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### WORSHIP SERVICES:

8:00 & 10:30AM  
EACH SUNDAY

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

FOR ALL  
AGE GROUPS  
BEGINS AT 9:25 AM

### CHURCH STAFF

#### PASTORS

STEVE SLAGEL  
MERLE HOSTETLER

#### CUSTODIANS

EAY & JENNY VANDAELE  
JUNIOR SCHROCK

### OFFICE HOURS:

MON-FRI  
9AM-12PM

#### STEVE:

MON-THURS  
536-1461

#### MERLE:

MONDAY,  
WED-FRIDAY  
849-4654

### Offering: January 29, 2012

General Fund:	\$ 7,850.51
Building Fund:	170.00
Food Pantry:	120.00
MCC Canner:	50.00
MYF Investor:	100.00
Children's SS:	8.62
The Window:	50.00
Mutual Aid Fund:	100.00
Fellowship Comm:	8.00
CPT:	50.00
	<u>\$ 8,507.13</u>

Needed per Sunday: \$ 6,323.56

Amount behind budget: \$ 966.21

Attendance on January 29: 177

### Guests on January 29:

*Emily Schrock, Eli Schrock, Alisha Bender, Diane Gangwer, Rick & Deb Roth, Dave & Aldene Holsopple, Olivia Ressler, Elizabeth Watson, Jenna Ramseyer, Josh Gross, Carol Kauffman*

### TODAY:

Young Adults and College Students are invited to the Fellowship Hall, after Worship, for a noon meal!

### THIS WEEK AT EGMC:

#### Today:

12:00pm—Young Adult Meal

#### Wednesday:

6:30pm—Team Kid

6:30pm—JFrogs

7:00pm—MYF

#### Thursday:

9:30am—Greencroft Gathering

7:00pm—Program Team

#### Saturday:

Youth Sponsor Retreat

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### February 15

6:30pm—MYF Investor Event at Manor 3, Greencroft

#### February 22

6:00pm—Ash Wednesday Service

#### February 28

7:00am—Men's Breakfast

We have completed another successful **MCC Canner** session. We canned 68,000 pounds of Turkey meat, resulting in 37,000 cans of meat. This is a special thanks to all who helped with the work, the MYF and Sponsors and many individuals. Mike and Janice Eigsti hosted two of the Canner Truck men. Thank you to all for the financial support. Our congregation contributed **\$2650** for the project. **WOW!**

Annual Empty Bowl Fundraiser:

### SOUP AND BREAD DINNER

To benefit Goshen Interfaith Hospitality Network

Saturday, February 25th

5pm-8pm

Mill Race Center Farmers Market

212 W Washington

\$15 for a handmade bowl, delicious soup, bread and beverage provided by area restaurants and guild members.

### PRAY FOR . . .

**Barb Eiler**, as she recovers from surgery on her wrist.

**Erma Shirk**, who had a fall last Sunday and a partial hip replacement on Monday.

**Dorothea Troyer** and her family in the death of her Mother, last week.

**Katrina**, a guest of our food pantry, who is experiencing marriage and financial difficulties.

**Heidi Siemens-Rhodes**, Sister-in-Law to Sara Chupp, and family as she continues her battle with cancer.

**Nedra**, Ellis Shetler's sister, whose recent test reports are positive.

**Mayor Kauffman and the Goshen City Council**, as they are faced with some difficult choices this week regarding the Goshen Housing Authority and housing assistance needs in our community

The Elders invite you to join them in praying for the **Stewardship Team** in their planning and work at our church.

### In other places:

**Micah & Lucy Loucks**, serving in Northern Ireland.

**Lana, Andy & Aaron Miller**, with MCC in Southeast Asia.

**Adrian & Susie Troyer**, serving in Northern Africa.

**Hannah Grieser**, on SST in Peru.

### Those unable to attend:

Flossie Yoder, David Bontrager, Genevieve Buckwalter, Milo Stalter, Darlene Martin, Clayton Sutter, Dora Troyer, Melvin Miller, Ruth Bauman, Dale Sherman

**From the Finance Commission:**  
 Earlier this week the EGMC financial results for 2011 were e-mailed to all members. Additionally, paper copies of the reports are now available near the mailboxes for anyone we may have missed.

## MYF AUCTION

The MYF bi-annual auction will be held **May 12th** at the church. You are invited to help raise funds for our youth to participate in service projects and conventions.

We invite you to be creative in thinking of ways you want to donate!

**THANK YOU** to all who contributed to the **60 Health Kits for MCC**. An IHN mother and 3 year old daughter helped to bag them. They will be moved to the MCC Resource Center after the MCC canner leaves.



Tickets are still available for the **Feb. 19 Performing Arts Series** concert at 7 p.m. in the Music Center's Sauder Concert Hall. Maestro and GC alumnus *Vance George* will be joined by the Toledo Symphony and Goshen College choirs to perform Gabriel Fauré's much-loved Requim, in addition to music by Bach, Haydn and Copland. For 23 years, George was director of the San Francisco Symphony Chorus, one of the finest of its kind in the world. Cost: \$45, \$40, \$25. For ticket information, call (574) 535-7566 or order online at [www.goshen.edu/tickets](http://www.goshen.edu/tickets).

### MISSING:

The worship Committee is missing 3 large plastic storage crates that were placed in the closet in the old sanctuary. If you know where these are, please contact the church office. Thanks!

### Sisters and Brothers,

The PCRC is in the process of preparing a survey for all members and attendee's to participate in. The purpose of the survey is to help our pastors in making sure that all persons involved at East Goshen are being cared for spiritually as well as pastorally. Each person will receive two surveys, one for each pastor. Our plan is to have the survey's to all participants by March 4. We will begin to process the survey's by mid March. We ask that you be in prayer for this process.

-The PCRC

### Visit Day at Bethany:

Students in grades 3-11 interested in exploring Bethany Christian Schools can shadow a Bethany student on Monday, Feb. 20 (President's Day), 7:45 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Parents are invited to a time of coffee and conversation 7:45-8:15 a.m. followed by optional tours. For more information or to schedule a visit on another date, contact the admissions director at 534-2567.



**Love coffee?** Then come to the Goshen College Afternoon Sabbatical in the Music

Center's Sauder Concert Hall on **Tuesday, Feb. 14, at 1 p.m.**, for a delightful performance of The "Coffee" Cantata by J.S. Bach. Community School of the Arts String Director Rosalyn Troiano coordinates a "merry band" of instrumentalists as they perform this humorous cantata, featuring Danille Svonavec, soprano; Scott Hochstetler, baritone; and Jeff Martin, tenor.

**Benton Mennonite Church** (CR 44 in Benton) is hosting a breakfast fundraiser for Sonshine Children's Ministry (the day care) in Millersburg, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, from 7 to 10 a.m. We'll be serving a variety of hot breakfast items and beverages. The public is welcome and we would love to see all of you there!

## You're Invited.....

**"Is the Gospel of peace still relevant?"** led by John D. Roth, Goshen College professor of history, on February 19, 6 p.m. at **Menno-Hof, Shippshewana, Ind.** Since 9/11 and the growing divisions within our national political culture, some Anabaptist congregations have begun to reconsider traditional understandings of nonresistance. Our young people today do not face the question of military conscription and arguments supporting the "war on terror" can sound compelling. Join in a conversation focused on these important issues. **RSVP is required** as seating is limited: [info@mennohof.org](mailto:info@mennohof.org) or 260-768-4117.

### AMIGO:

Do you support the ministry of Amigo Centre? Contact Steve Slagel if you are interested in serving as our **Amigo Centre representative**

**Please Note:** A new email address for Marv Graber....

[marvg88@gmail.com](mailto:marvg88@gmail.com)

### NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP . . . .

*One who restores*

#### Scriptures

**Mark 1:40-45**

**2 Kings 5:1-14**

**Psalm 30**

**1 Corinthians 9:24-27**

#### 8:00 Interpretation:

Barb Slagel

#### 10:30 Message:

Barb Slagel

#### Toddler Care

Ray & Jenny VanDaele

#### Greencroft Van Driver

Ken Mullett (202-8580)