



# CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHAPEL

Our Mission:  
Knowing Jesus,  
Growing in Jesus,  
Loving Others like Jesus!

*For unto us  
a child is born...*

*Isaiah 9:6a*

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**Third Lighting of the Advent Candles:** Jerry W. & Barb Miller

Welcome to our Christmas program!

We are delighted you could join us this morning!

A very special thank you to Scott Miller, Heather Schloneger, Kevin Beachy, Reid Beachy, Sarah Byler, Larena Byler, the worship team, the choir, the bell choir, the actors & actresses, and the parents for helping and letting the kids be part of this. We pray that this is a blessing for you all! We present to you "The Wondrous Birth"

## HERE IS WHAT IS HAPPENING THIS WEEK

### **Mon through Friday;**

**6am:** God moves through prayer, Join us to pray every morning!

### **Wed, Dec 20**

**8am:** Senior Men's Bible Study, CCC Fellowship Hall

**6pm:** Men's, Women's & Youth Groups

### **Thurs, Dec 21**

**5:30-7:00pm:** Free Community Meal, All Welcome!

### **Fri, Dec 22**

**9:30am:** Senior Community Group in our Fellowship Hall

### **Sun, Dec 24– Christmas Eve AND Name Tag Sunday!**

**9:00:** Special Fellowship time, coffee, tea, and snacks provided

**10:00:** Service Begins, special music, message for all ages

**Christmas Eve Service** is 4:30-6:30pm. It will be an open house candle light service. Come in, follow the candles, visit the manger scene, pray, partake in communion, and listen and sing along with the Christmas story being told.

**\*Ministry leaders**– This is the last week to submit your budget requests for 2024 this week. Thanks– the finance team.

**\*The Perspectives course** is starting Jan 7, 2024. It is a 15 week course held weekly (Excluding Easter) at 5pm right here at Cornerstone. This course may be taken for credit or just for the opportunity to grow in your walk and awareness of God’s mission for the Church. The cost is \$250 per student but matching & local scholarships are available. Stay tuned for more information. This course is life changing and highly recommended by alumni!

**\*90th Drop-In Birthday Party for LeRoy Yoder!** Saturday Dec 30, 2-5pm at Maple Grove Mennonite (2121 Smith Kramer Street). No gifts necessary, cards appreciated. Light food & drink provided.

**\*Ladies**– Please let Larena Byler know who you have for your secret sister if you haven't done so already!!

### **Shout outs:**

~To Jacob Coblentz, Katie Harsh, Vi Kuhns, and Erma King for doing food prep this week.

~To everyone who spent Thursday evening caroling. We'd like to go again to St. Joseph's in Louisville. Please let Pastor Ron know asap if you're interested.

~To Steve & Amy Ross for their faithful service in bringing supplies from the Akron Food Bank each week!

~To all who come to serve and deliver food each week on Thursdays!

### **Giving Options:**

**In Person:** the offering boxes are hanging on the back wall, OR

**Online:** Go to [ccchartville.org](http://ccchartville.org), click on “Giving”, make sure to specify what the money is going towards **THANK YOU!**

**\*The end of the year is in 2 weeks!**

**To reach our agreed budget of \$213,600.07 we still need to raise approximately (as of Dec 14) \$16,027.44**

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**TODAY, 12:30pm– Jason & Ian’s Life Group**

**Dec 21, 5:30-7:00pm: Free Hot Meal for the Community**



## Prayer Requests:

### Please Pray for Our Homebound Friends:

Mary Ellen Yoder (Homestead) ; Kathleen Patterson ;  
Eva Kuhns Potts (Altercare) ; Lynn Schrock ;  
Donald Troyer (Altercare) ; Susie Boyd

\*The Fall 2023 MCC books & 2024 Prayer books from RI are here.  
Please grab them from the Kiosk if you would like one.

### Prayer Focus This Week that we would:

- ♥ Give generously from the heart and as unto the Lord!
- ♥ Remember those who are ill and alone especially during this Christmas season.
- ♥ Grow in our awe and wonder of the magnificent merciful work of God sending his Son.

### Memory Verse: Isaiah 9:6-7

6For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. 7Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will do this.

### Happy Birthday this week to:

19- Ranada Schrock ; 20-Marita Kush ; 23- Irene Hershberger

### Happy Anniversary this week to:

23- Ivan & Carolina Venegas

Bread Ministry this week is Jerry W Miller

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