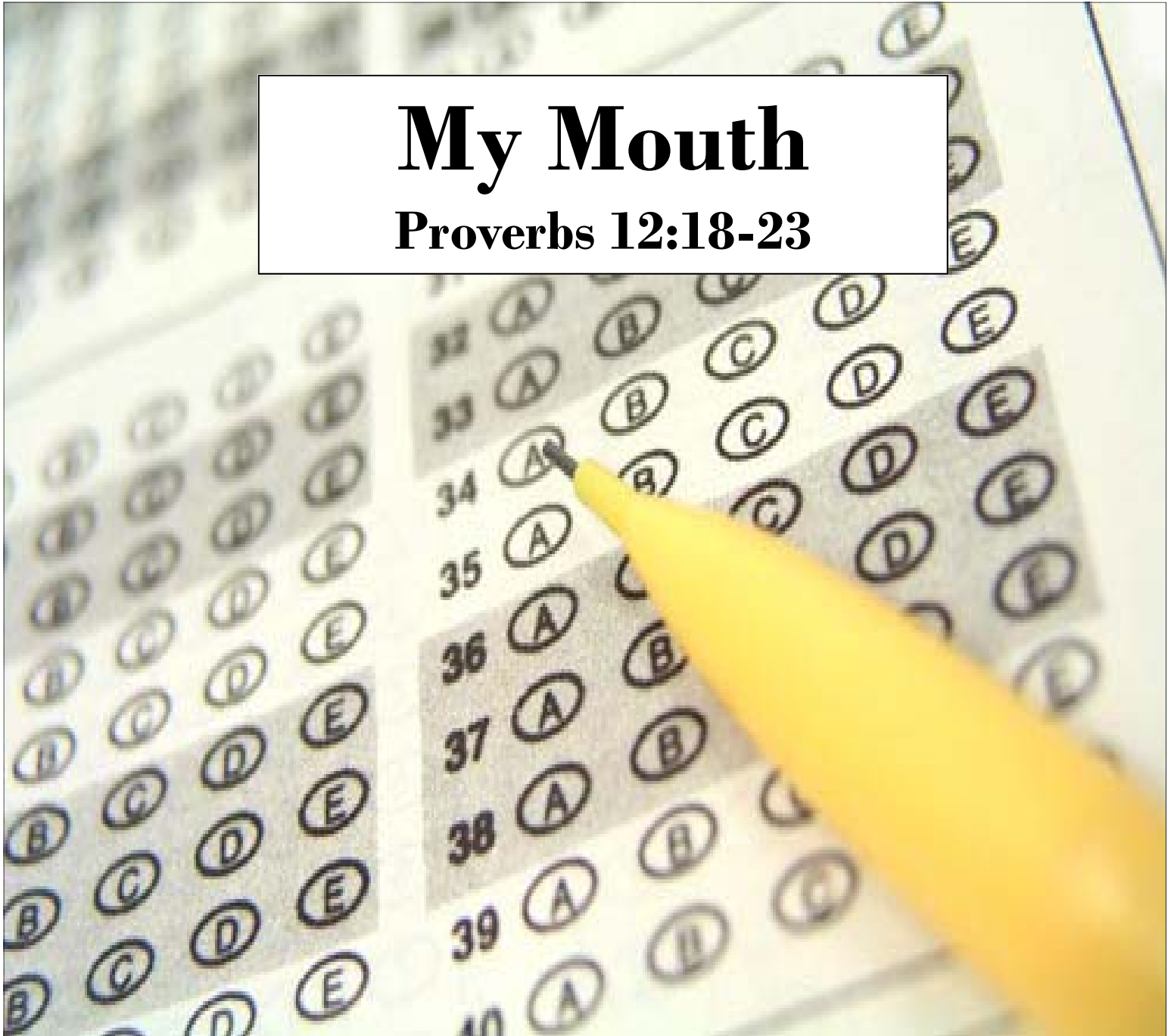


Sunday, May 30, 2010

LIFE'S MULTIPLE CHOICES

My Mouth

Proverbs 12:18-23



**Reckless words pierce like a sword...
Truthful lips endure forever....**

Proverbs 12:18-19



ARTHUR MENNONITE CHURCH

Discipling - Community Life - Outreach - Worship
Spreading the light, peace, love and hope of Jesus Christ

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TODAY'S WORSHIP CELEBRATION

10:30 am Sunday May 30, 2010

We're glad you're here!

If you are a visitor or a newcomer this morning we would like to invite you back next Sunday and look forward to meeting each of you.

Today's Worship Leader: Willis Kuhns

Song Leader: Dee Kuhns **Message:** Glen Rhodes

Prelude singing begins at 10:20

*indicates those who are able may stand

GATHERING AS A CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY

* Gathering Song: "Come, Now is the Time to Worship"

Welcome & Prayer

Congregational Information

Call to Worship: "Proclaim the Glory of Your Name"

PRAISING AND WORSHIPING GOD'S NAME

Children's Time

We Worship God by Presenting Tithes & Offerings

*With Voices He Has Given Us:

Blue #112 "O Lord, Our Lord, How Majestic"

Blue #355 "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

Intercessory Prayer: Jeff Marner

Scripture Readings: James 3:9-12; Matthew 12:33-37

Video: "The Gossip Prayer Group"

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Message: Life's Multiple Choices:

"Reckless Words & Truthful Lips" Proverbs 12:18-23

Prayer of Response

Song of Response: "Glorify Thy Name"

Communion

GOING FORTH IN THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

* Sending Words & Prayer

* Sending Song: "Doxology"

Come forward for prayer following the service. A Pastor will be waiting at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you.

Go in the Peace of Christ!

OUR VISION AT ARTHUR MENNONITE

By 2012 as followers of Jesus Christ, Arthur Mennonite Church will be committed to holistic discipleship.

Through our daily lives we will:

Honor God, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit through worship.

Build Relationships with each other in our **community life.**

Share Christ and develop relationships through **outreach.**

Grow in Christ, following His example in God's Word through **discipling.**

To these purposes, the spiritual gifts, personal styles and calling of God's people will be valued and utilized and the participation of everyone will be encouraged.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR

BEGINS AT 9:30 A.M.

Children Ages 2-5, Grades 1-6

—In the West basement.

Led by: Gloria Yoder, Rhonda Rhodes, Amy Diener, Karen Miller, Lyndora Miller, Lanora Gingerich, Marlene Helmuth, and Martha Otto

Youth Grades 7-12 at the Youth House.

Led by Lamar and Nadine Miller

Adult:

- ▶ “Teachings on Community” Standard adult Mennonite Sunday School Lesson
—In the Fellowship Hall
- ▶ “Community with a Mission”
—In Rooms 5 & 6 in the East basement.



PERSONAL WORSHIP NOTES

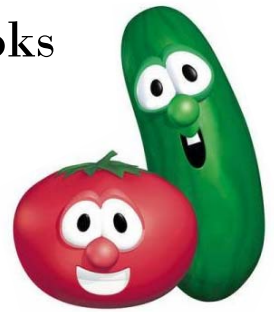
Use this space to write down things that encourage you, inspire you, or speak to you during the Worship Celebration!



Discipling Developing and Coordinating our Relationships

NEW IN THE LIBRARY For Children

There are some new children's books and DVD's in the church library available for checkout. They are currently in the book rack in the foyer and include several Berenstain Bears and VeggieTales titles.



ROANOKE MENNONITE UPDATES On Discipling Board

Many of you have been asking about Roanoke Mennonite's recent vote to possibly leave MCUSA and Illinois Mennonite Conference. Please read the updates that Conference minister Chuck Neufeld has been writing in his weekly newsletters. Those are posted each week on the Discipling board. The last two are posted.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Snacks

Community VBS will be at AMC June 7-11 this year. We are needing just a few more financial donations to cover the cost of snacks. Grab an envelope off the poster on the C.L. board if you can help out.



LAST SUNDAY

Attendance: Worship—130

Christian Education—51

Offering: Total=\$2,242 Budget Needs=\$3,713

Elizabeth Beachy Memorial money to youth group = \$1,261

REMINDERS

June 6th Fellowship Meal: Willis & Dee Kuhns /
Kenny & Melissa Schrock

June Homebuilders: Debbie Kauffman (Beth Moore for women)

June Arthur Home Service: Floyd Miller & Levi Yoder

Visitor of the Week: Dee Kuhns

Nursery Today: Les & Marlene Helmuth

Nursery Next Sunday: Kenny & Erica Schrock

KEEPING UP WITH AMC

- ▶ Today is Katie Kauffman's 86th birthday!
- ▶ Carrie Kuhns is living in Bloomington, IL this summer and has a Human Resources internship with Growmark.
- ▶ Jake and Maranna Chupp's granddaughter Paige Dukeman recently graduated from DePauw University with a degree in Communications.
- ▶ Junior & Judy Beachey traveled to Goshen, IN this weekend for their grandson Harrison Beachey's high school graduation.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Today Katie Kauffman
Kenny (Erica) Schrock
Mon. Erica Schrock
Sat. Cory Kauffman

ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

Wed. Matt & Jacque Lane



Community Life Our Relationships with Each Other

BABY SHOWERS DEDICATIONS & FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Next Sunday

Next Sunday we will be having a baby shower and dedication service for newborns Jordan Gingerich and Grant Helmuth. This shower will be a diaper shower for both. Please bring size 4 diapers and up in Huggies brand if possible. The shower will take place during the first Sunday fellowship meal on June 6th.



MEN'S PICNIC Signup

The Men's Cookout has been scheduled for June 19th at Bryan Yoder's pond. Please bring swim trunks and life jackets. Sign up on the Community Life Board.

PATHFINDERS Haystack Supper

Pathfinders will gather at Oreo & Martha's house tonight at 5 p.m. for a haystack supper. Talk to Martha to see what you can contribute to the meal.



Outreach Our Relationships with the World

MCC MEAT CANNING

Local project

The Arthur Community will be involved again in raising funds for Mennonite Central Committee's meat canning program. Please see the flyer in your mailbox today with details on how you can help out with donations. AMC will also be designating the fifth Sunday offering in August to go to this MCC world outreach.



MEALS ON WHEELS

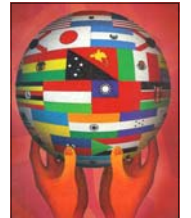
Schedule for this week

Tues.	Phyllis Kauffman
Wed.	Lela Reynolds
Thurs.	Alta Yoder
Fri. & Sat.	Dee Kuhns



PRAYERS FOR OUR WORLD

- ▶ Pray about the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico.
- ▶ Remember to pray for Tennessee and the flooding.
- ▶ Pray for our supported missionaries. The Hochstetlers in England & the Rheinheimers in Ecuador. Lift up all those in mission work around the world.
- ▶ IMC Congregation: Roanoke Mennonite Church



UPCOMING EVENTS

Christian Education Hour
9:30am in the youth house
for scripture study.

Today, May 30th
No Youth

Congrats to the Graduates

Next Sunday, June 6th
6:00pm Meet at the youth
house for devotions
and games.

YOUTH BEAT



REMEMBERING IN PRAYER

- ▶ Graduates as they take next step in life.
- ▶ Families who have recently lost loved ones.
- ▶ Community Vacation Bible School at AMC.
- ▶ Upcoming AMC Mission Trips to West Virginia & Ecuador.
- ▶ Ed and Edna Gingerich (Ed's Rehab)
- ▶ Nim Gray (Pancreatic Cancer, Faye Oye's nieces husband)
- ▶ Max Duzan & family (4 year old Arthur boy with leukemia)
- ▶ Those in the Arthur Home, and Eberhardt Village



Worship Our Relationship with Jesus

FIFTH SUNDAY OFFERING

Today

The Discipling Commission has designated today's fifth Sunday offering to go towards replenishing the AMC outreach funds. These funds are used to help reach out to people in our church, community, and world and have also been used to assist those going on mission trips.

NEW CHRISTIAN ED. CLASS

Starting Next
Sunday

A new Christian Ed. class is going to be starting next Sunday in the East basement. "That the World May Know" is the title. This is a unique video series that brings God's Word to life through various faith lessons filmed in the Holy Lands. This class will contain 15 minutes of video and then 30 minutes for discussion. Plan to join us and see the land which Jesus walked.

STAYING IN THE WORD THROUGH THE WEEK

May 31: 2Chron 13-14; John 12:1-26
 Jun 1: 2Chron 15-16; John 12:27-50
 Jun 2: 2Chron 17-18; John 13:1-20
 Jun 3: 2Chron 19-20; John 13:21-38
 Jun 4: 2Chron 21-22; John 14
 Jun 5: 2Chron 23-24; John 15
 Jun 6: 2Chron 25-27; John 16



**JUNE 6TH WORSHIP
 CELEBRATION**
"Humble and Teachable"
 Main Scripture Text:
Proverbs 11:2-6
 Others:
 James 1:19-25;
 Philippians 2:1-4

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today	5:00 pm	Pathfinders at Otto's
Tues. June 1	All Day	WMSC Quilting
	3:15 pm	Ministry Team Meeting
Wed. June 2	7:00 pm	Financial Peace Life Group
Sun. June 6	9:30 am	Christian Education Hour
		Arthur Home Service
	10:30 am	Worship Celebration
		Child Dedications
	11:45 pm	Fellowship Meal/Diaper Showers
	1:15 pm	Softball Games (Double Header)

FUTURE EVENTS

June 7-11 Vacation Bible School

Snapshot of the Week

JUST FOR FUN



Sondra Gallinger and her daughter Taya Foushi at Mattoon High School graduation. Congrats!

- A mole can dig a tunnel 300 feet long in just one night.
- A skunk can spray its stinky scent more than 10 feet.
- A sneeze travels out your mouth at over 100 mph.
- A toothpick is the object most often choked on by Americans!



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