Mechanic Grove Church of the Brethren

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Celebrating Our Brethren Values Doing Ministry Together

> Kevin Richardson Senior Pastor

Janae McMichael Director of Family Ministries

July 14, 2024

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

COMMUNITY BUILDING

Announcements Please pass the Friendship Pad Mission Moment ~ Love INC Consecration of Rachel Johnson for Brethren Volunteer Service

*HYMN	"I am Thine O Lord"	505

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD "Doing Ministry Together" Ephesians 4:11-16 NT p 185

CHILDREN'S STORY

SPECIAL MUSIC "Father's Eyes"

PASTORAL PRAYER

GIVING OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Two Cent a Meal Offering is our opportunity to share from our abundance with those who never have enough. The offering jar is on a table in the gathering area for your contributions. Funds go to the Global Food Crisis Fund

Prayer Offertory

*PRAISE SONGS

"God's Wonderful People" "They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love"

*CLOSING PRAYER

*POSTLUDE

Please stand if you are able **NO Grow Groups for July and August**

Doing Ministry Together

Ephesians 4:11-16

1.	The is designed by God to
	v 11
2.	We do ministry together to for
	of and to the body of
	Christ. v 12
3.	Doing ministry together helps us to
	the of v 14; 2 Peter 2:1-3
4.	We must continue to the in until we all
	v 15
	1 Peter 4:10

Serving Our Congregation Today

Preacher: Worship Leader:		Kevin Richardson Janae McMichael
Mission Moment:		Steve Styer
Children's Story:		Mary Etta Reinhart
Sound Tech:		Jeremy Shelley
Live Stream Tech:		Travis Heidinger
Welcomers:	9:00	Ralph & Barb Kreider
	10:00	Josh & Amy Housekeeper
Greeters:		Chuck & Carol Groff
Nursery:		Judy Becker & Carolyn Welch
Ushers:		Herb & Darlene Kreider, Dave & Diane Herr
Praise Team:		Rita Carter & Shawn Reese

July 7, 2024 - Financial Report

General Offering	\$8,619.00	In Person Attendance	122
Online Offering	\$540.00	Sunday School	77
Building Maintenance Fund	\$63.00	Online Attendees	12
Strategic Vision	\$15,140.00		

2024 Offering envelopes are available in the office for those wishing to use them.

Kevin Richardson, Senior Pastor: KevinR@mgcb.org Janae McMichael, Director of Family Ministries: JanaeM@mgcb.org The FLC is unavailable during the week due to CLASP using the facility during the hours of 7 am to 6 pm thru the end of Summer. We apologize for any inconvenience; however, this is unavoidable during our ongoing renovation project. Please be cognitive of this when scheduling any activities at the church

Pastor Kevin will be out of the office this week. He will return to the office on Monday, July 22.

Thank you to everyone who sent prayers, cards and phone calls to me while I was in the hospital. I am glad to be home again.

~ Barb Kreider

Brethren Housing Association is in need of the following: paper towels, all-purpose cleaning spray, PineSol (small bottles), shampoo, laundry detergent (42 oz), 13-gallon kitchen trash bags. Please place items in the box by the mailboxes. Your contributions to help the homeless women and children of Harrisburg is greatly appreciated.

COMING EVENTS

Men's Work will meet on Monday, July 15 at 7 pm in room 14. All men are invited to attend to help plan future events.

The **Book Group** will meet July 24 at 9:30 am at the home of Bette Lou Epler and will be discussing "Remarkably Bright Creatures: by Shelby Van Pelt.

Roots Kids Volunteer Training ~ If you are a regular Lil' or Youth Roots volunteer or serve in BOLD childcare you should be receiving your "ticket" to the first annual Roots Kids Volunteer Training. Per the Nurture Commission, this is **mandatory training**. If you are unable to attend on Saturday, August 10, you will be contacted to schedule an alternate training time. Please return your RSVP to Janae's office by July 21.

Love INC Mini Golf Fundraiser is Saturday, August 3 at Village Greens Mini Golf. The event starts at 9 am and the cost is \$15/person. To register for the event, scan the QR code:



New website coming soon!

We are looking for a total of 4 individuals who are tech savvy and of various ages to be involved with designing and laying out our new site. If you would like to be a part of this, please reach out to Ed Heidinger II.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFO

Our **Nursery is available** and staffed with caring adults for children ages 0-4 during the service.

If you wish to place flowers in the church for anniversaries, birthdays, or other celebrations, please contact the church office.

All building use requests/event scheduling need to go through the church office between the hours of 9 am and 2 pm, or email church@mgcb.org.

Check your family mailboxes and your **commission mailboxes** weekly for important information.

Looking for **Youth Roots events**? Text your first and last name and "youth events" to 844.564.6146.

Announcements for the bulletin are due by 12 Noon on Wednesdays. They may be placed in the Office mailbox or e-mailed to church@mgcb.org. *Announcements may be edited*. Items for projection during the service are needed by 12 NOON Friday. This will ensure enough time for copyright analysis if needed.

CD's of both worship services are available upon request. Contact Ed Heidinger II (717.344.4177) or Sharon Davis (717.468.4552), for digital copies contact Ed Heidinger II.

To receive e-communications contact the church office. If for some reason, you are **currently subscribed and not receiving them**, contact Ed at edh@mgcb.org.

Solanco Food Bank Needs: mayonnaise, pudding/fruit cups, boxed mac 'n' cheese, cans of soup, cereal, granola bars. diapers (sizes 5 & 6 and pull-ups), baby wipes, family size bag chips/pretzels. Donations may be placed in the Mealbarrow.

A volunteer opportunity for BDM is available on a daily basis starting July 22. A house in Dover, PA is in need of repair and up to 6 volunteers are needed each day for these day trips. Anyone interested should contact Rick Graver 717.940.0828.

Core Values

Unconditional Love

[⊕] "Come as you are"
[⊕] A welcoming family
[⊕] An inviting family
[⊕] A friendly family
[⊕] Romans 12:13; I John 4:7

Faithful Service

✤ Giving (Time, Talent & Treasure)
 ✤ Local & global outreach
 ✤ Matthew 10:42; James 2:14-17

Developing Disciples

✤ Small Groups

- ✤ Children and Youth ministries
- ✤ Caring and learning together
- ✤ Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 2:42

Jesus Centered Worship

- ✤ Prayer
- ✤ Biblical preaching
- 🕆 Praise
- ✤ Glorifying God

Lifestyle Witness

- ✤ Living the example of Jesus
- ✤ Teaching about Jesus
- ✤ I Peter 3:15; I John 2:5-6 I Corinthians 6:19

Anabaptist Heritage

- Brethren New Testament beliefs (believers' baptism, Love Feast, Anointing, Peace)
- Continuing the work of Jesus. Peacefully. Simply. Together.
- Matthew 5:9; Hebrews 12:1-2; James 5:13-15

Our Mission

We, the Mechanic Grove Church of the Brethren, seek to glorify God through worship and to nurture the Body of Christ. We are dedicated to

sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and will share the promise of Salvation through words, deeds, and actions.

Our Vision

To glorify God through Jesus-centered worship and to take His Love into our local and global community through our faithful service, giving and outreach. While affirming our unique Brethren heritage of New Testament beliefs, we welcome all to "come as you are." We believe that by nurturing believers, striving to be more like Jesus, and witnessing with our lifestyle, we will learn and grow together as disciples.

Additional Staff

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