

CHURCH NEWS:

Baptism: Plans are to begin a baptismal class the beginning of October and have baptism on November 9. If anyone is interested in joining, please talk to Pastor Jeff or Pastor Terry.

Gifts Discernment: There is one position still open, Assistant Head Usher. If you would like to fill this position, please talk to someone on the gift's discernment ministry.

New Furniture: We are taking donations for new gathering area furniture that needs to be updated. Lori Wengerd and Arlene Hershberger found several couches and chairs that they would like to purchase in the next month or so, if possible, for around \$4,500.00 - \$5,000.00. There is a donation box in the foyer for anyone who would like to contribute to this project. Talk to Lori Wengerd and Arlene Hershberger with questions.

Harvest Festival: Please stop by the table in the lobby and pick up a poster or raffle tickets to sell for the Harvest Festival. Thanks for helping us get the word out about the festival.

Flower Gardeners: Are you willing to share your fall blooms for the Harvest Festival? Looking for gardeners to donate flowers for the tables for the Harvest Festival. If you like to put flower arrangements together, we could also use your help. Would like to have flowers at the church Friday evening, September 26. We also need vases that would be auctioned off with the flowers on Saturday. If you have any questions, please talk with Yvonne.

Baked Goods: We are looking for your delicious baked goods for the Harvest Festival bake sale. Please include a list of ingredients on all food. All donations are appreciated!

Apple Dumplings: There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for anyone that is able to help make apple dumplings for the Harvest Festival on Thursday, September 25, beginning at 2:00pm. If you are unable to be there at 2:00pm, come as soon as you are able. Any questions talk to Cindy Bargerstock.

Harvest Festival Kick off Meal is Friday, September 26, at 6:30pm. Dennis Raber sausage will be furnished, bring a side dish to share.

Harvest Festival Breakfast: Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are willing to help furnish food for the Harvest Festival Breakfast. Please have all items here by Friday evening, September 26.

Harvest Festival Sunday: The Nisley's will be sharing in song next Sunday, September 28. The service begins at 10:00am, with no Sunday school.

Prayer: Everyone is invited to join us for prayer next Sunday evening at 6:30pm. This is an opportunity to join together to pray for our church, nation, leaders, and for each other.

Love INC Announcements:

1) Love INC of Holmes County's Annual Event is Saturday, November 1, at 6:00pm at Martins Creek Church. Join us for a night of appreciation, community, and celebration as we reflect on God's goodness and the impact we are making together. RSVP today by scanning the QR code on the flyer on the bulletin board or visit our website: <https://loveincofghc.org/event/2024-annual-event-fundrasier/> Have questions? Call 330.473.6017

2) Fresh Start Classes: See the bulletin board for a list of Fresh Start Classes that will be held at Martins Creek Mennonite Church on Monday evenings, October 13 – November 17. These classes are free, open to anyone who is interested, and childcare is provided. Register by visiting <https://loveincofghc.org/fresh-start-class-registration/> or call Love INC at 330-473-6017.

Nursery: Sunday School: Cindy Bargerstock
Worship Service: Arlene Hershberger & Amanda Mast
Next Sunday: Sunday School: No Sunday school
Worship Service: Delores Raber & Emma Hershberger

Happy Birthday!!

Aliyah Weaver, Jocelyn Hewitt

Happy Anniversary!!

Les & Janet Shoup, Martin & Vicki Yoder



Dates to Remember:

September 25 – Apple Dumplings at 2:00pm.
September 26 – Harvest Festival Kick Off Meal at 6:30pm.
September 27 – Harvest Festival
September 28 – The Nisley's will be sharing in song at 10:00am. No Sunday school.
September 28 – Prayer 6:30pm
October 26 – 6-8pm Ted Lowe, free Livestream, to talk parenting. This is hosted by a New Leaf Church small group. See flyer on bulletin board for more information.
November 9 - Baptism

MINISTRIES

YOUTH MINISTRY:

**The youth meet on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm at the church for Bible Study.
**The youth have a game night on the third Sunday evening of each month.

SERMON NOTES

This Week at Longenecker:

Today: Church Reserved for Youth

Wednesday:
6:30pm Youth Bible Study
7:00pm Worship Team Practice

Thursday:
2:00pm Apple Dumplings

Friday:
6:30pm Harvest Festival Kick Off Meal

Saturday:
Harvest Festival

PRAYER REQUESTS for LEAF'ers:

Allen Miller, Ben Miller, Dave Schlabach, Jeanie Gatti, Sarah Beachy

MONGOLIA & NICARAGUA MISSIONARIES:

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

FOR THE RECORD - Sunday, September 14, 2025

Offering: \$10,185.00 Weekly Budget: \$5,300.00

Furniture Fund: \$0.00 Furniture Fund Total: \$100.00

Together We Can!: \$15,870.00
Quarterly Budget: \$15,020.00
Current Quarter Total: \$16,420.00 (September-November)

SS Attendance: 31 Attendance:

CONTACT INFORMATION:



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The Mission of LEAF is to call individuals to a growing, personal relationship with Jesus Christ by demonstrating His love through everything we do and by providing opportunities for Worship, Nurture, Fellowship, and Service.



**Welcome to
Longenecker Fellowship
September 21, 2025
Sunday School: 9:00am
Worship: 10:00am**

Good morning and welcome to Longenecker! 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.

*Go and Make Disciples
Matthew 28: 19 - 20*

Worship Host: *Royal Mast*
Worship in Song
Children's Church
Scripture: *Genesis 39: 1-6*
Message: *Joseph – The Man Who Wouldn't Compromise*
Pastor Jeff Bargerstock
Prayer & Sharing