

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, November 2 – Fall Outdoor Clean Up

### PLEASE PRAY

- Pray for Pastoral Leadership Team, Council of Ministries and Bishop Brian Martin
- Pray for David Buch, preacher, Kevin Martin, worship host, and the congregation, as we gather to worship next Sunday morning.



Welcome to Alive Church Ephrata

An Anabaptist Congregation

*To offer Hope, Life, and Love in Jesus*

Pastoral Leadership Team  
Jeffrey High, lead pastor  
David Buch, associate pastor  
Kevin Martin, associate pastor  
Jean Martin, congregational care coordinator

Council of Ministries  
Calvin Zimmerman, church board of admin chair  
Delmar Brubaker, church life chair  
Austin Kline, mission chair  
Ken Sweigart, nurture chair  
Ranee Zimmerman, worship chair

October 20, 2024

## PRAY FOR MISSIONS & OUTREACH MINISTRIES

### MISSION

- Zacharie and Stevie Estime, New Life Mission Haiti
- Austin Kline YWAM Lancaster
- Andrea Martin YWAM Montana Ending Bible Poverty Now
- Daniel & Marlene Martinez in Uruguay

### OUTREACH

- Alive Winter Guard
- Friday Night Skate
- Oyate Hope Academy
- PACE Afterschool Program
- TNT Youth Ministry
- Woodcrest Retreat

## PERSONS SERVING TODAY

**Greeters:** Harlan & Janelle Horst  
**Nursery:** Delmar & Holly Brubaker  
**Library:** Chris Hoover & Laura Buch  
**Preacher:** Pastor Jeff High  
**Sermon:** *"Growing and Maturing in Christ"*  
**Text:** 2 Peter 1:1-21

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tues., 7 PM Congregational Meeting  
Wed., 7 PM Corporate Prayer Time

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday  
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

CREATIVE PRAYER ROOM is located upstairs in Room 217 and is available for rest, reading, solitude, listening to music, and prayer.

#### VACATION SCHEDULE

Jeff & Janet will be on vacation from October 20-28. If you have any pastoral concerns, please contact David or Kevin.

#### PARENTING 101

Thank you all for the interest shown in the Parenting 101 class! Three sessions will be offered, immediately following the first PACE meals of the year. A sign-up sheet with more details for both attendees and babysitters is posted on the bulletin board, or you may contact Charissa Nolt at [charissa.nolt@yahoo.com](mailto:charissa.nolt@yahoo.com).

#### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Please join us on Tuesday, October 22 at 7 PM as we discuss next year's budget and hear from Commission chairs about what is happening in the church.

#### FALL OUTDOOR CLEAN UP

Fall clean up will be on Saturday, November 2, at 7AM. Please join us and bring any tools you might like to use. If you would like to help but can't come November 2, you may come any day that week but please see Delmar for instructions.

#### THANK YOU

*"I want to thank my church family for all their prayers, concerns, and cards when I went through my surgeries. It's great to be part of a caring church."*  
~Chris Hoover

#### HOUSING NEED

Zacharie & Stevie Estime and family are in need of housing in the area. If you, or anyone you know, are able to respond to this need, please contact Austin Kline. Please also be praying that this need will be met soon.