

Benton Mennonite Church

May 17 2009

Worship Leader: Bruce Nofziger

Speakers: John and Naomi Lederach

Song Leaders: Grant Martin

Scripture: Janie Beck

Children's Focus: Troy Risser

Stewards: Agape

Opening Words

Call to Worship *Psalms Now, Chapter 33*

HWB 55 *Cantemos al Señor (Let's sing unto the Lord)*

HWB 67 *Sing hallelujah, praise the Lord*

Scripture *James 1:19-27*

SJ 61 *How can we be silent*

HWB 384 *We give thee but thine own*

Offering

Children's Focus

Scripture *John 15:9-17*

Sermon

Song of Response

Offering

Reception of new member – Camry Hess

Sharing and Prayer

SJ 78 *Sizohamba naye (We will walk with God)*

Benediction

Today

✠ We welcome as our guest preachers John and Naomi Lederach, who have served as pastor, teachers, therapists, and nurse in various Mennonite institutions. They are overseers at Waterford.

✠ ***11 am Sunday School***

- Toddler and Primary (as needed)
- Middlers, Room 013
- Junior MYF, Room 012
- MYF, Room 002
- R³ (young adults), Martin house
- Agape, Room 112, Uniform series
- Open Door, Room 114, Church history
- Pilgrims, Room 113
- Questers, Room 105, Uniform series

✠ Noon, Haystack lunch fundraiser to help the junior youth attend convention at Columbus.

Next Sunday

✠ Doug Kaufman will preach on “So you may have the full measure of my joy”, based on John 17:6-19; Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; 1 John 5:9-13; and Psalm 1.

✠ No fellowship meal. Our usual summer break begins.

Worship Team for May 24

Worship Leader – Bruce Nofziger Children's Focus – Mary Ann Weber

Song Leader – Grant Martin AV Technician – Jerry Shaum

Stewards – Agape

Greeters – Donna and Chelsea Risser

Attendance for Sunday, May 10 2009

Total: 62

Visitors: 2

Announcements and other bulletin information can be sent to bulletin@bentonchurch.org or left in the bottom left drawer of the desk in the secretary's office. All information is due by 7 pm on Thursday.

Please remember in prayer...

- ✝ Dave and Vi as they welcome a new grandchild from Ethiopia and for Matt and Monica as they are in Ethiopia this week and return with five-month-old child.
- ✝ Dave and Vi's grandson Evan, as they await test results. Give thanks that tests so far seem good.
- ✝ Janelle Martin's mother as she recuperates from knee surgery.
- ✝ Those who are losing jobs at Mennonite Mission Network.
- ✝ Karla Stoltzfus, former pastoral intern at Benton Mennonite, who is engaged to be married to Nathan Detweiler.
- ✝ Lowell and Velorous Hoover, celebrating 64 years of marriage.
- ✝ Christian Peacemaker Team has returned to Al-Khalil (Hebron), Palestine, after a hiatus of eight months for refocussing of our partnerships, protocols and purpose. Pray for funds and personnel for this new work.
- ✝ The open house scheduled today at Lancaster Mennonite School. Pray that people will find a welcoming community of faith and persons with a passion to change the world.

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God calls us into a community of faith
forms us into disciples
sends us into the world.

