

# Benton Mennonite Church

**November 23 2008**

Worship Leader: Dee Swartz  
Song Leader: Lyn Buschert

Speaker: Rich Meyer  
Stewards: Pilgrims

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## “Christ the King” Sunday

Welcome and Call to Worship

Prayer

*Open now thy gates of beauty*

HWB 19

Scripture

Matthew 5:1:15

Benton children

Offering

Regular and Thanksgiving offerings

*Lord, you have come to the lakeshore*

HWB 229

*Strong, righteous men of Galilee*

HWB 540

Scripture

I Samuel 8:10-20

Matthew Rody

Acts 17:1-10a

Sermon

Rich Meyer

Song of Response

Moment in Mission with Anna Hade

Sharing and announcements

Pastoral Prayer

Benediction

Sending Song

## Today

### Sunday School

Toddler and Primary (as needed)

Middlers, Room 013

Junior MYF, Room 012

MYF, Room 002

R3 (young adults), Martin house

Open Door, Room 114, Sermon discussion

Pilgrims, Room 113

Questers, Room 105, Uniform series

12 noon Fellowship Meal

1 pm River Stewards

6 pm Fairfield Community Thanksgiving Service at Clinton Frame Mennonite Church with Fairfield Chamber Singers and Clinton Christian School Children's Choir. Jeff Mumaw, associate pastor at Clinton Frame, will preach, and the offering will be for the Clinton Benton Christian Education Association.

## Next Sunday

First Sunday of Advent.

Advent theme this year is “Let your face shine”

Brenda will preach on “The hidden face of God,” based on Mark 13:24-37; Isaiah 64:1-9; 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; and Psalm 80:1-7,17-19.

## Worship Team for November 30 2008

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

Song Leader – Grant Martin AV Technician – Lane Meyer-Reed

Stewards - Pilgrims

Announcements and other bulletin information can be sent to [bulletin@bentonchurch.org](mailto:bulletin@bentonchurch.org) or left in the bottom left drawer of the desk in the secretary's office. All information is due by Thursday night.

### Attendance for Sunday, November 16 2008.

Total: 77

Visitors: 3

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HWB = Hymnal Worship Book (Blue)    MH = Mennonite Hymnal (Red)  
BF = Blue Folder    S&R = Sing & Rejoice (Green)

## Please remember in prayer...

- ✝ Lois and Lorna Troyer's family: their sister-in-law, her father, and their Uncle Henry and his family.
- ✝ The Geaugh family.
- ✝ Ruth and Dorvin Schlabach: give thanks for Dorvin's recuperation from pneumonia and pray for patience as he continues to heal from his heart surgery.
- ✝ The indigenous people of Columbia who have marched by the thousands from the south to Bogota in their struggle for land rights and respect. Pray for strength, courage, and a peaceful arrival.
- ✝ The Americus GA Voluntary Service unit as they go through a time of growth and understanding. In particular, please pray for Crystal Kilheffer, unit administrator, as she gives leadership to this process.

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

