

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome
Congregational Songs
Pastoral Prayer
Offering/Offertory
Congregational Songs
Sermon
Song of Response
Benediction

WORSHIP LEADERS

Today
Song Leader:
Worship Team
Message By:
Pastor Todd Martin

Next Sunday
Song Leader:
Velma Shetler
Message By:
Pastor Todd Martin

WELCOME

Smithville Mennonite Church

September 10, 2023

IN OUR PRAYERS

Ryan, Katie, Anthony, Julianne & Mallory Immel and
Robert & Ruth Shetler

MISSION STATEMENT

Our church invites you to live a SAVED life.

STATISTICS

Attendance for 9/3/23

Worship: 103
Livestream: 16

Offering last Sunday:

Budget: \$3,173.00
Compassion Fund: \$500.00

GUEST INFORMATION

We are so glad you chose to worship with us this morning. We hope you feel welcomed and connected. Please see a greeter or stop at the welcome center for a special gift and information about our church.

CONTACT US

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ABOUT US

SMC is an evangelical, anabaptist church that is a part of the Evana Network.



I Can't Live Like This Anymore!

Romans 12:

Here's your point to ponder:

The Bible tells us how to live in _____-but will we listen _____?

v.1-3: The 3 W's: Our _____, in the _____ and God's _____, should frame our existence.

How is your life an expression of worship?

V.4-8: Inside God's will is a _____ loaded with _____.

Have you opened yours? Figure out your S.H.A.P.E here: freeshapetest.com

V.17-21: Do unto _____ as you would have them do unto _____.

How do you do?

Past sermons on Romans: I did Romans 13 in the "God and Government" series Nov.21,2021. Previously, I did a series in 2017 called Romans Road Trip, Apr. 23-May 28, 6 messages covering roughly Romans 3-10. All of these are available on YouTube or in manuscript form.

There are also a couple people wanting to do a study of the whole book of Romans now-I have a tool I'll be ordering in the next week or two if you want to really dive in or help a group study happen-let me know...

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sun., Sept. 10

Signing Interpreter

Tues., Sept. 12

9:00 a.m. Mennonite Women

Wed., Sept. 13

7:00 p.m. Mentors

Thurs., Sept. 14

7:00 p.m. Trustees

COMING UP

Sun., Sept. 17

12:00 p.m. Guest Lunch in Youth Wing

7:00 p.m. Campfire Worship

Wed., Sept. 20

7:00 p.m. Refuge (Prayer Night)

7:00 p.m. Youth Group

Thurs., Sept. 21

7:00 p.m. Elders at SMC

Sat., Sept. 23

6:00 p.m. Young Adults carpool to Glorify Concert

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual Report / Budget Request are due Sunday, September 17. Please submit your report to Darrell Smucker or the church office.

The Elders would like to invite all new attendees to a Guest Lunch in the SMC youth wing on Sunday, September 17 at noon. If you have attended less than a year or have never been to a Guest Lunch please join us. This is a time you can ask questions about SMC, meet our leadership and hear our vision for the church. Please RSVP by September 15 if you plan to attend by calling or texting Todd at 330-621-1115.

The Youth Group is selling mums as a fundraiser for their summer trip. The order forms are on the Welcome table or check with a youth to purchase mums.

Tonya our missionary from Mongolia will be at Paul and Alta Rohrer's home for lunch and a time of sharing **next Saturday** (Sept. 16th)! If you would like to join us from noon to around 2:00 p.m., please **sign up at the Welcome table**-seating is limited so sign up soon!

Campfire Worship begins Sept.17! Come for a wilder worship experience full of music, sermon time and prayer at 7:00 p.m. in or outside the youth wing-depending on the weather. All are welcome!

Sometimes you just need a time and place to go and pray. By yourself or with others, this place can be a sort of spiritual safehouse... **a Refuge** from the storms of life. 7:00 p.m., Sept. 20 is the time, the SMC youth wing is the place. **We will be praying for healing for those we love, self included!** There will be music, scripture and prayer for all who come. The focus for the night will be healing but other concerns can be brought as the Spirit leads us.