

Zion Mennonite Church

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Worship service: 9:30 am • Sunday school: 11:15 am



“Waiting For The LORD’s Advent”

Psalm 25:1-10

Pastor Mike Metzler

December 2, 2018

ADVENT 1

WELCOME TO ZION MENNONITE CHURCH

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GATHERING

Prelude Music - Clymer Kurtz Band

Congregational Song

Come, Light of the world STS 3

Welcome

Call to Worship & Advent Candle Lighting

Congregational Singing

They that wait upon the Lord HWB 584

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah HWB 582

As the pauper waits for plenty STS 9

Maranatha, come STS 2

CONFESSION

Congregational Song

Teach me, O Lord HWB 487

PROCLAMATION

Scripture Reading – Psalm 25:1-10

Children’s Church Dismissal*

Sermon: “Waiting For The LORD’s Advent”

RESPONDING

Song of Response

I am weak and I need thy strength HWB 553

Congregational Life Sharing and Prayer

Announcements

Offering

SENDING

Benediction

Sending Song

*Children’s Church is for children ages 3 through 5th grade.

JrMYF (grades 6-8) are also dismissed to help with Children’s Church.

Special music today is provided by the Clymer Kurtz Band from their Oct. 2018 Christmas album Snow on Snow on Snow, which features the original “Solemn Stillness (Joy to the World)” and new arrangements of traditional carols. Members are Christopher and Maria Clymer Kurtz, Craig Zook, Nick Hurst and Matt Carlson.

Their website is www.clymerkurtz.com.

MINISTRY LEADERS TODAY

Greeters: Steve & Carlene Lantz Usher: Darrell Wenger
Preacher: Pastor Mike Metzler Worship Leader: Risha Metzler
Worship Arts: Risha Metzler Music Leader: Hannah Wenger
Sound Operator: David Rohrer Foyer: Mark & Tammy Gray
Nursery: Ericka/Lili Gingerich & Kate Piper
Readers: Grant Stoltzfus & Sam Groff
Children's Church Leaders: Dawn Nyce & Terri Gehman
Musicians: The Clymer Kurtz Band, Carrie Bert, Lori & Marvin Maust
Children's Church Helpers: Sarah Gehman & JrMYF

STATISTICS FOR NOVEMBER 25, 2018

Attendance: 105 Offering: \$2,321.05
Building Fund: \$550 Offering YTD: \$240,886
Goal YTD: \$274,588

Much gratitude for your generous giving to ZMC!

UPCOMING MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS:

	<u>Dec 9, 2018</u>	<u>Dec 16, 2018</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	Steve & Carlene Lantz	Tony & Becky B.
<u>Worship Leader:</u>	David Gingerich	David Gingerich
<u>Preacher:</u>	Pastor Mike	Pastor Mike
<u>Scripture:</u>	Advent 2-Phil 1:3-11	Advent 3-Zeph. 3:14-20
<u>Music Leader:</u>	Jim Clymer	TBD
<u>Sound Operator:</u>	Neal Weaver	Jim Clymer
<u>Nursery:</u>	Gen & Sadie M.-G.	Catherine M. & Amy R.
<u>Usher:</u>	TBD	TBD
<u>Worship Arts:</u>	Risha Metzler	Risha Metzler

CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION

LEAD PASTOR: Mike Metzler • 540-246-6435 • PastorMike133@gmail.com
ASSOCIATE PASTOR-CHILDREN & FAMILIES: Sarah Piper • 540-560-1686
ELDERS: Dave King (Chair), Clay Showalter, Monica Compagnari
CLT: Ron Piper (Chair), Clay Showalter (Elder), Bob Buckwalter, Steve Halteman,
Hannah Leaman, Karla Souder, Hannah Wenger, Elwood Yoder
COMMISSIONS: •Care: Monica Rhodes •Faith Formation: Amy Rush
•Outreach: Diane Emswiler •Stewardship: Brian Rhodes
•Worship: Becky Brenneman
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Barb Morris CUSTODIAN: Frieda Barber
The church office is open: Tues, Thurs, Fri (9 am-12 pm) & by appointment.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Is God calling you to publicly declare your faith in Jesus through baptism? Would you like to deepen the joy-filled & challenging journey of faith with the people of ZMC? If so, please talk with Pastor Mike by the end of Dec.

2019 Directory & Sharing Book - Updates/approvals due TODAY:

Please stop by the table in the front foyer to approve the information listed for your entire family, including college students, etc...

Contact Hannah Leaman by 12/16 if you are interested in contributing towards a group gift for Erin & Justin Beeker's book & diaper shower. Bring books by Dec 30. We are excited to welcome the baby in early Jan!

Dec 2: MYF Christmas party

Girls Club VMRC Caroling at 2 pm

Friday, December 7: JrMYF Event at the Beeker's house, 7-10 pm.

Dec 9: Christmas Celebration at Zion, 6 pm

The Shenandoah Valley Choral Society, under the direction of Curtis Nolley, will present its 49th annual Christmas concert on Friday, December 14th at 7:30 pm, and Sunday, December 16th at 3:00 pm at Bridgewater Church of the Brethren. The concert entitled "Welcome All Wonders" will feature a variety of new and traditional carol settings accompanied by brass, percussion, organ, and piano. Audrey Shenk and Welby Showalter are members of this choir. Tickets are available at the door, locally from Red Front Supermarket (H'burg), Bridgewater Foods, at singshenandoah.org. Admission is \$15 for adults/ \$12 for seniors and students.

Dec. 15: Striking Accord Christmas Concert at Emmanuel Episcopal at 7pm. (Clay Showalter is a member of Striking Accord). The concert features unique arrangements of Christmas songs old and new, as well as some traditional carols for all to sing. Admission to the concert is \$5, and as a way to give a little Christmas cheer, we're also taking donations of canned food or cash to support the Emmanuel Episcopal Church Food Pantry. strikingaccord.org

Tuesday, Dec. 18: Christmas Caroling - starting at 6 pm with a party after the singing in H'burg & B' way. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board.

Dec 30: Christmas Brunch

Save the Date! Zion's annual retreat at Highland will be July 19-21, 2019.

