

Welcome Newcomers!

We hope you sense God's presence and enjoy your time of worship with us today. We have a staffed nursery, Children's Church for ages 3 – 5th grade, which will be dismissed during the worship service, and Sunday school for all ages. If you need assistance in finding any of these areas, an usher or greeter will gladly help you. Please take time to sign in on the red attendance register in your row.

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Sunday worship service: 9:15 AM Sunday school: 10:45 AM

Our church office is open
M-F, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM

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Looking Ahead

September 25 Men's Campfire Chat, at Rod Yoder's

September 27 Women's Tuesday morning Bible
Study begins

October 2 Special guest, Bill Morrow, of Fellowship
of Christian Athletes

October 22 "Getting to Know You" Marriage Evening

November 11 American Red Cross Blood Drive

November 24 Thanksgiving Day

February 18-25 Healthy Niños Honduras Mission Trip

"Responsibility"

1 Samuel 17:12-15

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Which age do you think you're closer to: Old Age? Middle Adulthood? Youth? What particular responsibilities go with your age group, in our own timeframe?

Who is "the responsible one" in your family? Why do you think that?

What significant service do you contribute to your community?

What specific responsibility could you fulfill that you think might result in Jesus saying, "Well done, good and faithful servant?"



September 18, 2022



*Together,
pressing in toward Christ;
reaching out to the world.*


☺ We're so happy you're worshipping with us today!

Opportunity for Prayer: Would you like to be prayed for today? This morning, after the sermon, an elder will come to the front of the auditorium to anoint you with oil and to pray for your needs.

New Adult Sunday school classes begin today. Two adult classes will be offered during the first fall session:

- "American History—In God We Trust," led by Ron Mertz, in Room 203 (the "Jericho Room")
- "The Glory and Majesty of Creation," led by Eric Ludovico, in Room 201

Women's Clothing SWAP: Remaining items from our recent women's clothing swap are available in the lobby this morning. Ladies, check out the free shoes, coats, clothes, purses and accessories for your wardrobe.

 **This afternoon, join us for a hymn sing at Milton Rehabilitation** at 3:00 PM. Contact Ruth Robenolt for more information.

Employment: Two part-time employment opportunities in ministry, a Spiritual and Family Discipleship Director and a Ministry and Outreach Coordinator, are available at our church. Job descriptions can be found on CMF's website or paper copies are available on the Congregational Information table in the lobby. For consideration, send a letter of intent and resume to positons@cmfmilton.org by November 11.

Prayer for CMF staffing needs will be held each Sunday during the Sunday school hour to seek guidance in filling the two part-time ministry positions. Join us in the Prayer Room in the west hallway to pray for these staffing needs.




All men are invited to a fireside chat next Sunday, **September 25, at 6:15 PM, at Rod Yoder's home.** We hope to see you there!

Women's Tuesday Morning Bible Study will start September 27! Join us for "TruthFilled," by Ruth Chou-Simons. In this 7-session, video-based study of Colossians, we will learn a practice of preaching gospel truth to ourselves through Paul's example. The group will meet Tuesdays, from 9:00-11:00 AM, in Room 201/202, with childcare possible. Grab your bestie and study God's Word with other ladies who love to learn together! Please sign up in the lobby.

Join us today for an adult Sunday school class:

Room #	Name of Class	Teachers
Rooms 201/202	<i>The Glory and Majesty of Creation</i>	Eric Ludovico
Rooms 203/204	<i>American History—In God We Trust</i>	Ron Mertz

 **Plant Some Seeds** - Each time you serve our children, a seed of faith and love is planted in their heart! Will you please consider helping in Children's Ministry? Every seed planted helps our kids grow closer to God - and to you, too! Check out our sign-up table in the lobby today.

An enormous, "Thank you!" to all who helped at the Harvest Festival Kids Booth last Saturday! Because of your loving and willing weekend sacrifice of time, many families were shown the love of Christ and saw the heart of Community Mennonite Fellowship!

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner—a delightful success! Families from our congregation shared wonderful fellowship during dinner at **ten** separate homes all at the same time! Thank you to all hosts and guests who participated! Watch on Facebook for pictures of various groups. If you have group photos from your mystery dinner, please send them to Rachel Ludovico as soon as possible.

Bill Morrow, of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes will speak at CMF on **October 2**. Please plan to join us—you won't want to miss it!

Couples, mark your calendars! Getting to Know You, a Marriage Evening, is coming Saturday, **October 22**, from 6:30-8:30 PM, here at CMF. Join together with other married couples to build each other up. Hear light-hearted marriage stories and enjoy games and testimonials to revive your "marriage heart." Light refreshments will be served. Babysitting can be arranged. Please sign up in the lobby!

A local ministry, HandUp Foundation, is in need of car donations for their *Vehicle to Work* program. Contact HUF at 570-742-3000 for more information.

Children's Ministry

Children's Church: 3 classes are offered today:

- Preschool: Room 206 (in the gym)
- K-2nd Grade: Room 207/208 (in the gym)
- 3rd -5th Grade: Room 306 (upstairs, on 3rd floor)




Sunday School:

From 10:25-11:00 AM, Preschool through 5th Grade will meet in the WOW Room for hangout and worship time.

From 11:00-11:45 AM, Kids will go to classrooms:

- Preschool–2nd Grade: Room 207/208 (in the gym) with Amy Goodwin
- 3rd-5th Grade: Room 307 (upstairs on the 3rd floor) with Becky Saber

 **Fall High Point will begin October 5** and continue Wednesday nights through November 2 for kids in Pre-school-5th Grade. Kids can register in the lobby today.

Manage Your Finances—Faithfully! Everence webinars are available **September 21, 28, and October 5**, at 2:00 and 8:00 PM. Register at: everence.com/national or email national@everence.com for any questions. See Mike or Sally Biddinger to learn more about Everence.

A mission trip with Healthy Niños Honduras is being planned for February 18-25. The team will provide medical care in daily clinics, pour concrete floors, and bring hope and love to poor rural communities in Honduras. A medical background is not necessary. For questions of for more information, contact Jane Wirt.

Golden Rule Love INC (In the Name of Christ) needs volunteers to serve others through transportation, errands, care and concern outreach, yardwork, and office volunteers. Please consider this opportunity. Contact Love INC at 570-742-3561 to learn more.

Youth Ministry

"Embrace and Pursue Christ"

Ignite* (Grades 6-8) and C4* (Grades 9-12):



"Wednesday Night Youth"—Wednesday Youth continues this week. Friends, food, fun, Truth; it's what we do. Slightly different times this year. Listed Online.

2022/2023 Youth Permission Forms are available now: Get your copy and fill it out this week. Available in the Refuge, on our website, and on our Online Calendar.

Ignite "Outdoor Movie Night": Blankets, air mattresses, pick-up truck beds, and popcorn—the perfect set-up for an outdoor movie. Igniters, join us in the CMF parking lot for a movie **this Friday, September 23**, tentatively at 7:00 PM.

See youth event details at:
<https://newsletter.dymapps.com/featured/2142>

Parents: Not getting REMIND messages?
Text @cmfparents to the number 81010.



Young Adults

Young Adult Sunday Morning Connection: Ready to start something? This fall, connect and study together during the Sunday school hour. See Chris Long or Jim Hostetter for details.

Wednesday Group-Time: Great things are happening! Talk to Max Kennel, Mike Yoder, or Jim Hostetter for times and location.

CONNECT!



Last Week's Attendance: CMF Worship: 229 (194 CMF; 35 online)

Last Week's Offering: \$10,572