Last Sunday - October 20, 2024

Worship: 188 General Offering: \$4,470.00 N. Southerly/Ghana: \$375.00 Sunday School: 113 Disaster Buckets: \$1,200.00 Backpacks: \$200.00

### Mark Your Calendar

November 1, 7 pmDistrict Conference Worship at Pleasant Valley COBNovember 2, 8:30am-3pmDistrict Conference at Harrisonburg 1st COBNovember 4, 6:15 p.m.District Conference at Harrisonburg 1st COBNovember 4, 6:00 p.m.Ministry Commission in LibraryNovember 4, 7:00 p.m.Evangelism Commission in Friends &<br/>Board MeetingNovember 6, 7:00 a.m.Men's Prayer Breakfast at Village Inn

# **Monthly Worship Schedule**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday – Coffee Hour, Children's Choir, Handbells 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday – Chancel Choir, Youth Worship, Children's Church 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – Praise Team 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Chancel Choir, Children's Church 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Praise Team, Puppets

#### Announcements



**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ends** 2 a.m. next Sunday morning. Remember to set your clocks back 1 hour on Saturday evening!

COUNCIL MEAL TODAY--the Sr. Highs will be serving the meal immediately following Sunday School and before the Council meeting. This fundraiser is for activities throughout the year and for National Youth Conference in 2026! Please make plans to stay and enjoy delicious Marry Me Chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls,

and assorted fall-themed desserts.

**TRUNK OR TREAT TODAY!** Mill Creek Church of the Brethren Trunk or Treat will be today, 3:30-5 p.m. in the church side parking lot. Please be set up and ready by 3 p.m. Event will be rain or shine.

Operation Christmas Child, BDM, Nov. Birthdays/Anniversaries, & More Announcements →

**THE NAVIGATION CENTER**, a new facility offering services to the homeless in partnership with Open Doors and the City of Harrisonburg, is opening in early November. The Center will be home to a year-round low-barrier shelter for 72 single adults and a daytime drop-in center that will offer various health and human services. The goal of the project is to provide safe and inclusive shelter, and to extend critical services to the greater Harrisonburg and Rockingham Community. The Center will also offer laundry facilities to those in need. As a former board member, I'm hoping to partner with our church to provide laundry detergent as they open. If you can contribute, please drop off laundry detergent (no pods) in the area across from Lucinda's office. For more information, please feel free to contact me at 540.746.2292. Thanks for your continuing support. ~Lee Ann Jackson

**DISASTER CLEANING BUCKETS** – With the recent hurricanes, we will continue our disaster bucket fundraising campaign. The cost to provide and fill a bucket is around \$85. Sunday School classes and individuals may help by making a donation to the church (mark your check memo line "Disaster Cleaning Buckets" and if using an envelope, please also mark the envelope). Donations may be dropped in the offering box, dropped by the

office, or mailed to the church. To help **Brethren Disaster Ministries** financially, donations can be made by using this QR-code to navigate through our secure online giving site or by making a donation to the church (mark your check memo line "Brethren Disaster Ministries" and if using an envelope, please also mark the envelope). Donations may be placed in an offering box, dropped by the office, or mailed to the church



**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - It's time again to fill boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Boxes are available in the gathering area and are due at the church no later than Nov. 24. Remember to use the adhesive labels to indicate the age group and whether the box is

for a boy or girl. Additional details are available in the bulletin and on the table in the gathering area. A \$10 donation is requested to help cover the cost of shipping, If you have any questions, please contact Jean Andrews.

November Birthdays (65 & up)			
4 Jim Weaver	22 Lou Dellinger		
10 Bill Hartman	27 Jean Burkholder		
Linda Failes	28 Gerry Beam		
21 Lynn Hill	30 Milton Jarrels		
21 Judi Hutton			
<u>November Anniversaries</u>			
1 Eric & Ashley Myers	20 Bob & Bethany Prevatt		
4 Steve & Beth Gillette	25 Allen & Mary Gillette		
19 Lynn & Donna Hill	Bob & Dorothy Wright		

26 Joel & Danielle Geisert

