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

NOVEMBER 23, 2025

MISSIONS SUNDAY

Prelude - Betty Hostetler

Welcome, Announcements, Devo - Rod Kauffman

Congregational Singing

Message - Ramy & Ruba Elias

Congregational Singing

Thanksgiving Offering

Sharing Time - Pastor Bob Zook

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

Sunday School ~ 10:40 - 11:45 AM

ADULTS MEET IN SANCTUARY TODAY

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:

- ► Kaitlin Byler & Bri Hartzler Morning Worship
- Jason & Lori Kauffman Sunday School

Juli Sunderland is serving in the library today.

Upcoming Events

TODAY: GriefShare, 3:30 PM

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

Tues, Dec 2: Leadership Team Meeting, 7 PM

Fri, Dec 5: Jr. Department Christmas Party, 6 - 8 PM

Tues, Dec 9: Fresh Encounters for Women, 6:45 - 8 PM

Wed, Dec 10: Building Team Meeting, 7 PM

Tues, Dec 16: Leadership Prayer Meeting, 7 PM

Sun, Dec 21: Christmas Program, 7 PM

Sun, Dec 28: Building Fund Special Offering

Wed, Jan 28: Annual Congregational Meeting, 7 PM

Service Notes

November 23, 2025

Last Week's Service - November 16, 2025

Worship Attendance - 176

Sunday School Attendance - 166

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

SHINE Jr. High

- Wed, Dec 3: Bible study 7 8:30 PM at John & Ally's
- Sun, Dec 7: Christmas party 4 PM at church

KOL Sr. High

- Sun, Nov 30: Practice for leading morning worship 8:30 AM at church
- Wed, Dec 3: Bible study 7 PM at church
- Wed, Dec 17: Christmas party 7 PM at church

SUNDAY SCHOOL & FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Adult classes will meet in the sanctuary for Sunday school today. All are welcome join us for a carry-in fellowship meal in the basement following the Sunday school hour.

JR. DEPARTMENT CHRISTMAS PARTY

All of those in the Jr. Department Sunday School classes (2 year old through 5th grade) are invited to gather on Friday, December 5 between 6 and 8 pm in the church basement for a Christmas party. We will have a Christmas movie playing along with various Christmas related activities and snacks. Parents are welcome to stay to join in on the fun, or drop off your kiddos and come back to pick up at 8!

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank those in the congregation who donated to the shipping cost of the Operation Christmas child shoe boxes. The Junior Department was able to pay for the shipping of all the boxes our church sent. Thanks so much for helping us with our fall offering project!

THANKSGIVING OFFERING

An opportunity to worship through giving! A Thanksgiving Offering will be received this morning.

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)

Those who would like to give but are unprepared to do so today can ear mark your check or envelope on Nov 30th as "Thanksgiving Offering".

*Please note, the Building Offering that typically takes place on the 5th Sunday will be received on Dec 28.

NATIVITY DISPLAY

Watts Memorial UMC is once again hosting their Nativity Display in the church on the corner of Walnut and Green Streets in Belleville. The event will be held on Thanksgiving, November 27, 3 - 5 PM; Friday and Saturday, November 28 & 29, 10 AM - 5 PM; and Sunday, November 30, 11 AM - 2 PM. There will also be a craft bazaar and bake sale in the church basement on Friday and Saturday only.

Approximately 500 nativities of all shapes and sizes will be on display in our sanctuary. We invite you to pause for a moment in this busy holiday season to remember the true meaning of Christmas. Please join us!

ST JOHN'S GIFT SHOW

St. John's 14th Annual Holiday Gift Show is Friday, November 28, from 9am-3pm and Saturday, November 29, from 9am-1pm. Various proceeds benefit St. John's Christian Daycare and Preschool.

There are many returning vendors this year, with the addition of several new ones, offering a wide variety of hand-crafted gifts. Homemade ham potpie, soups, and other foods will be available to eat-in or take-out, along with a selection of homemade baked goods.

Daisy Lane Flowers is once again supplying the live mixed green wreaths for \$30.00, which includes a homemade bow of your choice. We hope you will come to browse, buy and eat!

TUITION ASSISTANCE DONATIONS

A total of \$6,500 was requested for tuition assistance to BCS. If you would like to give towards that need, please notate your donation with "tuition assistance" and place it in the offering.

MISSIONS UPDATES

If anyone is not receiving mission updates and would like to, please contact Mindi Kauffman at amcmissions@allensvillemennonite.org or text (717) 437-1879 with your name and the email address so you can begin receiving updates electronically.

RI JOB OPENINGS

Rosedale International is seeking the following:

Food Services Coordinator to oversee all aspects of food preparation, service, and kitchen management at the Rosedale International Center in Columbus, Ohio. If you are passionate about food, nutrition, and hospitality—and enjoy serving people in a Christ-centered environment—we would love to hear from you!

Personnel Facilitator to provide pastoral care, mentoring, and leadership development for participants in our short-term programs department. This position is a unique opportunity to invest deeply in young people's spiritual, emotional, and personal growth while helping shape ministry programs for lasting impact.

To apply or learn more about either position, please contact Myron Sommers at:

humanresources@rosedaleinternational.org.

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 - bob@allensvillemennonite.org, ext. 4

Bob's Church Office Hours - Mondays from 9 AM to 12 PM

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

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