CHURCH NEWS:

Communion will be held on November 29th.

Many Thanks to all whom were involved in the bee removal project and the gutter project at my home. I am very blessed and very thankful. - Candas

Ladies, you are invited to join in making Christmas giftable cookie jars on **Saturday, December 5 at 9 am** at the church. You can make one or two jars. Give one away and make one for yourself or give them both away. It's up to you. Either way it will be a fun morning with cookies, coffee or tea, Christmas music and fellowship. Please sign up on the bulletin board by November 29th so we can be prepared with enough supplies. If you have questions, ask Joanne, Kristle Weaver or Elsie.

Men's Bible Study: Men, be sure to mark your calendar and join us the second and fourth Saturday of the month beginning at 8:00am, for Bible Study and a time of fellowship. The next one will be December 12th at 8:00am.

THE NATIVITY MYSTERY

Can Your Family Solve the Mystery of Christmas? Something BIG happened in Bethlehem… and we need YOU to figure out what! Gather your family, put on your detective hats, and get ready for an exciting Clue Christmas adventure! Travel from room to room, meet the characters of the Nativity story, gather clues, answer Bible questions, and work together to solve the mystery of WHO, WHERE, and WHAT happened that first Christmas night! Can your family uncover the clues and crack the case? **Sunday, December 13th at 6:30 PM** here at New Leaf Church. Bring the whole family and invite friends for an evening of mystery, teamwork, laughter, and a reminder of the greatest gift of all — Jesus! The mystery is waiting… Will your family solve it?

Christmas Plates and Boxes: It's the time of year the Women's Sewing Ministry prepares food boxes and plates for persons in the church community. We invite you to help furnish items to fill the boxes. Check the bulletin board, and sign up for items needed. Have all the items at the church by **Dec. 13th.**

Walnut Creek Mennonite Church would like to invite our congregation to join them for an **A Cappella Hymn Sing** on **Sunday, November 29, at 6:30 p.m.** They are planning to host hymn sings on the 5th Sunday evenings throughout the year and would love to welcome members of our church to join them for an evening of singing, worship, and fellowship with other believers. Their next hymn sing will be held at: **Walnut Creek Mennonite Church** 2619 County Road 144, Sugarcreek, OH 44681

For anyone still in need of reserving the church for the holidays: The Church is currently reserved the following dates: Nov. 26, Nov. 27, Nov. 28, Dec. 1 (FLC), Dec. 5, Dec. 11, Dec. 12, Dec. 15 (FLC), Dec. 20, Dec. 25, Dec. 27, Jan. 5 (FLC), Jan. 10, Jan. 19 (FLC)

Amanda will be in the office Monday and Tuesday this week. Please, have new announcements in by Tuesday morning, Nov. 24. Thank you!

Upcoming Events:

November 29 – Communion
December 2 – Jr. Youth Gym Night 6:30 – 7:30pm
December 6 – Change For A Change
December 9 – Ladies Sewing
December 12 - Men's Bible Study 8:00am

Nursery:

Worship Service: Arlene Hershberger & Mikayla Weaver
Next Sunday:
Worship Service: Emma and Addison Hershberger

Happy Birthday!! Pauline Shoup, Jeff Bargerstock, Emma Hershberger, Monica Miller, Luis Wahl
Happy Anniversary!! John & Anna Mast



MINISTRIES

JR YOUTH MINISTRY: **There will be no Jr. Youth on November 25.** The Jr Youth will have a gym night on Wed., December 2, at the church from 6:30pm-7:30pm.
YOUTH MINISTRY: The Youth will be meeting Wednesday nights at 6:30 at the church for Bible study.
WOMEN'S MINISTRY: All ladies are invited to a day of quilting and comforter knotting Wednesday, December 9. For lunch, if you have not been assigned a food, bring a food of your choice.

SERMON NOTES

This Week at New Leaf Church:

Tuesday: Church Reserved
Thursday: Church Reserved
Friday: Church Reserved
Saturday: Church Reserved

PRAYER REQUESTS for LEAF'ers:
Allen Miller, Dave Schlabach, Roy Miller

MONGOLIA & NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

Bismark & Emma Aburto & family; Josue & Marcela Araica & family; Moises & Meylin Guido & family; Valentin & Judith Herrera & family; Melvin & Paola Mendez & family; Fabricio & Claudia Mendoza & family; Carlos & Aracelis Reyes & family

FOR THE RECORD - Sunday, November 15, 2026

Offering: $4671.00 Weekly Budget: $5,552.00
Online: $400.30

SS Attendance: 38 Attendance: 95

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Mission Statement:

In all we do, we will nurture a family of believers to follow Jesus, love and serve others, and worship God wholeheartedly.

Vision Statement:

To journey with Jesus, welcoming the broken to experience God's healing and transformation.



Welcome to New Leaf Church

November 22, 2026

Sunday School: 9:00am

Worship: 10:00am

Good morning and welcome to New Leaf Church! We are so glad you're here! Please feel free to join our family in worship through singing, praying, giving of tithes and offerings, and hearing a Christ-centered message.

Building together on a Godly foundation
Ephesians 2: 19-22

Worship Host: *Bruce Raber*
Worship in Song
Advent Reading & Candle Lighting:
Scripture: *Luke 1:5-25*
Message: *(extra) Ordinary – Ordinary People... Extraordinary God*
Pastor Jeff Bargerstock
Prayer & Sharing