

Iowa Mennonite School:

- **IMS needs volunteers on October 9** to help with alumni and friends data collection. Come out to IMS at 6:00PM and join friends, classmates, and faculty/staff as we work together at gathering emails to complete our info database. Food and fellowship will be provided. Please RSVP to Jeremy Ours at jours@iowamennonite.org.
- **Tuesday October 10** Clergy Appreciation Day where area pastors come to IMS and participate in classes, chapel, talk with the Administration.
- **The Joetown Classic** 5K run walk will take place on Saturday October 14 at IMS. Go to <http://www.iowamennonite.org/joetown-classic-2/> for details and to register. ***This is your last chance to register before Oct 2 to guarantee a free shirt.***
- **The Annual Pork Supper** will be on Saturday October 14 serving from 4:30-7:00PM in Hillcrest Union. The junior class is currently selling tickets, but tickets will also be available at the door. Tickets are \$10 Adults, \$9 Seniors 65+, \$5 Kids 4-12, and Free Kids 0-3.
- **October 15 Fall Music Concert** at 3:00PM in Celebration Hall and following all 6th-8th graders and their families are invited to a **Harvest Party** with our FFA following the Fall Music Concert (around 4:30PM). There will be hot dogs, fun and games. Please RSVP at www.iowamennonite.org/party/.
- **November 4 & 5** IMS will present the fall musical, *Anne of Green Gables*, directed by Alisa Kandel and Michael Swartzendruber. Tickets are now on sale by calling the office at 319-656-2073.

Crooked Creek Christian Camp

- SENIOR DAY is October 12, 9am-2:30pm. For more information and to register by October 10 go to crookedcreekcamp.org/senior-day.html and sign up today!
- WOOD CUTTING DAY is November 11 starting at 8am until finished. Lunch is provided, please RSVP by calling the camp office or emailing Tim at crookedcreekcamp.org
- ANNUAL MEETING is November 14 with dinner served at 6:15pm. Meeting and stories of camp begin at 7:00pm. All are invited to celebrate camp ministry.
- CRAFT RETREAT is November 17-18, from 3pm to 3pm. One night with meals and snacks. Details available at crookedcreekcamp.org

Enjoy delicious pizza at Geyer's Oven on October 12th while supporting the **Iowa Mennonite Relief Sale**. Pizza will be served from 5-8, and from 6-7:30 there will be live music and a barn dance. Please bring your lawn chairs/blankets, and drinks if you choose. Cost is by donation.

Opportunity at English River Church of the Brethren: Dawn Ottoni-Wilhelm will explore the theme, "Jesus' ways to Newness of Life" on Tuesday evening, October 10, at 7:00 at the English River Church of the Brethren, 2 1/4 miles east of South English. Supper at 6:00 and worship, "Helping Bodies" (Matthew 14:13-21,) at 7:00. Dawn Ottoni-Wilhelm is Professor of Preaching and Worship at Bethany Theological Seminary in Richmond, Indiana. Born and reared in Detroit, Michigan, Professor Ottoni-Wilhelm was ordained in the church of the Brethren in 1987. She completed doctoral work in practical theology at Princeton Theological Seminary in 2004. She is an active member of the North American Academy of Homiletics and serves on the international governing board of Societas Homiletica. She has received honors for her books on preaching.

Welcome Guests!

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

I would like information on:

___ **How to become a Christian**

___ **How to become a member**

___ **Kalona Mennonite Church**

___ **Being baptized**

___ **Christian Counseling**

___ **I would like prayer for:**

(Please put this information in the offering basket)

Become a Christian: Start Here

God, I have sinned by turning away from you and trying to run my own life.

I am sorry and confess my sins.

(Take a few moments to ask Christ for His forgiveness and for anything in particular that is on your mind.)

Forgive my sins and let me start anew.

Thank you God, for your Son, Jesus who defeated Satan.

Thank you for your death on the cross for me so that I can be forgiven, saved from my past, and set free to live in Christ.

God, I ask for the gift of the Holy Spirit to give me the power to live like Jesus: loving others, forgiving others, sharing possessions, worshipping, and witnessing for Jesus.

I give my allegiance to Jesus Christ above every other loyalty.

I commit myself to Christ and His church.

Thank you Jesus, for saving me and living with me forever by Your Spirit. Amen

THIS WEEK

Today

9:00 AM Intentional Prayer Time

6-9:00 PM MYF at Larry's
7-8:00 PM Bible Study

Monday

7:00 PM Church Council

Tuesday

9-11:00 AM MOMSnext

Wednesday

WMSC

6:30 PM The Quest Women's Bible Study

6:45 PM All Things New Women's Bible Study

Thursday

7:00 PM Worship Team Practice

Friday

6-7:00 AM Men's Bible Study

Next Sunday

9:00 AM Intentional Prayer Time

LOOKING AHEAD

October 18 8 AM-8PM Comforter Blitz