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Coffee Fellowship 8:45 AM

Worship Service 9:15 AM • Sunday School 10:40 AM

December 14, 2025

Welcome, Announcements, & Advent Skit

Greeting Time

Congregational Singing

Message - Pastor Adam Peachey

John Has Arrived - Luke 1:57-80

Congregational Singing

Baptism for Gage Fultz - Pastor Adam Peachey

Sharing Time - Kendrick Zook

An offering box is placed at the exits of the sanctuary.

Sunday School ~ 10:40 - 11:45 AM

Adult Superintendent - Lavern Peachey
Children's Superintendents ~ Marlene Peachey, Sonny Peachey

Nursery

A *quiet nursery* is available outside the back of the auditorium. An *active nursery* is located in the Sunday school wing and is staffed during the worship service (at the start of the message, after congregational singing) through the Sunday school hour. Those serving in nursery today are:

- ► Lester & Shirley Peachey Morning Worship
- ► Ted & Amanda Hart Sunday School

Juli Sunderland is serving in the library today.

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Upcoming Events

Tues, Dec 16: Leadership Prayer Meeting, 7 PM

Sun, Dec 21: Christmas Program, 7 PM

Sun, Dec 28: Building Fund Special Offering

Mon, Dec 29: Building Team Meeting, 7 PM

Tues, Jan 6: Ladies' Sewing Circle, 8 AM - 2 PM

Tues, Jan 6: Leadership Team Meeting, 7 PM

Mon, Jan 12: Ministry Directors Meeting, 7 PM

Tues, Jan 13: Fresh Encounters for Women, 6:45 - 8 PM

Wed, Jan 14: Worship Ministry Team Meeting, 7 PM

Wed, Jan 28: Annual Congregational Meeting, 7 PM

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

SHINE Jr. High

- Wed, Jan 7: Bible study 7 8:30 PM at Adam & Becca's
- Sun, Jan 18: Slinky Action Zone

KOL Sr. High

- Wed, Dec 17: Christmas party 7 PM at church
- Wed, Jan 7: Bible study 7 PM at church
- Sat, Jan 17: Progressive Dinner

SABBATICAL INFORMATION

During Pastor Bob's sabbatical (Dec 1- Feb 28), the following people will assume these responsibilities:

- Various individuals will be leading the Sharing Times Sunday morning
- Phone Tree announcements will be shared by Adam and Randy, please call 717-483-6774 and press 1
- Transportation requests may be directed to Dart Hartzler
- Benevolent requests may be directed to Jason Peachey or Ken Peachey
- Hospitalization notifications may be given to Adam and Randy

BUILDING FUND SPECIAL OFFERING

Please note that the Building Offering that typically takes place on the 5th Sunday will be received on December 28. The total cash-in-hand amount raised to date is \$1,085,677.72. Please continue to be in prayer for the building process.

THANKSGIVING OFFERING

Thank you all for your generosity in giving towards the Thanksgiving Offering! A total of **\$27,829** was received!

The list of recipients are:

- Antoine and Chris van den Assem (Vision for Asia)
- Backyard Club
- Central PA Youth Ministries (Lewistown Focus)
- Crossroads Pregnancy
 Center
- Dion and Naty Peachey (Frontier Ventures)
- Gideons International
- Habitat for Humanity
- Pablo and Rosa Gallego (Partners in Evangelism)
- Shelter Services
- Valley View Benevolence Fund
- Doug and Amanda Boozel (Doug is receiving ongoing Lymes Disease treatments)
- Jonathan and Kelsey Peachey
- Neil and Luann Renno (Their house needs to be replaced due to mold)
- Tyler and Dawn Peachey (medical expenses)

BCS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Belleville Christian School invites you to their annual Christmas concert, *Exalt the King!* The program will be presented on Thursday, December 18, 2025 at both 1:00pm and 6:30pm.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Our church is responsible for Meals on Wheels December 16, 18, & 30. If you can deliver or help in the kitchen please let Sonny know!

QUIET CHRISTMAS

Experience the soft sounds of Christmas presented by local musicians. featuring vocalists, piano, organ, trumpets, violin, cello, guitar, flute, handbells, and choir on Friday, December 19, 7:00 pm at the First United Methodist Church, 200 East 3rd Street, Lewistown. Snow date is Saturday, December 20. Come escape the "busy-ness" of the season and enjoy a quiet evening of Christmas worship and reflection. Donations benefit the Theil & Andrea Kauffman Memorial Bible Fund. All are welcome!

Service Notes

December 14, 2025

Last Week's Service - December 7, 2025

Worship Attendance - 221

Sunday School Attendance - 195

Church Phone - (717) 483-6774 Prayer Chain Message: ext. 1

Announcements: announcements@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 2

Danielle Peachey, Secretary - secretary@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 2

Randy Sunderland, Admin. Pastor - randy@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 3

Bob Zook, Care Ministry Pastor - Sabbatical Dec 1, 2025 - Feb 28, 2026

Adam Peachey, Teaching Pastor - adam@allensvillemennonite.org, ext 5

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