Welcome!

November 22, 2026

Jesus came full of grace and truth, and that is what we hope you encounter among us: a warm welcome, honest conversation, and a church family seeking to follow Him together in every season of life.

Overview of Services

10 AM - ENGLISH & SWAHILI WORSHIP SERVICE

Scriptures Psalm 130:5-8 | Matthew 25:1-13

Worship Austen Kewin

Welcome Sean High

Offering Supports Congregational Needs
Online Giving at stumptown.church/give/ or text (717) 510-1832 .

Message Greg Detweiler - Wise or Foolish

Communion

12 PM - SWAHILI WORSHIP SERVICE

Message Charles Maina

Education & Children Opportunities

Children & Youth Classes: 9am-9:50am
Toddlers | PreK-5th | Jr. High | Sr. High

Adult & Young Adult Classes: 9am-9:50am

During the service the nursery is available for parents' use, and there is staffed childcare for 2-3 year olds. All classrooms except Friendship Partners are located on the lower level. More details on each class can be found at stumptown.church/sunday-school-classes/

STUMPTOWN PRAYER GUIDE

11/22 . . . . . Dale & Kathy Mast
11/23 . . . . . Greg & Carol Myers
11/24 . . . . . Randy & Lois Zook
11/25 . . . . . Brandon DaSilva
11/26 . . . . . Leon Oberholtzer
11/27 . . . . . Bob & Judy Leaman
11/28 . . . . . Darrell & Sue Zimmerman

PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAISES

- **PRAY** for River Wachter undergoing follow-up surgery on Nov. 30th
- **PRAISE GOD** for good recoveries for Braby Bare & Nora Detweiler
- **PRAY** for this week of Thanksgiving, that the fruit of God's Spirit would be evident among the families gathering together

CONNECT THIS WEEK

Week of November 22

MONDAY - November 23
Christmas Choir Rehearsal (7pm)

WEDNESDAY - November 24
Youth Group (7pm)

FRIDAY - November 25
Afternoon Prayer (3pm)

SUNDAY - November 29
Message: Keith Nyce
Hymn Sing (7pm)

UPCOMING

NOVEMBER
Christmas Choir Rehearsal 30

DECEMBER
Youth Group 2
Ladies' Christmas Tea 4
Welcome Lunch 6
Sewing Circle 8
Cantata Choir 13
Youth Christmas Party 16
Christmas Breakfast 20
Christmas Eve Service 24

Thanksgiving Service | Today, Sunday, November 22 | 7 PM
This year, Mellinger Mennonite Church will host the CV Community Thanksgiving Service. It will be an evening of gratitude as we worship the Lord for His goodness and faithfulness to us. Please make plans to join us for an evening of singing and sharing - thanking God for HIs many blessings.

Affirmation Ballot & Nominations Due | Today, Sunday, November 22

Ladies' Christmas Tea | Friday, December 4 | 6:30 PM
Join us at the church for an evening of fellowship, light refreshments, and a craft. There is also an optional gift exchange should you choose to bring a small gift with you - see flyer for more details. This event is open to all ladies 18 and older. Feel free to invite your friends! *(Contact: Deb High)*

New Sermon Series: Foretaste to Fullness | November 29 - December 20
While the book of Revelation is often associated with apocalyptic dread, it is largely a book of exhortation and encouragement to God's people as they live with longing for and anticipation of Jesus' promised return and the full establishment of His Kingdom. This longing and anticipation are what the season of Advent invites us to focus on. Join us as we consider how the book of Revelation reminds us to live in the reality of Jesus' first Advent while awaiting all that has been promised in his second Advent.

The Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster invites you to join for their 2026 Christmas concert series, Welcome to Our World. The heartfelt program celebrates the birth of Jesus and shares a message of hospitality, joy, and community, including selections from Handel's Messiah and other Christmas favorites from around the world and across time. Singers in grades 2 - 12, including River Wachter & Teddy Leaman, are eager to share music with you!

- *Thursday, December 3, 7 p.m at Highland Presbyterian Church*
- *Saturday, December 5, 3 p.m. at Neffsville Mennonite Church*
- *Sunday, December 6, 4 p.m. at Neffsville Mennonite Church*

For more details: https://mennonitechildrenschoir.org/performances/

BELIEVE . BELONG . GROW .

Partner Ministry Highlights

CONESTOGA VALLEY CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SERVICES

cvccs.org/productdonations

FOOD NEEDS

- Regular sized boxes of cereal
- Hearty canned soup
- Hamburger helper
- Taco kits

CLOTHING NEEDS

- Juniors XS-L winter clothing
- Girls 5-6 winter clothing
- Girls 24months-2T winter clothing

BROWNSTOWN CHURCHES CHRISTMAS MEAL

The Christmas Meal is in need of food supplies and volunteers! Cooked turkeys, various vegetables and desserts - sign up online to donate or volunteer Christmas Day: bit.ly/BrownstownChristmas2026. *Contact June for more details: 717-368-9085.*

Leadership

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Mushtaq Masih & Humaira Mushtaq

Other leadership positions:
stumptown.church/leaders

Groups

Sewing Circle
Second Tuesday each month – 9am
All ages welcome.

Table Tennis
Thursdays – 7pm

Youth Group
Wednesdays – 7pm
Grades 7-12

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SMC Guest
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How can we pray for you? Text PRAYER to 833-923-3822

