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OFFICE HOURS

Mon.-Tues.; **CLOSED**

Wed.-Thurs.; 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Fri.; 8 a.m. - Noon

BULLETIN & The CURRENT INFORMATION DEADLINE

Thursday noon

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Email newsletter items to
receptionist@yellowcreekmc.org

~ Thank You! ~

"Thanks to the congregation for all your prayers and concerns for us during Willie's recent knee surgery. We want to especially thank our Sunday school class, Koinonia Seekers, for all that you have done for us."

[Willie & Marilyn Miller]

"Thank you to the Click Club for the lovely Christmas card "Shine Your Light this Christmas". Blessings to you this Christmas and have a happy New Year. I am so appreciative."

[Phyllis Kehr]

"As many of you can imagine these last number of weeks we have had some unusual challenges and blessings. In this season of giving we want to thank you for your generous love, prayers and expressions of kindness. From the many cards, notes, and gifts, to providing transportation for Wes when needed. We are overwhelmed with joy to be part of such a loving and caring congregation. Thank you so much for your love and we feel very blessed to be part of the Yellow Creek family of faith. Have a blessed and joyous Christmas. May you experience the peace of God in the New Year."

[Wes, Cheryl and family]



Hours

REMINDER: The church office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, December 24-25, for Christmas. The office will also be closed on Tuesday, January 1, for New Year's Day.

~ Office Notes ~

Pastor Wes will be out of the office December 24-31.

Pastor Jason will be out of the office December 21-29.

Literature boxes will be rearranged alphabetically in a couple of weeks. If you do not have a box but would like one, or if you do have a box and would like it removed, please contact the church office by Monday, January 7.

Our mission is to call and prepare everyone to be fully committed followers of Jesus Christ.

Yellow Creek Happenings . . .

Sunday, December 23

FOURTH SUNDAY
OF
Advent

8:30 a.m.
Prayer Time (Room 228)
Bible Memory (Room 113)

9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship – Wes
Preparing for the King

10:30 a.m.
Sunday School

Monday, December 24

Office Closed for
Christmas Holiday

Tuesday, December 25

Merry ★
Christmas

Office Closed for
Christmas

Wednesday, December 26

8:00-8:30 a.m.
Morning Walk Group

Thursday, December 27

8:00-8:30 a.m.
Morning Walk Group

Friday, December 28

8:00-8:30 a.m.
Morning Walk Group

Sunday, December 30

8:30 a.m.
Prayer Time (Room 228)
Bible Memory (Room 113)

9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship – Kim
The Peace of Christ Rules

10:30 a.m.
Sunday School

Extended Calendar
(Activities at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted)

December
31 - Youth New Year's Eve
Parties

January
5 - Men's Fellowship, 7 am
7 - Gifts Discernment, 6 pm
7 - Iron Sharpens Iron, 6:30 pm
8 - Day Care Board, 6:30 pm
8 - Leadership Board
9 - Classes & Activities, 5:30 pm
9 - MYF, 6:45 pm
9 - CLICK Club
13 - BP Checks, 8:30 am
14 - Trustees, 6 pm
14 - Jail Ministry Team, 6:30 pm
14 - MST, 7 pm
15 - Classes & Activities, 5:30 pm
15 - MYF, 6:45 pm
15 - CLICK Club

~ Meat Canning Volunteers Needed! ~

Our day to help with the Mennonite Central Committee meat (turkey) canning project is **Monday, January 14**, 7:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m. at The Depot in Goshen. The federal inspector (who will be there) will require us to wear clean clothes and something on our heads. Help is needed in the morning, afternoon and evening, including clean up. If you have any questions, contact **Deanna King**. The meat canner is at The Depot January 7-11 and 14-18.

~ Ministry News ~

See the bulletin boards in the foyer for more Yellow Creek news.

~ Children's Ministry ~

We are looking for a volunteer teacher for preschool-2nd grade for the winter Wednesday nights, January 9-March 20, 2019. Please contact **Kim Birk**.

~ Community Life ~

Circle Wednesday nights on your 2019 calendars now for Family Night, January 9-March 20. Information was in your mailbox last week.

~ Worship ~

Sunday, January 13, 2019 will include a Service of Remembrance in our morning worship service in order to reflect on the lives of members who died in 2018 as well as those who lost loved ones who did not attend here. If you have a loved one whose name you would like printed in the bulletin, please contact the church office by January 7, 862.2595 or info@yellowcreekmc.org.



~ Outside Events ~

For information on most of these or other events, see the Outside Events bulletin board in the lower hallway.

First Baptist Church is The Window's January First Friday host, January 4, and they will be cooking up a delicious meal of homemade lasagna, along with Italian salad, garlic toast and Texas sheet cake for dessert. A perfect meal for a wintery evening! The cost is a suggested donation of \$9 or more, and as always, all proceeds benefit The Window's programs.

For
Unto Us
a Child
Is Born

Isaiah 9:6

