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Monday, Wednesday, Friday
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Article Deadline for the Shoreline:
Wednesday morning by 9 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Habitat for Humanity Auction and Haystack Dinner fundraiser is Friday, July 31 at The Farmstead Pavilion from 4-7 p.m. Volunteers are needed for set up on the Wednesday prior at noon, tear down after the Auction, and to serve/clean tables etc from 4-6 and 2nd shift from 6-close. If you can help please call the Ex. Dir. John Sisson at 260-210-1299.

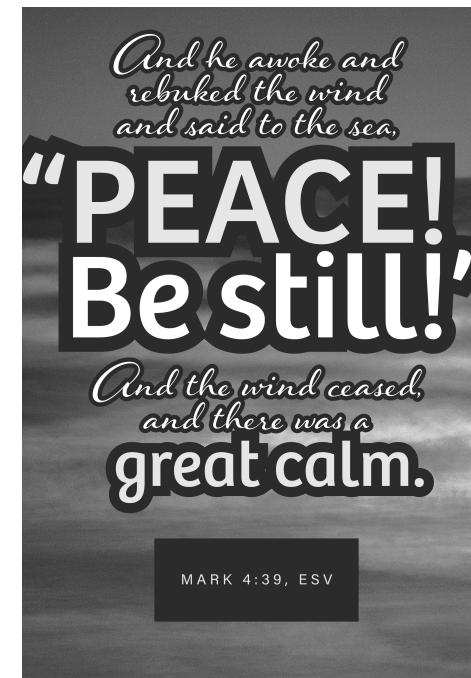
The Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale will take place Sept 25-26 at the Elkhart County Fairgrounds. Your donation to the Quilt Auction is needed now to benefit the work of MCC. MCC provides food, water, relief items and works toward sustainability, and peace around the world. Comforters and quilts of all sizes, quilted wall-hanging, plus knitted or crocheted afghans are all needed for donation. Please see the website for how to register your item at www.mennonitesale.org/quiltauction. Registration ends August 25. Items for the Sewing Box are also being accepted now. For more info contact Gail Shetler, 574-533-7142

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- **Amanda Berkey** - Bill & Michel's DIL - healing from cancer
- **Clara Bontrager** - healing in legs, transition to new home.
- **Earl Gilleland** - cancer
- **Jeanne Fennell Kauffman** - Jamie's cousin - cancer
- **Rod Lantz** - cancer - healing
- **Freda Richardson** - Continued healing and physical therapy
- **Dan Unternahrer** - transitioning to new home
- **Cormac Wallace** - continued healing in his fingers/hands.

"In Summer, the song sings itself."

William Carlos Williams

Stewardship Report

July 19, 2026

General	\$5,89700
Class 20	\$25.00
Class 24	\$250.00
Class 25	\$80.00
Sharing One Hope	\$8.00
Youth Fund	\$60.00
Rentals	\$300.00

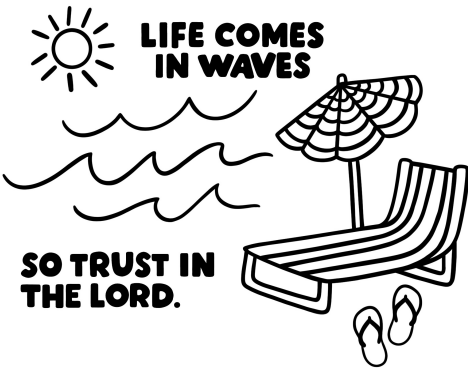


Wanna bless our youth group with a meal on Wednesday evening? Sign up in the lobby today!



Small groups meet during the week in a host home. They are a great

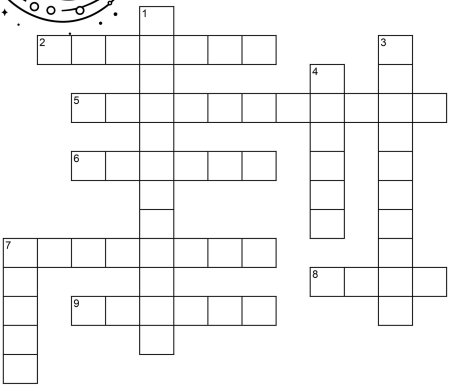
way to connect with others in a more intimate setting and to draw closer to God and prepare for the upcoming sermon through study and discussion. Groups will begin in September and go until May. If you are interested in taking part in a small group please sign up in the lobby. If you have more questions about small groups and what is involved, please ask any of our Elders and they will be happy to give you more information.



Puzzle!

BEATITUDES

Fill in the blanks below to complete the crossword. Answers are based on Matthew 5:1-13, NIV.



ACROSS

- _____ and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.
- Blessed are the _____, for they will see God.
- Blessed are those who _____ and thirst after righteousness.
- Blessed are the _____, for they will receive mercy.
- Blessed are the _____, for they will inherit the earth.
- Blessed are those who hunger and _____, for they will be filled.

DOWN

- Blessed are the _____, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- Blessed are those who are _____ for righteousness' sake.
- Great is your _____ in heaven.
- Blessed are those who _____, for they will be comforted.

Answer key: 2 Across: Rejoice, 5 Across: pure/innocent, 6 Across: hunger, 7 Across: merciful, 8 Across: meek, 9 Across: thirst, 1 Down: mourn, 3 Down: persecuted, 4 Down: reward, 7 Down: mourn

GOD'S BONUS DAYS

An author writing in *Guideposts* magazine calls those nostalgic moments of memory “God’s bonus days.” LaVerne Sexton recalled that in her family, life’s unexpected dividends — a summer rainbow, a blazing sunset, a gentle spring thaw — were invitations to set aside ordinary tasks and celebrate something special.

She remembered one breathtaking day from her childhood when the sky stretched wide and impossibly blue, as if it had no edges at all. Her father grabbed the fishing poles and called out, “Let’s play hooky, hon. It’s one of God’s bonus days.”

— Marion R. Vuilleumier, *Meditations by the Sea*



Youth Fun!

July 20 was a momentous day! First of all, it was the day Pastor Lance was born, 32 years ago!

Secondly, it was the day he led a crew of 15 youth and 3 other leaders to a day of fun at Indiana Beach.

Pastor Lance reports that the kids had a lot of fun! The Bumper Cars seemed to be a big hit with everyone.

He is sad to report that he is officially an old man and not able to handle the coasters like he use to be!! :)



Parents - have you signed your kids up for the Annual Shore Kids Triathlon yet? It takes place here at Shore on August 23. The kids will swim (at a local pond), bike and run! See the sign up table for more information or contact Lauren Unternaher if you have questions!



Bible Study Fellowship is an international Bible Study that was founded in 1959 by Audrey Wetherell Johnson. It is still going strong today and is growing in many ways. Shore Church hosts a “Satellite” campus for both men’s and women’s classes on Monday evenings.

Being added new this year is a class for school aged children who attend with a parent/grandparent. To register visit bsfinternational.org. If you have questions please talk to the class administrator, Kathy Troyer. There are many from Shore Church and the community who attend. This year the study will be in Romans and will begin the second week of September and end in May with some breaks at Christmas and spring.