



**Weekly prayer requests from
Central Plains Mennonite
Conference**

Today is Mennonite World Fellowship Sunday. On January 21, 1525, the first Anabaptist baptism took place in Zurich, Switzerland. Today we give thanks for our common roots, celebrate our worldwide fellowship, and look to God's guidance for the future.



How great is the love lavished on us all that we can be called the children of God.

CONSIDER IT PURE JOY, MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS, WHENEVER YOU FACE TRIALS OF MANY KINDS, BECAUSE YOU KNOW THAT THE TESTING OF YOUR FAITH PRODUCES PERSEVERANCE.

NIV#
JAMES 1:2-3



Gavin Dunlap (Tues) Kira Schweitzer (Tues)

Jacob Spohn (Thurs) Scott Spohn (Thurs)

John Burkey (Sat)

Pastor - Steve Griffin

cell 402-646-0714

Associate Pastor of Youth & Pastoral Care – Taric Leichty

cell 319-759-0847

Livestream begins at 10:00 a.m.

As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to him privately. "Tell us," they said, "when will this happen, and what will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age?"

Matthew 24:3

Bellwood Mennonite Church

520 South B Street

Milford, NE 68405

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Welcome to Bellwood Mennonite Church!
Whether you are joining us on-site or
online, we are so happy to have you
worship with us today!

January 31, 2021

Prelude: Pam Erb
Worship Team

Announcements &

Call to Worship: Deann Herr

Prayer: Taric Leichty

Scripture: John Goertzen
Matthew 24:1-14

Message: Steve Griffin
"The Last Days According To Jesus"

Please drop your offering in the box at the back of the church.

******Sunday Morning Schedule******

9:15 - 9:45 am - Sunday School

10:00 am – Worship in Person & on Livestream

What's happening at Bellwood this week:

Tuesday, February 2nd - Elder's Meeting
6:00 pm

Wednesday, February 3rd – Grounded youth
Jr. High 6:15 – 7:15
Sr. High 7:30 – 9:00

Thursday, February 4th - A.A. & Alanon - 7:30

Saturday, February 6th - Men's Study Group – 8 am



Last Week: Worship Attendance ?? / Online Attendance ??

13th Week Budget Report

<u>Budget Giving Summary</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Contributions	\$5,976	

Tim Detweiler

Diane Irwin

Joy Steckly's Mom

Sherry Hostetler

School Staff & Students

Our Community Churches

Care facility residents

Peace of the Nations

Marriages and Friendships



Announcements

Dear congregations participating with Nebraska Mennonite Mission and Benevolent Board;

The Benevolent Board of directors will be meeting remotely on Tuesday February 9, 2021 rather than our usual in-person meeting in York. We are reminding you with joy that we will again be using our time together to contribute to the scholarship of Mennonite students, to find ways to enhance the ministries of our Nebraska churches and to brainstorm ways to finance the mission of Jesus Christ. Please bring your requests to your pastor(s) or your representative. Because of the elimination of travel, church missions, and conventions, there may possibly be more funds available than usual, so allow yourselves to dream. We may need to modify requests, but that's our burden.

Also, we would appreciate having names of scholarship students attending Mennonite Colleges and Universities as early as possible this year.

Thank you from the Board.

The Jr. High and High School Grounded Youth Groups will be hosting a Tacos for Tractors in Tajikistan fundraiser on Sunday, March 14, 2021 immediately following the church service. We will spread the tables out in the fellowship hall to afford sufficient space. There will also be to-go containers for those who would prefer to dine at home.

Free Will Donation.

More details to come about the missionaries we are supporting (JJ and Jessica).

Our very first “Serve Sunday” is February 14th! What is *Serve Sunday*? It's a monthly opportunity for all ages (Pre-K – 100 years +) to serve together during the Sunday School hour.

Our first project is putting together care packages for 113 employees at Milford Public Schools. We'll be putting them together **February 14th at 9:00 am** and we need your help!

Also, as *Serve Sundays* continue, we ask for ideas that involve completing projects where we physically work together (Covid precautions will be followed). So, if you have something on your heart in an area to serve—no matter what age you are—please share it!

All ideas are welcome and will be discerned for what fits our church's gifts and abilities. You can share your ideas by placing them in a designated box in the back of the sanctuary or by emailing

bell606@windstream.net or
roxanne.glanzer@gmail.com.

Men's Study Group - February 6th

We roll up our sleeves, dig into the Bible, discuss how to apply it to Jesus-centered living, and enjoy hot coffee, laughter, and shared prayers. No dues, secret handshake or experience required! We would love to have you and our neighbors test-drive the faith-building conversations! We meet every-other-Saturday morning at 8 AM in the fellowship hall.