

# ...from the Creek

## MCMC

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### CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

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Let's keep Ella in our prayers during this time of transition.

### PICTORIAL CHURCH DIRECTORY



We are looking at updating our pictorial directory and are in need of persons interested in serving on a committee to look into the different options. If you would be

willing to serve on this committee, please contact Tess in the church office. Thank you.

### MONGOLIA MISSION TRIP



If you are interested in traveling to Mongolia this summer on a mission trip, please contact Kim & Char Kellogg

at 330-674-0282, or [char@grasshoppergroup.net](mailto:char@grasshoppergroup.net).

### Winter Family Night



January 25 - February 29  
Fellowship Meal 6:00 p.m.  
Classes for All 7:00 p.m.

This week: Mongolia Missions – Patrick & April Hellberg will share about their callings to serve in Mongolia and their beautiful love story.

### NEEDED AT THE LOVE CENTER

The Love Center is in need of:

- Peanut butter
- Macaroni and Cheese



“For no other foundation can anyone lay than that is laid,  
which is Christ Jesus.”

I Corinthians 3:11

### PASTORS' ARE COOKING!



The Mongolia Mission Partnership is planning a Pancake Breakfast fundraiser on Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 7:00-10:00 a.m. in the Family Life Center. Come enjoy a delicious breakfast and help support Mongolia missions!

### MONTHLY OFFERING SCHEDULE:

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays – General Fund  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday – Building Fund Offering  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Mission Fund & Food Offering  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Building Fund

### PRAISE THE LORD!



#### THE DRILLERS HAVE HIT WATER!!

Flower of Hope Outreach thanks everyone for their prayers for the water well drilling project in Haiti. Please continue to pray for this process and that fresh water will soon be available for the school and community!

### SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULE:

February 26	Val Yoder & Brett Oswald
March 04	Sarah, Emma & Audrey Menuetz
March 11	Ed Miller
March 18	Dale Kaufman-High Country
March 25	Jann Hershberger

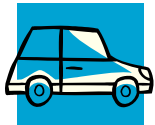


### TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

The Elders have approved a request from Tom and Angie Yoder for a transfer of membership to the Berlin Mennonite Church.

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

Could it be your mission to help a cancer patient get to and from their much needed cancer treatments? If so, please see the flier posted on the bulletin board outside the church offices.



You are invited to join Transport for Christ for their Annual Wayne/Holmes Banquet to be held at the Amish Door in Wilmot on Saturday, March 10 at 6:30 p.m. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. There is no cost for the meal but an offering will be taken for the ministry that is ministering to thousands of drivers each year. Reservations are necessary. Call Gary Nussbaum at 330-465-4587 by March 5.

BIBLE MEMORY will hold its annual **BENEFIT AUCTION** at the Mt. Hope Sale Barn on Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. To donate items and for more information call Bob Miller (Grace Mennonite) Phone: 330-231-7298 Email: bob@allaboutgrace.org. If you have items for the auction they must be at the sale barn by 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 16. If you want your items listed on the sale bill you must contact Bob by February 24<sup>th</sup>.

You're invited to the **2012 Celebrate MCC Gathering with MCC Great Lakes!** The two-day event will take place on February 24-25 at Berlin Mennonite Church. Join fellow MCC supporters from across the region as we explore MCC's theme of *"Relief, development and peace in the name of Christ."* Doug Amstutz, recently returned MCC representative in Ethiopia, will be speaking on Friday evening, and Ron Byler, MCC US Interim Executive Director, will be speaking on Saturday afternoon. A variety of workshops will be offered on topics such as meat canning, thrift shops, material resources and relief sales.

## Shaping Families Weekend of February 25, 2012 – Stay at Home Mom

Jennifer Murch, whose family is active at Community Mennonite Church in Harrisonburg, Va., is a mommy blogger and busy homeschooling mom of four children. She'll share highlights from their family on *Shaping Families* airing Sunday at 8:30 a.m. on WKLM 95.3 or visit [www.ShapingFamilies.com](http://www.ShapingFamilies.com) after Feb. 25 for a podcast, transcript and study guide.

## CENTRAL EVENTS:

### ♦Taste of Central: Sat., Feb. 25 at 5:30 pm

The sixth annual taste-testing extravaganza is almost here! Come hungry and ready to sample main dishes, appetizers and desserts before voting on your favorites. Tickets can be purchased ahead of time by calling the school, or are available at the door while they last.

### ♦50<sup>th</sup> Celebration Program: Fri. March 2, 7 pm

YOU have been a huge part of our success over the years. Come celebrate 50 years of Christ-centered education with us! Want to join the alumni choir? Contact Lisa Lepley to request music for preparation. (330.857.7311 ext. 208, [LisaL@CentralChristianSchool.org](mailto:LisaL@CentralChristianSchool.org)) John D. Roth ('77 grad) will be speaking on God's faithfulness looking back and looking forward.

**Shining Through**, the Bluffton University music ministry team, will lead worship at Sonnenberg Mennonite Church, 14367 Hackett Rd., Kidron, OH, on Sunday evening, February 26, 7:00 p.m. The 19-member group will offer a variety of music around the theme "Shining God's Light in the Darkness through Compassion, Hope and Shalom," based on passages in Matthew, Genesis, 2 Corinthians and Ephesians. *Shining Through* is led by Stephen "Tig" Intagliata, campus pastor at Bluffton. Dr. Crystal Sellers, assistant professor of music, leads the musical training. A freewill offering will be taken. Refreshments will be served following the program. Everyone is welcome.