

"Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word about Christ."  
Romans 10:17 NIV

# BMC NEWS

All generations growing together as disciples of Jesus

## New to BMC?

Welcome! We are delighted to have the opportunity to serve you in our church community. We invite you to join us each Sunday for a time fellowship, worship, and learning as we grow together in our relationship with Jesus.

Visit [www.byerlandchurch.org](http://www.byerlandchurch.org) or Facebook at *Byerland Church* for events information.

### Typical morning schedule:

- 9:00-10:00—Sunday School classes and Bible study groups for all ages.
- 10:05 —Worship\*
- 10:30—Morning Message
- 10:30-11:15—Children's Ministry  
*Please fill out the registration form in the welcome packet and give it to your child's teacher.*

—Nursery (through age 2) - Located adjacent to main floor gathering area.

—Preschool (ages 3-5) - Located downstairs — classroom # 7/8  
*Please sign children in on the sheet in the gathering area.*

—Elementary (K-3rd) - Located downstairs — fellowship hall—  
*Please sign children in on the sheet in the gathering area.*

*\*Parents are encouraged to include infants and toddlers in the worship time.  
This is a special time as all generations together glorify God.*

*However, if care is needed for children up to age two, the nursery adjacent to the gathering area is staffed and available at 9:00.*

## Today, November 4, 2018

- **Greeters:** David Woody, Jen Smith, Jonna Bye
- **Corporate Prayer:** 8:15-8:45 —Nursery Room
- **Worship Team #1:**  
Planned by Melanie Hopstetter
- **Message:** Pastor Joe Garber —  
"Glorious Adoption" Romans 8: 14-39
- **Nursery:** Kathy Dagen, Yvonne Garber, Leah Hess, Jeanette Kneisley
- **Children's Church:** Amanda Kneisley, Jen, Shawn & Chris Smith
- **Fellowship Meal:** following the morning service

**Prayer Focus**  
*New Danville  
Fire Company*

## Calendar:

- **Today - Fellowship Meal** following the service. Everyone invited!
- **Wednesday, November 7, 6:45-7:45 p.m.—Everyone is invited to the Wednesday evening prayer group, studying the book, *The Mantle of Esther*, by Larry Christiansen. Contact Yvonne Garber or Marcia Mylin if you have questions.**
- **Wednesday, November 7, 6:30 p.m.—CIA Youth Group** meets at New Danville Church.
- **Sunday, November 11, 6:00 p.m.—Annual Byerland Church Barn Party** at 2474 Prospect Road, Washington Boro. Activities include: square dancing, a hayride, games and activities for children. Please bring a snack or drink to share. Questions? Contact Eric/Kristen Funk or Andrew/Jackie Whittaker.

## Prayer for the Lion of Judah to Roar in Tanzania

- **Shinyanga Mennonite Church:** The Path of Hope program that is directed by Donald Nyakyema serving the needs of many children.
- **Maluga Mennonite Church:**
  - ⇒ Pray for the pastor couples and the continued growth of this new church.
  - ⇒ Pray for the new church plant that recently started in Solomon's village.
- **Pastor Manase and the Nkuhungu Mennonite Church:**
  - ⇒ Pray for the 46 young leaders who completed the 3-day leadership training seminar in October
  - ⇒ Praise to God for his provision to help them finish building the altar and the area at the front of the building. Please pray for the funds needed to completely cover the remaining part of the building with tin before the rains come.
  - ⇒ Pray for effective evangelism in opening another branch of their church.

### Happy November birthdays!

- 1 – Colton Moore
- 2 – Jeremy Railing
- 4 – Alan Railing
- 8 – Doris Lindhurst
- 10 – Sonya Hoover
- 10 – Robert Bragg
- 12 – Maya Bragg
- 18 – Isaac Hopstetter
- 19 – Isaiah Garber
- 19 – Allison Hess
- 20 – Landon Meadows
- 20 – Becca Charles
- 23 – Kathleen Railing
- 26 – Russel Deaver
- 28 – Esther Hess
- 30 – Joshua Garber

### Happy anniversary!

- 21 – Melvin & Pauline Reitz
- 22 – Duane & Vanessa Brubaker

### Sermon Notes

### Next Sunday, November 11, 2018

- **Greeters:** (8:30) Don Harnish (10:00) Evie Dagen
- **Worship Team #2:** Planned by Valerie Garber
- **Message:** Pastor Joe Garber  
“Sovereign Mercy”— Romans 9: 1-10:4
- **Nursery:** Debbie Hopstetter, Heather & Torance Moore
- **Children’s Church:** Victoria Malpica, Kevin Moore, Jonna Bye, Arianna Malpica

### Growth Group meetings coming up:

- ⇒ **Men’s** — November 13 & 27—7 p.m. here at the church.  
Contact: Dale Mylin 717-813-5320.
- ⇒ **Dinner Church** —November 8 — 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the home of Luke & Dot Hess. Interested/questions? Contact: Joe Garber 717-278-2562.

Thank you for your gifts & offerings received October 28:

- Budget—\$ 3055.23
- Capital Improvement — \$ 510

### More about BMC...

**Pastor Couple:** Joe & Yvonne Garber 717-278-2562 or pastorjoe@byerlandchurch.org  
**Assistant Pastor Couple:** Jay and Beth Hess 717-871-0256 or pastorjay@byerlandchurch.org  
**Elders:** Kathy Dagen (717-629-1742), Denny Dagen (717-629-1740), Heath Hopstetter (717-872-7098)

#### **Church life flows from five Ministry Teams:**

- Worship/Prayer Team Leader—Valerie Garber
- Discipleship Team Leader—Barbee Myer
- Evangelism / Missions Team Leader—Eric Funk
- Financial / Maintenance Team Leader—Josiah Garber
- Care / Fellowship Team Leader—Joyce Zimmerman

#### **Calling all Youth,**

- Grade 6-12** — Wednesday night activities — 6:30 at New Danville Mennonite Church  
Contact Jay & Beth Hess at 717-871-0256 or baconacres@comcast.net for details.
- Junior Youth (grades 4-5)** — meets the first Sunday of the month during children’s church.  
Contact Andrea Railing at 717-464-5864 or jarailing@verizon.net for details.

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