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~ Open House! ~

You're invited to an 80th birthday open house for **Pat Stahly** next Sunday, September 18, 2-4 p.m. at the Spring Brooke Club House, Goshen. No gifts just your presence.

~ Worship ~

Calling all ages! Do you play an instrument, have a solo or participate in an ensemble? We invite you to share your gifts and talents through special music during our morning worship services. Please call the church office, 862.2595.



~ Survey ~

In your boxes today is a survey from the Long Rang Planning Team. They are asking for your input on several items. Please fill out the survey and return to **Stan Kulp**, the church office or email to the church office at: info@yellowcreekmc.org. Thank you in advance for helping with this task.

~ MDS Trip ~

The MDS team will be serving this November in Crisfield, Md. The dates are November 12-19. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer. If you have any questions, contact **Rich Leinbach** at richleinbach@gmail.com or 202.2483.



**Mennonite
Disaster
Service**

~ My Coins Count ~

Reminder that the My Coins Count coffee cans will be available this morning and next Sunday for you to bring your extra change so that we can meet the challenge that we have been given of a matching donor.

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

Yellow Creek Happenings . . .

Sunday, September 11

9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship – Doug
Unexpected Entry

10:30 a.m.
Sunday School

11:30 a.m.
YACS Luncheon

Monday, September 12

7:00 p.m.
Iron Sharpens Iron

Tuesday, September 13

6:30-7:30 a.m.
Men's Bible Study/Fellowship at
 Angel's House of Pancakes,
 Linway Plaza

6:30 p.m.
Leadership Board

Wednesday, September 14

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Simple Meal ~
 (Suggested Donation \$3)
 Menu: Haystack, applesauce,
 chocolate cake

6:00 p.m.
Knotting Comforters/MCC

6:45 p.m.
MYF (High School)
Feedback Night
S: Tyler Miller

7:00 p.m.
Classes for all ages

Venture Club
 (Kindergarten thru Grade 5)

CLICK Club (Grades 6-8)
Parent Night – Bring a parent!

Adult Elective
Women's Study: *Trustworthy*
 Dawn Gerber and Katie Dosal
The "I AM" sayings of Christ
 -Doug Gerber

Thursday, September 15

7:00 p.m.
Sunday School Class Officers

Sunday, September 18

9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship – Wes
Unexpected Need for Prayer

10:30 a.m.
Sunday School

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

September

- 19 - Iron Sharpens Iron
- 20-21 - Adult Bus Trip, 6:30 am
- 20 - Leadership Board, 6:30 pm
- 20 - Recreation Team
- 21 - Classes & Activities, 5:30 pm
- 21 - Carnival Committee, 6 pm
- 21 - MYF, 6:30 pm
- 21 - CLICK Club, 6:30 pm
- 26 - Finance Committee, 6:30 pm
- 26 - LRPT
- 28 - Classes & Activities, 5:30 pm
- 28 - MYF, 6:30 pm
- 28 - CLICK Club

October

- 3 - Iron Sharpens Iron

~ Craft Show ~



CRAFT SHOW



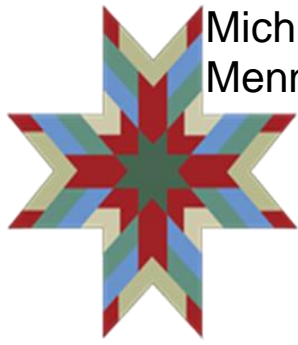
Exodus 35:35 says: *He has filled them with skill to do all kinds of work as engravers, designers, embroiderers in blue, purple and scarlet yarn and fine linen, and weavers—all of them skilled workers and designers.*

ATTENTION ALL ARTISANS! This year's annual Yellow Creek Craft Show is Saturday, November 19. We offer a reduced rate of \$20 per booth for any YCMC member. Applications can be found on the YC website or by contacting **Doug Hernley**. Questions may be directed to **Doug**, **Joy VanDiepenbos** or **Teresa Mack**.

~ Fritter Help Needed! ~



Apple fritter help needed: Whether you are new to apple fritters or you have worked every year, come for a great time of working and serving together, at the Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale, September 23-24. Have you helped before? Bring someone new with you this year. Shifts are 2 1/2 hours and 17 people are needed per shift. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer or online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a4fa5ae2ca31-2012>. Contact **Deanna King**, with any questions, 971.0405



Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale

Envelopes are in Sunday school classrooms for donations to help cover the expenses of purchasing noodles and apple fritter supplies for the relief sale. Please keep these in your classroom until Sunday, September 18, then turn them into the church office. Thank you for your support of time and money to MCC outreach and programs that stretch throughout the world.

Containers are available in the foyer for baked items. Details for baked items at:
www.mennonitesale.org/donate

The Relief Sale will be here soon! How can you support the Relief Sale?

- * Get together with several friends and/or family and bake something to donate. Gather crafts you have made or extra quilting supplies. Then drop them off on Friday, September 23 near the front gate of the fairgrounds. **(NOTE: there is not a garage sale this year)**
- * **Donate your plants.** The Relief Sale welcomes your healthy, indoor and outdoor plants. Popular ones are succulents and African violets. Bring them to the middle, north doors of the community building (sign posted) by Friday, September 23 at 4:30 p.m. if possible. Plants start selling at 5 p.m.
- * **Bid on Online Auction items.** There are lots of great items this year including many beautiful, handcrafted items, gift certificates to area businesses, concert tickets, artwork, and much more! Bidding opens on Friday, September 16. Check the website for the link to the Online Auction.
- * **Volunteers are needed** to help with the children's carnival activities during the Relief Sale. Sign up to run a booth, paint faces, sell tickets, or pass out prizes. Help our kids have fun and learn about the work MCC is doing. Sign up online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4da9a829a2fbc61-2022> or contact Sonya Overman, preschoolsonya@gmail.com
- * **General set-up**, recycling, or working a booth: call 888.503.8559 or email mennonitesale@yahoo.com
- * **Ten Thousand Villages:** unpacking on Wednesday, September 21, checkout volunteers during the sale, packers and heavy lifters on Saturday, September 24 after the sale is over. Email Tami at tamischlabach70@gmail.com, if interested.
- * **Keep collecting your coins** for My Coins Count and then bring them to the Relief Sale
- * **Come to the sale** and enjoy good food, bid on a beautiful quilt, enjoy children's activities, run in the Run for Relief, and find wonderful things to buy!

~ Outside Information ~

First Mennonite of Middlebury is hosting a visit from Keith Weaver, from LMC, September 17-18. Keith Weaver and Keith Blank (from the new Bishop Elder Team) are planning to be there for a Saturday evening meeting, 6 p.m., in which they will share something of the vision and direction of LMC going forward and will answer questions people may have about LMC. There will be an ice cream social afterwards. All are invited.

MCC Comforter Bash: Make plans for the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Great Lakes Comforter Bash in Goshen on November 11 and 12. People of all ages are invited to knot comforters at Pleasant View Church (58529 County Road 23). For more information about the event visit mcc.org/goshen-comforter-bash or contact LaVera Schlabach, 574.538.9629. A handmade comforter provides not only warmth but also a tangible message to people that their needs are not forgotten.