

Mechanic Grove Church of the Brethren

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**WHAT DO YOU SEE?
LUKE 10:25-37
SOUTHERN END
CELEBRATION SUNDAY**

**Kevin Richardson
Senior Pastor**

**Janae McMichael
Director of Family Ministries**

August 24, 2025

10:30 WORSHIP SERVICE

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

*SONG *"This is My Father's World"* Insert

COMMUNITY BUILDING

Announcements

Please pass the Friendship Pad

Morning Prayer

Bible Presentations

KID'S SERMON & BACKPACK BLESSING

SONG *"I Speak Jesus"* Insert

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

"What Do You See?"

Luke 10:25-37

*CLOSING SONG *"Reckless Love"* Insert

*CLOSING PRAYER

Please stand in body or in spirit

Birthday Offerings may be brought forth at this time. These support those in need through our Benevolence Fund.

What Do You See?

Luke 10:25-37

1. A neighbor _____ the _____ of _____, v 33
2. A neighbor _____ . v 34
3. A neighbor _____ the _____ . v 35
4. A neighbor _____ like _____ . vs 36-37

I John 3:17

Serving Our Congregation Today

Preacher:	Kevin Richardson
Children's Story:	Janae McMichael
Sound Tech:	Ed Heidinger II
Welcomers: 10:30	Herb & Darlene Kreider
Greeters: 10:30	Vince & Judy Becker
Nursery: 10:30	Peggy Rasmussen & Maura Housekeeper
Praise Team: 10:30	Cameryn Deibler, Ellie Dillow, Phil Hershey, Jake Holzhauer, Lori Holzhauer, Hannah & Kennedy Kreider, Caitlyn Mauger, Kinsey Rhodes, Jeremy Stoltzfus, Katherine Tshudy

August 17, 2025 – Financial Report

General Offering	\$15,882.86	In Person Attendance	143
Building Maintenance Fund	\$87.00	Sunday School	36
Strategic Vision	\$0.00	Online Attendees	12

Strategic Vision Fund (Balance Due): \$48,500.00

2025 Offering envelopes are available in the office

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MESSAGES FOR THE BODY

Book Group will meet at Connie Rutt's in Ocean City, NJ on August 27. We will discuss "Before We Were Yours" by Lisa Wingate.

Save the Date! COBYS Bike n Hike September 7. For more information, see the bulletin board across from the family mailboxes.

BHA is looking to restock their **Supply Closet** for the participants in the Transition program. If you would like to help restock, see the display in the Gathering Area.

Ladies: The women of Little Britain Presbyterian Church invite you to their fellowship meal, Tuesday, September 23 at 6:30 pm. Program by LuAnn Wise. "What's That in Your Hand?" – how God makes the ordinary into extraordinary. A free will offering will be taken. See the bulletin board across from the mailboxes. **RSVP by September 15.**

Messenger is the Church of the Brethren magazine and is a good way to keep up to date with the events of the church! If you currently receive or would like to start receiving it, contact Rhonda in the church office *by September 21.*

OTHER IMPORTANT INFO

Our Nursery is available and staffed with caring adults for children ages 0-4 during the service.

Announcements for the bulletin are due **by 12 Noon on Wednesdays**. They may be e-mailed to church@mgcb.org. *Announcements may be edited for length.*

Items for projection and sound on Sunday's are needed by 12 Noon Wednesday. This will ensure enough time for copyright analysis if needed.

To place flowers in the church on Sunday for anniversaries, birthdays, or other celebrations, please contact the church office.

All building use requests/event scheduling should be done through the church office between the hours of 9 am and 2 pm, or email church@mgcb.org.

Looking for **Youth Roots events**? Text your first and last name and "youth events" to 844.564.6146.

To receive e-communications contact the church office. If for some reason, you are **currently subscribed and not receiving them**, contact Ed at edh@mgcb.org.

Solanco Food Bank Needs: cans of tomato/chicken noodle/seafood chowder soups, cans of green beans/corn, boxes of spaghetti, Triscuits/Wheat Thins, fruit/pudding cups, snack crackers. Items may be placed in the Mealbarrow in the Gathering Area.



FAMILY MINISTRY UPDATES

See what's been going on and what's ahead in Roots Family Ministry!

THIS WEEK'S FAMILY THEME:

FAITH GUIDES OUR CONDUCT

DISCIPLE EVERY GENERATION:

TALK AS A HOUSEHOLD... JAMES WROTE ABOUT THE NEED TO BE HUMBLE. HOW DO WE ACHIEVE HUMILITY? WHY DOES HUMILITY CONFLICT WITH OUR NATURAL DESIRES?



**THIS WEEK'S
ROOT TEXT:**

JAMES 3:13-4:17

LIL' ROOTS



2YO-5TH

Bible Presentations

- **Preschool:** Cohen Krantz, Everleigh Heidinger
- **Kindergarten:** Josie Bollinger, Elizabeth Kipp, Jameson Stoltzfus
- **3rd Grade:** Addie Bledsoe, Nora Bollinger, Lucas Criswell, Isaac Kreider, Brantley Kern, Maverick Tshudy, Anna Price, Mallory Stoltzfus

Grow Groups

- NOT meeting in August! See you in September!
 - K-1: September 14th
 - 2-3: September 21st
 - 4-5 (+ 6th): September 28th - Bridge Roots Launch Party!!

YOUTH ROOTS



6TH-12TH

August Gather Event

- **6th Grade:** Carsten Keefer, Ethan Kipp
- **9th Grade:** Cameryn Deiber, Alyssa Herr

Wednesday Roots Nights

- Prayerfully considering signing up to be a Youth Roots mentor for the '25-'26 year! We need men and women!

OAKS



OLDER ADULTS

National Older Adult Conference - Sept 1-5

- See the OAKS Bulletin Board for more details

ANE District Older Adult Coffeehouse

- Tuesday October 21 at 2:00 pm at Lancaster Church of the Brethren. Carpool leaves MGC B at 1:15.
- Dave Weiss, a COB pastor and artist will share his gift of painting as he shares a message.

OUR MISSION

Mechanic Grove Church of the Brethren exists to be a united people fully following Jesus' teaching through knowing, living, and sharing Christ's love.

OUR VISION

Since 1897, Mechanic Grove Church of the Brethren has been serving the Lord Jesus Christ through the faithful proclamation of the Gospel, engaging worship, community service, and growing fully devoted followers of Christ. By living out our Brethren heritage and New Testament beliefs, we seek to reach the lost, serve the least, and transform the community for the glory of God.

CORE VALUES



Unconditional Love



Evangelism & Missions



Christ-Centered Worship



Every Generation Ministry



Community Engagement & Service



Intentional Spiritual Growth



Faithful Stewardship & Radical Generosity



Brethren Distinctives & Practice



Scan the QR code
for more information
on our Core Values.

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