# February 9, 2025 "Renewal at the Lord's Table: a space to gather and to be sent from"

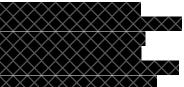
# WELCOME HOME TO Warwick River Mennonite Church

In-person Sunday School: 9:30-10:30 AM Virtual Coffee Connect: 10 AM In-person and Virtual Worship Service: 10:40 AM In-person Coffee Connect follows Worship Service Recorded Sermons available at www.warwickrivermennonite.org

## <u>Leadership</u>

Church office hours: 10:30 AM – 4:30 PM Tuesday through Friday. If you have questions, concerns, or compliments you may contact any of the following people.

Steve Wiebe-Johnson, Pastor MaryDawn Carrier, Congregation Chair Chris Miller, Elder & Council Co-Chair Sue Yoder, Outreach Chair Twila Blume, Member-At-Large Adam Carrier, Stewardship Chair



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## **Serving Today**

Sermon: Pastor Steve Wiebe-Johnson Worship Leader: Twila Blume Song Leader: Micah Shenk Reader: John Ovington Zoom Host: Mackenzie Butler Shenk

Warwick River Mennonite Church HOW TO CONNECT

\*Worship Service \* Sunday School \* Meetings \* Computer: Click Here to enter Zoom Meeting \*MEETING ID: 846 7407 1811 \*PASSWORD: 809884 Phone: 929-205-6099 \*MEETING ID: 846 7407 1811 \*PASSWORD: 809884 Questions: Don Brunk 610-787-0823



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### -- Gathering --

Welcome
\*Hymn of Praise and Gathering
\*Call to worship
(Text adapted from "Let the Hungry Come to Me" (Voices Together 459)
Leader: Let the hungry come to the table.
People: Let the poor be fed.
Leader: Let the thirsty come to drink.
People: Share my wine and bread.
Leader: The table is set.
People: Come and Eat.
Leader: Drink from the cup freely offered to you.
All: Share the life of God!
\*Hymn of Preparation

#### -- Hearing God's Word --

Scripture Readings:	Matthew 26:26-30;	Mark 14:22-26;
	Luke 22:14-20;	1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Sermon title: Renewal at the Lord's Table: a space to gather and to be sent from ~Pastor Steve Wiebe-Johnson

#### -- Responding to Worship --

#### \*Hymn of Response

\*Sermon/Message Response Sharing of Blessings and Concerns Offertory Prayer & Offertory Sharing of Announcements

#### -- Sending --

\*Song of Sending \*Benediction (Voices Together 946) <u>Prayer after Communion—Iona Community</u> In deep gratitude for this moment, for this meal, these people, we give ourselves to you.

#### Send us

to live as changed people because we have shared in the Living Bread and cannot remain the same. Ask much of us, expect much of us, enable much by us, encourage many through us.

So, God, may we glorify you as inhabitants of earth and citizens of heaven. Amen

#### 2025 Announcements:

**02/10/2025:** OPEN - WRMC Office open 10:30-4:30pm **02/14/2025:** CLOSED – WRMC Office closed

February 16, 2025: Guest Speaker will be Sandra Joireman.

**SAVE THE DATE! 02/28/2025 - 03/02/2025:** 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Newport News One City Marathon Weekend: \* Come to one of the free events \* Volunteer opportunities for groups, families, & individuals \* be alert for traffic pattern changes \* Visit: www.onecitymarathon.com/plan-your-race

**3/20/2025 12-1 pm:** Mennowood free educational event *"Dementia-Related Behaviors"* \* Complimentary lunch will be served \* Reservations required \*

# **Prayer and Praise Requests**

- "This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it." ~ Psalm 118:24 (NKJ)
- May the suffering due to the wildfires in North Carolina and California lessen and cease. May healing begin, may communities across our country come together and may comfort be offered to all of our neighbors and friends.
- Prayers of health and healing for all those undergoing health challenges known and unknown to us.
- Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Kate Widmer, who is part of a team that works alongside the residents of a low-income area in eastern France, through the outreach programs of The Prairie Church of Montbéliard. Pray for her and the neighbors she relates to through sewing classes, a bookstore and café, and mentoring young people. Contact the church elders or the church office to update a prayer concern or praise for the bulletin or to activate the email prayer chain during the week.

February 2, 2025 \* Worship:31 \* Offertory \$1,550.00 Building Fund \* \$1,552,099.05 \* The state of our church family budget is:

The tithes collected to date: \$6,329.00 WRMC is committed to exercising faithful stewardship over the funds contributed to us. We are aware of the many sacrifices you make in order to provide these gifts, and sincerely pledge to see that these dollars are used wisely. Donate (paypal.com)

#### **Happy Birthday!**

- Feb 9 Elaine Smith
- Feb 14 Krista Goodwin; Gordon Zook
- Feb 15 Aidyn Rose Carrier
- Feb 18 James Salyers
- Feb 19 Daniel Shenk
- Feb 21 Lily Zollinger
- Feb 23 Christine Hurr
- Feb 27 Bonnie Zook; Heath Wagner

### Happy Anniversary!

Feb 7Gary & Dina FentressFeb 12Chris & Ronda MillerFeb 19Ricky & Maria Dillon

# Upcoming 2025 Events:

- \* Today, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am Adult Sunday School (School Building) 10:40 am Sunday Worship Service (Chapel) Mon., Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> OPEN: WRMC Office open 10:30-4:30pm \* Mon., Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> \* 7 pm WRMC COUNCIL MEETING (School Bldg.) Tues., Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> \* 3:30-5:30 pm WRMC Community Prayer Drop-In (outdoors in front of Warwick River School) \* Thurs., Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> 6:00-9:00 Threads Together sewing group (school) Fri., Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> CLOSED: WRMC Office closed
  - Fri., Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> Happy Valentine's Day!

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- *Sun., Feb. 16th* Fellowship Meal follows Worship Service today
- Thurs., Mar. 20<sup>th</sup> 12-1 pm Mennowood Free Community Educational Event (Reservations required no later than 3/17/25)

