

**Coming This Week – March 6-11**

Monday, 6:00 pm: Game Night in Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, 6:30pm: Elder's Meeting

Wednesday, 6:30 pm: Bible Study/Prayer Meeting

Wednesday, 6:30 pm: Youth Meeting for Grades 3-12

Thursday: MCC Meat Canner

Saturday, 7:00 am: Men's Bible Study at D'Atri's

**Looking Ahead**

Sunday March 12<sup>th</sup>: Message by Pastor Will

“Rescue the Perishing” (Luke 15:1-32)

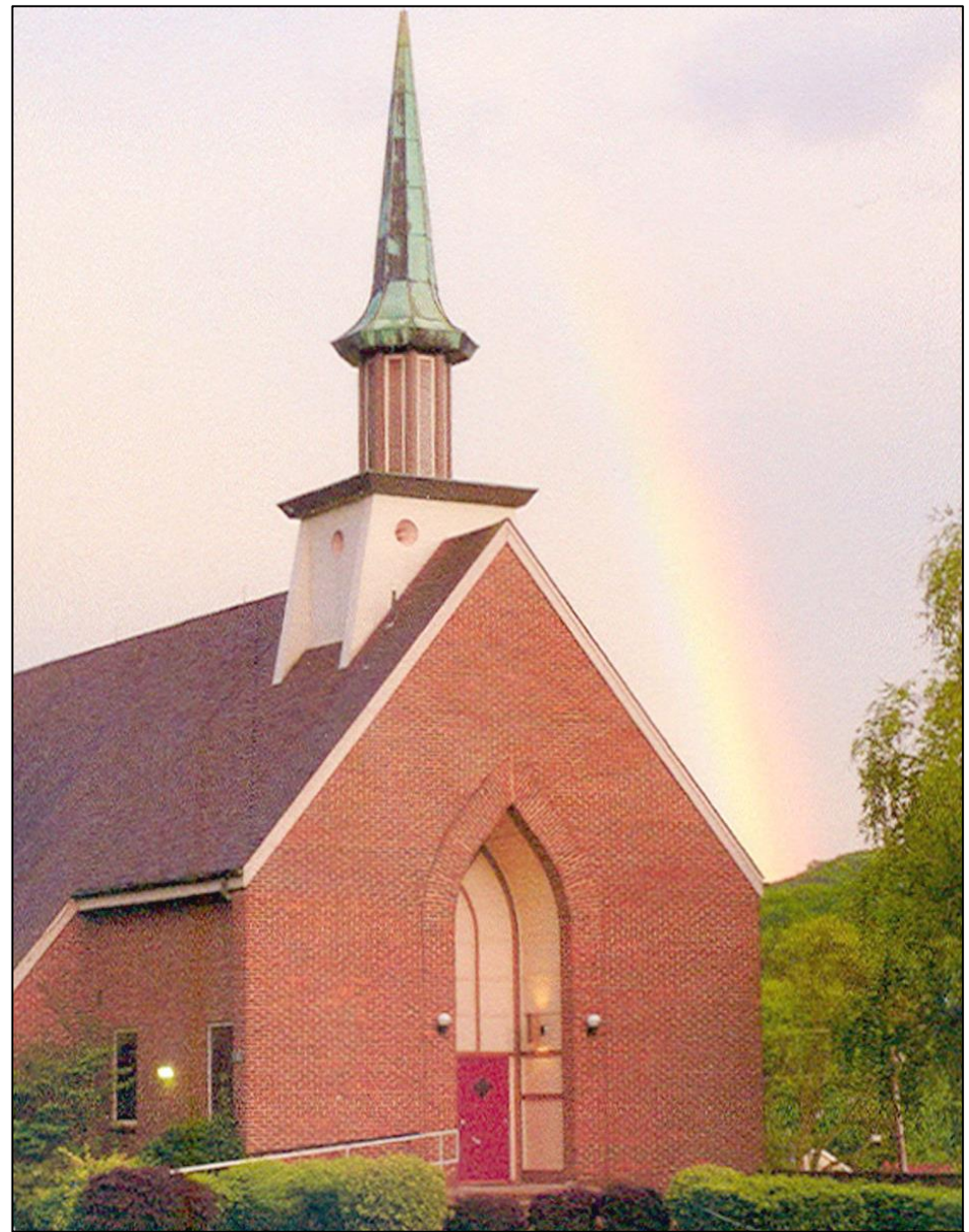
Tuesday March 14<sup>th</sup>: World's Attic

Tuesday March 14<sup>th</sup>: Leadership Team Meeting

March 17-18: Celebration of Church Life Conference at Weaverland Mennonite Church, East Earl, PA

**From Last Sunday**

Attendance:      Sunday School: 59  
                            Worship: 72



***Welcome to***

***Pinto Mennonite Church***

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We welcome everyone who is present today and trust that you will feel God's presence as you worship.

May you feel the warmth of our church family.

We invite you to return as God leads you.

**9:30 am Sunday School** – Classes available for all ages

**10:30 am Worship**

Prelude Jan Livengood

Welcome/Call to Worship Aaron Livengood

Worship in Song Kurt Helmick

*Come, Thou Almighty King* Blue Hymnal 41

*O Worship the King* Blue Hymnal 66

Announcements, Sharing joys and concerns and congregational prayer

Offering

Offertory Caleb Morgan

Worship in Song

*Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us* Blue Hymnal 355

Dismissal for Pre-K and Jr. Worship

Scripture: Luke 14:15-27

Message *Excuses, Excuses* Pastor Will

Song of Response *O Master, let me Walk with Thee* Blue Hymnal 357

Benediction

Song of Sending *They'll Know We Are Christians*

**6:00pm Evening Service**

We will be watching the next part in the Defining Moments Series by Andy Stanley entitled, "Easier Said Than Done." Discussion led by Larry and Dawn McFarland.

**Children's Workers for Worship Service**

This Sunday

Nursery: Karen Morgan

Pre-K: Mary Twigg

Jr. Worship: Homebuilders' Class

Next Sunday

Nursery: Dawn Dayton

No Pre-K

Jr. Worship: JuBELLees

Announcements

This Thursday, several members from Pinto will be participating in the Mennonite Central Committee meat canning project at the Cumberland Valley Relief Center. Please see Betty Helmick if you are interested in going along.

Kindly submit all bulletin information by 12 Noon on Thursday this week. Thank you.

Daylight savings time begins next Sunday. Set your clocks ahead one hour Saturday night!

You're invited to the annual Casselman Valley MDS Unit meeting on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 at Bittinger Mennonite Church, 10707 Bittinger Rd, Swanton, MD. Dinner is at 6:00 PM, with a meeting at 7:00. RSVP by March 14 to Aaron Tice 301-697-7603 or 301-895-4354.

Please see Lawrence Brenneman if you have interest or questions.

***Song of Sending:***

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord.

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord.

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored.

And they'll know we are Christians

By our love, by our love,

Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

Everence® to present informative webinars this March

**Basics of investing:** Tuesday, March 21 (2 or 8 p.m.)

In this webinar, we'll discuss how investing can help you meet your financial goals, go over different types of investments and help you determine your appropriate level of risk. We'll also cover how to get started and address your questions. Presented by Dennis LeFevre\*, CFP®, Trust and Financial Advisor.

**Narrative budgeting: Making numbers come alive:** Thursday, March 23 (2 or 8 p.m.)

In this webinar, designed for pastors and church leaders, we'll discuss how a church budget can go beyond numbers to present an inspiring vision of the living spirit working in your church. You'll see how a story approach to your budget meeting can inspire and engage your congregation in ways you haven't thought of before. Presented by Steve Bustos, Everence Stewardship Consultant.

For more information or to register, contact Melissa Short at (800) 222-5054 or melissa.short@everence.com; or visiteverence.com/direct. (All times Eastern Daylight Time.)