

**Welcome to**  
*Bethel Mennonite Church*  
**August 11, 2019**

9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR  
 Adult Lesson: A Mother-Daughter Covenant  
 Lesson Text: Ruth 1:6-11, 14-18

10:00 MORNING WORSHIP  
 CALL TO WORSHIP: Pastor Jason  
 CHORISTER: Reggie Miller  
 OFFERING: Pastor Shawn  
 NO CHILDREN'S CHURCH TODAY  
 BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER  
 MESSAGE: Pastor Shawn  
*Innocent Suffering*  
 Various Passages

GREETERS TODAY:  
 Dave & Betty Beachy,  
 Kevin & Dorothy Delaney

MEDICAL TEAM:  
 Sandy Schrock and Jenell Schlabach

NURSERY DUTY: SW corner, up to age 4  
 Christie, Emilee & Carissa Nisly

7:00 WEDNESDAY CLASSES & SMALL GROUPS  
 See complete list on back page.

**7:00 PM WED. EVE CLASSES**

**Nursery:** Miriam Schlabach

**Children & Middle School**

**Youth:** at pavilion.

**Book of I Samuel:** Led by Robert DeHaven & AJ Miller. Location: NE corner #6

**Anxious For Nothing:** Led by Jason Beiler. Location: Conference Room

**SMALL GROUPS**

**Life Groups:** Everyone welcome. If you would like to join, contact the leader listed or pastoral team.

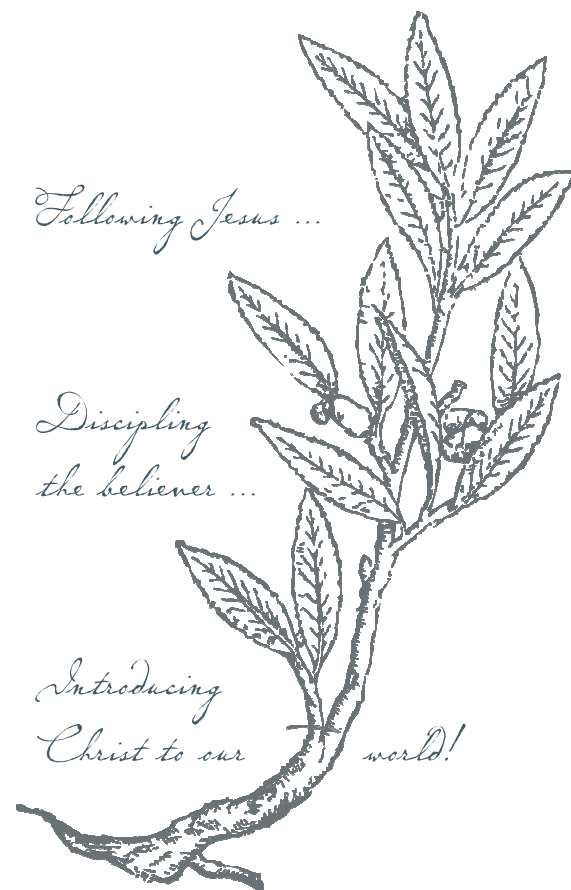
Monday, 7 PM: Glenn Miller, 232-2447

Wednesday, 6:30 PM: Chip Stoltzfus, 993.0620

Wednesday, 7 PM: Bob Hostetler, 915.1527

Wednesday, 7 PM: Joe McVicker, 859.916.1404

Pastor, Shawn Otto	780-1720
Assoc./Youth Pastor, Ryan Mayer	376-0717
Pastor of Care, Jason Beiler	957-8914
Elders	
Bob Hostetler	915-1527
Jason Mast	313-1834
AJ Miller	374-4972
Glenn Miller	232-2447
Scott Miller	232-8734
Chip Stoltzfus	993-0620
Superintendents	
Lloyd Miller	
Dan Gingerich	
Children's Ministry Coordinator	
Cheryl Sommers	993-3314
Children's Ministry Superintendents	
Dave & Joyce Miller	
Jason & Angela Mast	



*Following Jesus ...*

*Discipling  
the believer ...*

*Introducing  
Christ to our world!*

**WAYS TO GIVE**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **WELCOME!** We're glad you're here. First time guests, leave your name, and email address at the Welcome Center.
2. **Moving Up Day today!** Parents of children age 2 years to Middle School: Your child will be moving up a grade during Sunday School today!
3. Ladies, the **sewing** is this Tuesday. Join us to work on quilts, knotting comforters, and sewing comforter tops. For lunch, bring a salad or dessert, the main dish will be provided.
4. **Council Meeting:** Tuesday eve., 6:25 pm. If anyone wants to add an item for discussion to the agenda, please contact Jon Yutzky, council chairman.
5. The **Parents Night Out** is coming up Saturday, August 24. This ministry offers local children in foster care an evening full of fun in a safe environment. Volunteers, please respond to the email sent out with details. If you would like to become a volunteer in this ministry, please see Greta Otto.
6. **Anxious for Nothing Class:** Sessions begin this week, 7pm. High anxiety is prevalent in our fast-paced society – but here is a biblical prescription for it! Inviting you to reflect on Philippians 4:6-7, Max Lucado offers insights into ways God will help you cope with life's inevitable calamities. Please sign up on the bulletin board so Study Guides can be ordered. Cost: \$8 each. For questions, call or text Jason, 957-8914. Email: [Jason@bethelsarasota.com](mailto:Jason@bethelsarasota.com).
7. Follow us on **Social Media:**  
Website: [bethelsarasota.com](http://bethelsarasota.com)  
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/bethelsrq>  
Twitter: <https://twitter.com/BethelSRQ>

8. **A new class for baptism and those seeking membership** begins Sunday, September 8, during the Sunday School hour.  
~ If you have not been baptized, you will attend 11 weeks.  
~ If you have been baptized, then you will attend the first 4 weeks for the membership portion.  
~ If you would like to join this class, please sign up on the bulletin board; we will need to order books for the class.
9. **Upcoming Mission Trips:**  
**Haiti in September/October.** A construction team is needed to build two houses or one church. A fund has been established for the materials needed for this project. The goal is \$10,000 and the mission fund will also be contributing toward this need.  
Contact Scott Kauffman if you would like to participate on either of these trips or contribute toward the funds.
10. **Next Sunday's message** by Pastor Shawn.

## PRAYER FOCUS

Students and Teachers  
Back to School

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- \* Jun 23-Sep 14, Pastor Ryan's Sabbatical
- \* Aug 18, 50's & 60's Social, 6 pm, at pavilion
- \* Aug 24, Foster Care Babysitting
- \* Sep 5, Senior Lunch
- \* Sep 27-29, Purity Weekend
- \* Oct 6, Communion
- \* Oct 26, Foster Care Babysitting

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Cheryl Mast  
David Troyer  
Ezra Whitman (5)  
Adrienne Vance  
Emilee Nisly

Vernon Gingerich  
Blake Schlabach  
Danita Strader  
Devon Graber  
Allison Kizziar

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Marlin & Doris Ebersole (50 years)  
Erv & Tammy Mast (33 years)  
Jon & Marcia Borkholder (28 years)