



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

Everything fulfilled

*Respectfully submitted,
Patricia Bevan, Treasurer*

WEST SWAMP MENNONITE CHURCH

Sunday Worship

May 17, 2026

10:30 A.M.

Prelude Tyrolienne ~ *Folk Tune*
Bourrée ~ *English Dance*
Minuet ~ *Telemann*

We Gather around God's Word

Worship Music My Jesus, I love thee *Chimin' In*

Welcome & Prayer
Greeting One Another

Praising All creatures of our God & King #48
Shout to the Lord
Clap your hands

Scripture Psalm 47

Offering There Is in Every Person ~ *Tice/Brody*

We Hear God's Word

Scripture Luke 24:44-53

Sermon Everything fulfilled *Pastor Michael*

We Respond to God's Word

Song Christ has no body here but ours

Sharing & Prayer

Sending One is the body

Benediction

Postlude

This Sunday

Worship Leader: Louise Butcher
Greeters: Denny & Jan Wieand
Musicians: Brenda Landt, Lynne Rush
Videographer: Mark Kemmerer
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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Commissions & Deacons:

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 17, 2026

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

Calendar

May 17, 12 pm	Sunday Lunch Bunch
May 19, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
May 21, 12 pm	Senior Luncheon
May 26, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
May 27, 6:30 pm	Chimin' In Practice
May 27, 7:15 pm	Choir Practice



Notes:

~ **What's Happening at West Swamp** ~

Sunday Lunch Bunch: Join the group after church **today** at Quakertown Family Restaurant for lunch and fellowship.

Senior Luncheon, May 21: All those 60 and up, be sure to sign up for the last luncheon before a summer break. The meal is at noon and includes fun games and great fellowship.

Next Sunday is Pentecost Sunday. If you can, wear flame colors (reds, yellows, oranges) to help "decorate" the sanctuary.

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).

Directory Updates (already):

Rod and Lynne Rush no longer have their land line. Reach Rod at 215-490-7626 and Lynne, for the time being, at 267-272-3089.

Richard Rosenberger's address is now 2849 Big Rd, Apt 1206, Zieglersville, PA 19492.

Corinne High's address is now 2231 Keiper Rd, Unit B, PO Box 12, Spinnerstown, PA 18968.

Need assistance or company? Or know someone who does? Corinne High is available as a helper who can help around the house and assist with grocery shopping.

~ **What's Happening in the Community** ~

All Mosaic Conference congregations are invited to pray for those participating in the **Spring Listening Sessions** with the Mosaic board this month. May all participants feel the Holy Spirit's leading through active listening, dialogue, and relationship building.

Church Office Hours

Pastor Michael: Monday-Thursday, 9-4.

Lynne: Monday, working from home; Tuesday-Thursday, 10-12:30.