



# BULLETIN

December 7, 2025

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*Coffee Hour @ 9:15*

*Sunday School @ 9:30*

## SERMON NOTES

*Every Reason To Hope: The Prophecies*

## SONGS FOR TODAY

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

Let's Worship & Adore Him/I Extol

You (#247-248)

Worthy, You Are Worthy (#106)

I Speak Jesus

Emmanuel

## SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

1 Peter 1:10-12



website



give online



guest information

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS



**Ladies' Retreat** All ladies (HS & older) are welcome to join us at Fairview Mennonite Church on Saturday 1/24! This one-day gathering will be full of teaching & breakout sessions, food, giveaways & more! We also have volunteer opportunities for this event. Questions? Contact Jen Recker.



**2026 Directory** It's that time of year! Please add/update/confirm your information for the 2026 directory online. Paper forms are also available in the Welcome Center. Deadline is December 15!

**Advent Special Music** There are still slots open if you would like to sing during the offertory time this Advent season or at the Christmas Eve service. Please sign up in the lobby. Any special sound/music needs must be coordinated with the Worship Commission Sound Team.

**Christmas Caroling** is next Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, @ 2 PM! Those wishing to participate should meet in the Fellowship Hall at 2 pm to organize and then head out in caravan to carol. Once done, everyone reconvenes at the church for a light supper and time of fellowship. Anyone of any age is welcome to come along! Dress accordingly!

**Carry-In Meal** is today following 2<sup>nd</sup> service! We hope you'll join us for lunch!



**Ladies' Potluck Breakfast & Cookie Packing** All ladies are invited to the church on Tuesday December 16 @ 9 AM for a potluck breakfast! Following breakfast, the group will pack Christmas cookies for December's Grocery Bag Ministry distribution on 12/18. To donate cookies, please sign-up by scanning the QR code. If you need to coordinate a drop off time, contact the office!

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## *Hello, Church!*

We have so many new families here at Mohican and we are grateful to God for bringing you here! We wanted to take a moment to provide some information on a vital ministry to our community, housed right within these walls.

Back in July 2010, our church established Grocery Bag Ministry (commonly referred to as "GBM"). On the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month, we open our doors to anyone in the community to provide them with groceries and a meal. It is our desire to feed the hungry, both in body & soul; for that reason, the Word of God is also shared at each distribution. The team has changed over the last 15 years, but God has always been the reason for why we give to those in need in our community.

Since the ministry began, the team has purchased all of the groceries rather than going through a larger food bank. This has been solely possible because of God & donations given by gracious members of our church & community. Donations come in all forms: canned food from food drives, monetary and meat (venison included!) from commercial processors.

Lately, we have noticed our savings account quickly decreasing in funds, primarily due to the increase in grocery prices. GBM is not a budgeted line item for Mohican's funds; this means we do not receive any Mohican funding unless your offering is specifically noted for GBM (memo line notation on your check, written on your offering envelope, or selected in tithe.ly online).

GBM began as a ministry to honor Christ and give as He told us to give. We will continue to do so until funding runs out. We covet your prayers for this ministry as we know God has plans and sees things that we cannot see. His plan is greater than anything we can imagine and we are truly grateful for that!

Thank you so much for taking the time to read! If you have any questions, we would be happy to speak with you!

*The GBM Task Team*

- Ali Bartholomew, Heather Tegtmeier, Phyllis Becker, Bob and Chris Tennant