

**Power on Mt. Carmel**  
1 Kings 18:17-39



**OFFICE SCHEDULE:**

**Pastor (Mel Hathaway):**

- Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Saturday, 9:00 a.m.-Noon

**Secretary (Ellen Nussbaum):**

- Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

**LOOKING AHEAD**

Sunday, July 11, Afternoon All-Church Biking/Hiking  
Holmes County Trail

Sunday noon, August 22, Carry-in Fellowship Meal

Sunday, September 19, Sonnenberg Fall Festival

2010 Pictorial Directory Photography Dates

Friday, July 23, 6-9:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 24, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., 6-9:00 p.m.

Friday, August 20, 6-9:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 21, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



**LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD, June 13, 2010**

Attendance: No SS (Church Day Out); Worship - 147

Offering: Budget: \$2,723.50

CCS Tuition: \$1,260.00

Mutual Caring Fund: \$21.00

Mexico Mission Trip Café: \$1,465.00

Sonnenberg Station: \$1,000.00

**CCS Tuition:**

- Fund balance: \$4,174.06. All giving from now through September will go toward 2010-2011 tuition payments.

*\*\*If you are interested in being a part of a small group,  
please contact the church office.\*\**

**Ministers: Every Member of the Congregation**

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**Sonnenberg  
Mennonite  
Church**

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A special welcome to our guests. Our praise to our creator will be more joyful because you are worshipping with us. Please register in the guest book in the foyer.

**8:45 AM Prayer Time**

**9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL**

*Classes for all ages.*

*Nursery through adult.*

*Everyone is welcome!*



**10:30 AM WORSHIP**

**WE GATHER**

♪ *Come, Walk With Us*

*SJ 2*

Welcome Greeting/Call to Worship

♪ *Go Tell It On the Mountain*

♪ *Meet Me On the Mountain*

Offering

**WE LISTEN**

Children's Story

♪ *Teach Me, O Lord*

*WB 487*

Scripture: 1 Kings 18:17-39

Message: *Power on Mount Carmel*

**WE RESPOND**

♪ *Obey My Voice*

*WB 163*

Congregational Sharing/Prayer for the People

Benediction

♪ *You Shall Go Out with Joy*

*WB 427*

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Prelude/Offertory: VBS Children  
Song Leader: Martha Coleman  
Worship Leader: Henry Beun  
Children's Story: Rose Zook  
Message: Mel Hathaway  
Digital Arts: Todd Zuercher  
Sound & Lights: Winfred Ressler  
Altar Arrangements: Lisa Zuercher  
Nursery: Michael & Lisa Amstutz Family  
Pastoral Team Greeter: Don Nussbaum  
Host/Greeters: Lavon & Janice Kratzer  
Ushers: Steve & Delo Gerber, Steve & Goldie Yoder, Lloyd Miller  
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## THE CHURCH THIS WEEK

### Tuesday

7:00 p.m. **Youth/Young Adult Ministry**

### Wednesday

6:00 p.m. **Parable People SS Class Spring Cleaning**

7:00 p.m. **MYF Preparation for Mexico Mission Trip**

7:00 p.m. **Men's Bible Study** at Ora Shetler's

7:00 p.m. **Praise & Prayer**

### Thursday

8:30 p.m. **Church Softball** vs. Fairlawn Old Timers at Orr Park

### NEXT SUNDAY

**8:45 AM Prayer Time**

**9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**10:30 AM WORSHIP** – Theme: *Meet God on the Mountain:*

*Mystery on Mount Hermon*, Mark 9:2-8. The worship service will include baptism and communion (see announcement).

**7:00 PM Song Sing** at OrrVilla Maple Terrace

Altar Arrangement: Donna Johnston

Nursery: Eileen Lehman & Emilie Raber

Pastoral Team Greeter: Alice Metcalf

Host/Greeters: Don & Ellen Nussbaum

Ushers: Ron Geiser, Mike/Mim Lehman, Mark Johnston, Dave Ross

### **GOD BLESS OUR SENIOR SAINTS!**

**Happy 68<sup>th</sup> birthday to Keith Sommerfeld, Wednesday, June 23**

**Happy 71<sup>st</sup> birthday to Herb Jackson, Saturday, June 26**

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### IN OUR PRAYERS:

**CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:** *Iva Geiser is taking oral cancer medication; Anna Knutson is continuing with maintenance chemotherapy treatments; Elmer Geiser is under the care of Hospice; Dottie Hathaway is recovering from surgery to repair a toe joint on her right foot; Cliff Lehman is recovering from outpatient surgery on his wrist on Tuesday.*

**THOSE IN MISSION:** *Linda Horn, Thailand–Linda is spending the summer with her daughter, April and her family, in California–she will be in this area for a few weeks later in the summer; José & Alfonsina Oyanguren, Argentine Chaco–Alfonsina is experiencing emotional and physical health issues–please remember her in prayer; Friends of the Tabasaran Ministry, Dagestan, Russia; Joel & Ruth Miller, Mexico; Kurt, Angie & Micah Neuenschwander, Samaritan's Purse, Nairobi, Kenya; Virgene Steffen will be serving as a volunteer at Joni & Friends Families with Disabilities Retreat this week, June 20-25, at Shawnee State Resort, Friendship, OH.*

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**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** *Meet God on the Mountain* was the theme of our 2010 Vacation Bible School which was held this past week here at Sonnenberg. An average of 73 children *met God on the Mountain* each evening through worship, class time, backpack adventures, etc. It was a great week with over 70 volunteers helping to create and expand on this theme. See the article in today's issue of *Sojourns* for more information about our week at Vacation Bible School.

Thank you to everyone who provided snacks. \*\*Be sure to pick up your dishes in the kitchen.\*\*

Thanks also to everyone who helped with Bible School this year. A special thanks to the children who made the week so enjoyable, and to Jan Eshleman and Dawn Ross for all their good work in planning this time for the children to *Meet God on the Mountain!*

**GROCERY SHOWER** will be held for Jordon and Jenna Bruner today and next Sunday, June 20 & 27. Bring non-perishable groceries and place them in the basket provided in the foyer.

**CAMP LUZ SCHOLARSHIPS:** Our Outreach & Service Ministry is continuing to extend the invitation to support Jean Hershberger's 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade students from Canton to attend Camp Luz this summer. It costs an average of \$168 per child to attend a week of camp. If you would like to sponsor a child to attend Camp Luz this summer, earmark your giving through the church offering for "Camp Luz Scholarships." Any amount will help.

**2010 PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: \*\*If you have not already done so, please sign-up today in the foyer to set-up a time to take your picture for the 2010 Sonnenberg Pictorial Directory.\*\*** Additional dates for taking pictures are Friday, July 23, 6-9:00 p.m.; Saturday, July 24, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. & 6-9:00 p.m.; Friday, August 20, 6-9:00 p.m.; Saturday, August 21, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. We want to include pictures of everyone who regularly attends Sonnenberg. If you have additional questions, check with Mark Miller or Ellen Nussbaum.

### **BAPTISM/COMMUNION, NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 27:**

Baptism will be held for Olivia Ressler next Sunday, June 27, and Krystal Pierre will be accepted into membership on confession of faith. Communion will also be celebrated as a part of this service. Everyone is encouraged to be a part of this special time of worship.

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS UPDATES:**

- **Spiritual Vitality SS Class** is beginning the study of *Fresh Wind, Fresh Fire*, by Jim Cymbala. Anyone interested in joining this study is welcome. They are presently meeting in S-1, until that becomes the secretary's new office.
- **Young Adult SS Class** is now meeting in S-3/S-4 (Mel's former office space.)

### **SONNENBERG HOLMES COUNTY RAILS TO TRAILS**

**DAY:** Plan to ride all or part of the trail, beginning at Fredericksburg, Holmesville or Millersburg on Sunday, July 11. Or join a group of bikers who will be eating sack lunches at the church and then riding their bikes to Millersburg or Killbuck (round trip from Sonnenberg to Killbuck is approximately 50 miles). Snacks will be provided at the pavilion by the depot along the trail in Millersburg from 1-5:00 p.m. Walkers, joggers, strollers, tricycles and roller blades are also welcome. (Rain date: July 25). Questions? Check with Gordon Amstutz/Lloyd Miller.