



Bearing God's name

Unified Budget Monthly Income Needed	\$18,228.33	(\$4,206.54 per week)
April Receipts	\$14,780.48	(avg. \$3,695.12)
April Disbursements	\$15,195.31	
YTD Receipts	\$75,905.68	
YTD Disbursements	\$73,688.73	
2026 Budget Total		\$218,740
April	Deficit	\$414.83
YTD Budget	Surplus	\$2,216.95

*Respectfully submitted,
Patricia Bevan, Treasurer*

WEST SWAMP MENNONITE CHURCH

Sunday Worship

May 10, 2026

10:30 A.M.

Prelude God of Glory ~ *David Paxton*
How Great Thou Art ~ *arr. Greg Sewell*
Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken ~ *arr. R.J. Hughes*

We Gather around God's Word

Opening Song Thy Word

Welcome & Prayer
Greeting One Another

Praising Praise to the Lord, the almighty #37
All our praise and glory
Lord, I lift your name on high

Scripture Numbers 6:22-27

Offering Be Still and Know ~ *Jack Schrader*

We Hear God's Word

Scripture Exodus 19:3-6; 20:1-7

Sermon Bearing God's name *Lynne Rush*
Worship Music Christ has no body here but ours *Choir*

We Respond to God's Word

Song Take my life #389

Sharing & Prayer

Sending Strong, righteous man of Galilee #540

Benediction

Postlude Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow ~ *arr. Phemister*

This Sunday

Worship Leader: Deb Stevenback
Greeters: Jan & Denny Wieand
Organist: Joan Hallman
Song Leader: Brenda Landt
Videographer: Mark Kemmerer, Rod Rush
Visual Technicians: Marsha High, Emily Rush
Sound Technicians: Carl Raub, Rod Rush, Tim Scheetz

Sunday School Classes for Spring Quarter

The TLC class, 9:30 am, Fellowship Hall: The Sermon on the Mount
The Bible Project class, 8:45 am, on Zoom: Leviticus

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Ministry Team, Carl Raub

Community, Nancy Jacobs

Discipleship (DISCO), *vacant*

Mission, Karen Parzych

Stewardship, Alex Parzych

Worship, Joan Hallman

Church Secretary: Lynne Rush

Treasurer: Pat Bevan

Welcome to West Swamp Mennonite Church

May 10, 2026

*Discovering together how to follow Jesus
and make our community and world a better place*

Calendar

May 12, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
May 12, 7 pm	Mission Commission
May 13, 6:30 pm	Chimin' In Practice
May 13, 7:15 pm	Choir Practice
May 16, 9 am	Men-O-Lan Summerfest
May 17, 12 pm	Sunday Lunch Bunch
May 19, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
May 21, 12 pm	Senior Luncheon



Notes:

~ *What's Happening at West Swamp* ~

Senior Luncheon, May 21: It's the last luncheon before a summer hiatus, so you don't want to miss it! Sign up now for a delicious noon meal, fun games and great fellowship. (Then we'll see you again in September.)

Save these dates:

Trumbauersville Community Day, June 6, 3-7 pm: West Swamp will have a table at this event. We are going to have a plinko game for the kids this year, with prizes for them. The Mission Commission is looking for anyone that would like to come and join the fun.

Men-O-Lan Staff Picnic, June 19: The Mission Commission will be hosting this annual meal, and need food items and people to help that evening.

Look for sign up sheets for both these events in the fellowship hall (sometime in May).

2026 Directory Updates: If you did not get your update packet yet, please let the secretary know. (Don't want to print out more than we need!) If you would like the secretary to update your directory, she is more than happy to do that. If you are behind in your updates, please accept this offer!

~ *What's Happening in the Community* ~

All Mosaic Conference congregations are invited to pray for **International Worship Church** (San Gabriel, CA) in their search for a church building to purchase. For many years they have longed and searched for a meetinghouse of their own, and invite your prayers and encouragement for their future.

Dock Mennonite Academy invites the community to its **65th Annual Country Fair & Auction** on Friday, **May 15, from 5-9 pm** at the EC8 campus in 420 Godshall Road, Souderton. Enjoy live music, food, games, inflatables, and family activities. A Chicken drive-thru runs 4-6:30 pm. The live auction starts at 6:30 pm with online bidding available. Free shuttle service and accessible parking are provided. Visit www.dock.org or call 215-723-1196 for more information.

Pancake Breakfast at Bally Mennonite Church, Route 100, Bally, **May 16, 7-10 am**. Pancakes & French toast, scrapple & sausage, eggs, and beverages. All are welcome. Cost: Donation. Proceeds will support Worm Project/Mennonite Disaster Service. Questions? See website www.ballymc.org.

Mark your calendars: Men-O-Lan's **Summerfest** is **May 16, 9-2**, and includes a live auction, kids' games and activities, barrel train rides, an animal show and of course, lots of good food.

Church Office Hours

Pastor Michael: Tuesday-Thursday, 9-4. Pastor Michael returns tomorrow. For emergency pastoral care during that time, contact Joan Hallman (215-679-0441).

Lynne: Monday-Thursday, working mostly from home this week.