

## Our Purpose

To glorify God by loving Him; by loving others; by becoming and making disciples of Jesus Christ.

## Our Mission

To share the Love of Christ in our community and around the world.

## Our Vision

As a body of believers at Oak Grove Mennonite Church we desire to **SHARE** the love of Christ in our community and around the world by: **Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ with our neighbors and friends.**

**Helping each other with mutual care and support.**

**Aiming to worship God in Spirit and in truth.**

**Responding to the needs of hurting persons in our community and around the world.**

**Equipping children, youth and adults for Christian discipleship and ministry.**



# Oak Grove Mennonite Church



FEBRUARY 5, 2012

## CONTACTS

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### 9:00 a.m. Service

Worship Leader: Donny Kauffman

Prelude

Worship in Song

Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 147:1-11, 20

Opening Prayer

Continued Worship in Song

Children's Story

Scripture: I Corinthians 9:16-23

Message: "Love Wins"

Pastor Alex Dye

Response Song

Offering/Offertory  
[Please Sign & Pass Attendance Sheet]

Testimony Time

Prayer

Benediction

Sending Song

### 11:00 a.m. Service

Worship Leader: Erin Dye

Gathering Song(s)

Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 147:1-11, 20

Greeting Time & Offering

Continued Worship in Song

Scripture: I Corinthians 9:16-23

Dismissal for Children's Church  
[Ages 3 through 1st Grade]

Sermon: "Love Wins"

Pastor Alex Dye

Response Song

Testimony Time  
[Please Sign & Pass Attendance Sheet]

Prayer

Sending Song  
[Children will be returned from Children's Church]

**BIBLE VERSE:** "For when I preach the gospel, I cannot boast, since I am compelled to preach. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel!"  
I Corinthians 9:16 (NIV)

**THE WEEK AHEAD**

**Today**

9:00 a.m. Blended Worship Service  
 10:10 - 10:50 a.m. Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
 6:00 MYF Super Bowl Party at Stoltzfus' home  
 No JYF or Bible Bonanza

**This Week**

**Tues, 7:00 p.m.** Church Council  
 Survivors of Suicide Support Group  
**Wed, 7:00 p.m.** Time for Prayer  
**Thurs., 7:00 p.m.** Worship Committee

**CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Feb. 12, 2:00 p.m.** Bible Quizzing at Oak Grove  
**Feb. 13, 7:00 p.m.** Women's Bible study  
**Feb. 14, 7:00 p.m.** Elders'  
**Feb. 16, 7:00 p.m.** Ohio Conference Delegates meeting at South Union  
**Feb. 18, 6:00 p.m.** Valentine's Banquet and Dessert Auction  
**Feb. 19, 2:00 p.m.** Bible quizzing at Oak Grpve  
**March 16-18.** Men's Retreat at Camp Luz

**INFO ABOUT LAST WEEK**

Church attendance - 187  
 Sunday school - 160  
 First Fruits - \$3,641.10  
 Share & Care - \$110.00  
 West Liberty Cares - \$103.00  
 Truthseekers - \$10.00  
 Building Fund - \$30.00

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Nursery** - Anthony Thoman Family/Joel Kauffman Family  
**Next Sunday** - Dick Barrett Family/Winfred Stoltzfus Family  
**Door Greeters** - Jack Overholt Family  
**Next Sunday** - John and Jeneane Overholt

***Pastors' Update***

Next Sunday Dick continues our series looking at Biblical Love. His message is entitled "*Love Perseveres,*" from 1 Cor. 9:24-27 & 1 Cor. 13:1-8a.

***Nursery Help Needed***

NurseWe are in great need of more people to provide childcare in the nursery during Sunday school time--two people each Sunday--even for a week at a time. Please consider helping out in this way and giving the young parents a break. A signup sheet is on the narthex table or you may contact Valerie Kauffman at 592-0469 or [rv@kauffmanfamily.net](mailto:rv@kauffmanfamily.net). Thank you!

***Valentine's Banquet Approaching***

The MYF invites everyone to the Valentine's Banquet on Feb 18, at 6:00 p.m. at Oak Grove. Individuals, couples and friends are all encouraged to attend! Please complete and return forms to Sam Park's mailbox by next Sun. If you would like to sponsor an individual or couple to attend, please see Sam Park. For those of you who like to bake, now is a time to showcase your favorite recipes! The MYF is looking for items for our *Dessert Auction*, a fun way to end a delicious meal. If you are interested in donating dessert(s), please contact Sam Park.

***MCC Gathering in Berlin, Ohio, Feb. 24&25***

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC), the Mennonite Church USA agency dedicated to relief, development and peace in the name of Jesus Christ, will be hosting a gathering on Fri., Feb. 24 & Sat., Feb. 25 in Berlin, Ohio. If you might be interested in attending, please see the info on the bulletin board outside the library.

***Replacing Worn Tables***

Trustees are replacing some of the 6' and 8' worn tables. If you are interested in one, please contact one of the trustees.

***Men's Retreat at Camp Luz***

The Men's Retreat at Camp Luz will be March 16-18. Ralph Reinford, regional pastor with the Ohio Conference will be the speaker. Registrations are available on the narthex table.

***Chocolate Chugs Due Today***

If you forgot to bring your chugs with you they can be returned within the next couple of weeks as well. The MYF thanks you for your support!