

Join us for the City Fresh 2016 Season! Wednesdays from 3:45-6:30pm from Until September 21st!

Yes, you read that right! Brother Dan has offered to run the City Fresh stop an extra month so that we can continue to share and connect with our neighbors during the peak of God's garden goodness. Thank you to all of you who have prayed for this ministry and volunteered to help. A big thank you to all of you who have donated to provide shares to the Southeast Clergy Hunger Center! We have matched the Church of the Master donation! We can always accept more donations for the Hunger Center. Let April know if you'd like to contribute a \$16 share!

Ways to pray for this ministry:

- * That we may be God's light to our community
- * For volunteers that help make this possible
- * For the kids and teachers at the Day Care as they learn more about gardening and try new veggies. Some kids are finding they are gifted in gardening!
- * For our relationship with the SE Hunger Center to grow

Needs:

Volunteers! Thank you to those who have volunteered so far! There are still openings for volunteers, mostly for help between 3:45 - 6:30 each week, especially in September. Please see April to sign up!

Consider donating \$16 to buy a share for the Hunger Center. Our goal is to provide at least 2 per week for them!

Running a weekly "City Fresh Stop" is a ministry of Friendship Mennonite Church and several area agencies/individuals/churches. City Fresh is a Cleveland area CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) program. Pick up is on Wednesdays June 15 through September 21st. Visit www.cityfresh.org for more info.



Happy Birthday!



Keep these people in your prayers as they celebrate another year of life!

***Contact the church office for a
list of upcoming birthdays***

Friendship Mennonite Church

July 31, 2016

Welcome
Call to Worship
Songs of Praise
Scripture Reading: Exodus 20:1-6; Romans 5:6-11
Sermon: *"God is Jealous: We Are Desired"*
Brother Dan Hooley
Responding Song
Congregational Sharing & Prayer
Offering
Penny Power Offering
Announcements
Sending Song

Visiting this week?

Welcome to Friendship Mennonite Church!

We are so glad you've joined us for worship! We hope you find a place to belong and consider joining us in God's mission. We are looking for people to join us who are interested in learning more about Jesus, becoming a disciple and finding out God's purpose in life!

Announcements

- **Pastoral Search Update:** The Pastoral Search Committee has completed the Congregational Information Form and is beginning to review candidates for the job of FMC pastor. Please contact Maria Witmer-Rich (m_witmer_rich@hotmail.com, 216.235.4467) if you have a name of someone that you would like to suggest as a candidate for pastor at FMC.
- **Potluck after Worship** Join today after church for a pizza potluck! Pizza will be provided – all are welcome!
- **Bicycle Donations Needed** Bedford Heights Day Care, which meets in our building during the week, is looking for donations of all sizes of bikes. Let Cara Speros know if you have a bike that you are able to donate.
- **Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale** This year's sale will be held on August 5 & 6. The sale location has changed and will be held at the Wayne County Fairgrounds, located at 199 Vanover Street in Wooster. Many events will take place over the two days and all donations benefit Mennonite Central Committee's relief efforts throughout the world. For more information, go to ohiomccreliefsale.org
- **The latest issue of THE MARKETPLACE** is in the magazine rack by the library in the lobby. This is the publication of the MENNONITE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION "where Christian faith gets down to business."
- **Hymn Sing** The Aurora Mennonite Church invites you to participate in a Community Hymn Sing on Sunday, August 7 at 6:00. This will be a time of singing and fellowship with refreshments to follow. The church is located at 59 E. Mennonite Road (corner of SR 43 and Mennonite Rd.) Aurora, OH. For more information, call 330-562-8011 or email auroramenn@windstream.net.
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** MAMA Project: \$90.00

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Nate Stehouwer

Piano: Callie Speros

Sunday School Nursery: None

Worship Nursery: Mary Wright

Sunday Building Trustee: Stehouwer Family

Song Leader: Rachel Miller

Usher: Elizabeth Jones

Greeter: Bill Speight

A/V Team: Ben Speros

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Shirley Coblentz

Usher: Todd Miller

SS Nursery: None

A/V Team: Eric Miller

Song Leader: Rhonda Savage

Greeter: Ryan Claassen

Worship Nursery: Maria Witmer-Rich

Sunday Building Trustee: Witmer-Rich Family

Looking Ahead

TODAY

August 5 & 6

Sunday, August 14

Potluck Lunch after Worship

Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale in Wooster

Worship at Friendship Retreat 10:45 am

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:

\$683.00

Weekly Budget:

\$1371.00

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Worship at Friendship Retreat



In 2 weeks!

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10:45 am

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