

Music Sunday

Unified Budget Monthly Income Needed	\$18,228.33 (\$4,206.54 per week)
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September Receipts	\$15,475.00 (avg. \$3,868.75/wk)
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September Disbursements	\$16,304.16
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YTD Receipts	\$152,672.69
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YTD Disbursements	\$160,284.25
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2026 Budget Total	\$218,740
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September	Deficit	\$829.16
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YTD Budget	Deficit	\$7,611.56
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*Respectfully submitted,
Patricia Bevan, Treasurer*

WEST SWAMP MENNONITE CHURCH

Music Sunday

October 11, 2026

10:30 A.M.

<i>Prelude</i>	Praise to the Lord, the Almighty ~ <i>arr. John Carter</i> Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah (Ps. 28) ~ <i>arr. Walz</i> The Lord Is My Light (Ps. 27) ~ <i>Frances Allitsen</i>	
Opening Praise	Praise, I will praise you, Lord (Ps. 9)	#76
	O Lord, our Lord, how majestic (Ps. 8)	#112
	Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah (Ps. 148)	#50
Welcome & Prayer		
Greeting One Another		
Offering	Surely Goodness and Mercy (Ps. 23) ~ <i>John Peterson</i>	
<u>Songs of the Psalms</u>	<i>Joan Hallman</i>	
1. Praise	Doxology	#119
	Jewish Doxology	#162
2. Lament	From the depths (Ps. 130)	#136
	Cast thy burden upon the Lord (Ps. 16 & 55)	#586
3. Thanksgiving	Lord of the Dance (Ps. 30)	
	Come, let us worship the Lord (Ps. 95)	<i>Choir</i>
4&5. Eternal Kingship		
	O Lord, hear my prayer (Ps. 102)	#348
	Praise the Lord who reigns above (Ps. 150)	#54
Sharing & Prayer		
Sending Song	When in our music God is glorified	#44
Benediction		
Postlude	Sing for Joy ~ <i>Lani Smith</i>	

This Sunday

Worship Leader:	Worship Commission
Greeter:	Karen Parzych
Pianist:	Joan Hallman
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, Room 104: The book of James
The Bible Project class, 8:45 am, on Zoom: Numbers

West Swamp Mennonite Church

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Pastor: *vacant*

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

October 11, 2026

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

Calendar

Oct. 13, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting
Oct. 13, 7 pm	Mission Commission
Oct. 14, 6:30 pm	Chimin' In practice
Oct. 14, 7:15 pm	Choir practice
Oct. 15, 12 pm	Senior Luncheon
Oct. 16	BBP Bag Packing
Oct. 17	BBP Distribution
Oct. 18, 12 pm	Sunday Lunch Bunch
Oct. 20, 8 am	Knotting & Quilting



Notes:

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

Sign up for **Senior Luncheon**, Oct. 15 at 12 pm. All those 60 and up are invited.

The Bean Bag Project target item for Oct. 18: **jars of pasta sauce** (plastic preferred, but glass OK). Please put items in the collection bin in the fellowship hall. Other items from the list are welcome too! Thank you for your donations.

West Swamp kicks off the **Bean Bag Project** this weekend, packing bags on Friday (11 am-1 pm), and distributing bags on Saturday, 8:30-11:30 am. Volunteers are still needed for Saturday, to hand out the bags and direct traffic. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Please check it out and see if you could spare some time to help us make this project a success. Thank you!

Sunday Lunch Bunch, Oct. 20: Join the gang at The New Santiago's Restaurant (Rt. 309, Coopersburg) for food and fellowship after the service.

Videographers needed by the end of October. Please talk to Lynne if you would like to try out this important task. We are hoping to find at least 4 people, so that each one only has to do the job once a month.

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

Please pray for **Destiny's Daughters, Inc.** as they are welcomed as a new Conference-Related Ministry of Mosaic at the Fall Assembly. Pray for protection and provision for their leaders, participants, and gathering spaces; and for passion and wisdom as they carry out their mission to cultivate courageous women leaders by equipping and empowering young women and girls to recognize their purpose.

You are invited to the Perkasie Mennonite Church's **Patchwork Coffeehouse 30th anniversary** live concert with **DayBreak and Friends** on Saturday, Oct. 17, 2026, 7:30 pm, at 320 W Chestnut St., Perkasie, Pa. DayBreak performed at the very first concert 30 years ago and along with five other performing groups will delight us with a very special night of folk music. All are welcome. Accessible.

The **Material Resource Center (MRC)** invites you to our Annual **Fundraising Dinner** (formally Oyster Dinner) on Saturday, **Oct. 24, 6 pm** at Franconia Heritage Banquet and Conference Center. We are blessed to welcome Rukshan Fernando, newly appointed Executive Director of Mennonite Central Committee U.S, as our speaker. Cost is \$45 per person. Call 267-203-8074 to RSVP. Proceeds from the event will go towards the purchase of kit supplies that we pack and send to MCC.

Church Office Hours

For pastoral care today, contact Joan Hallman (267-527-9423), 10/12-18, contact Karen Parzych (215-317-8424).

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