

**Kaufman Mennonite Church**  
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# Kaufman Mennonite Church

*Knowing, Growing In, and Sharing God's Story*

## LAST SUNDAY

Attendance-- Worship: 111 Sunday School: 62 Online visits: 51  
Offerings: General Fund \$ 2,779.00 Designated \$ 116.00  
Total \$ 2,895.00

## October 20, 2024

**Speaker:** Michael Dean  
**Worship Leader:** Kathy Keafer  
**Music:** Dawn & Steven Fassnacht  
**Children's Time:** Cathy Spory  
**Greeters:** Brian & Jean Ann Thomas  
**Welcomers:** Steve Shetler & Dwight Speigle  
**Sound and Video:** Andrew, Luke & Michael Kaufman  
**Front Table:** Wendy Cable  
**Nursery:** Cathy Spory

## October 27, 2024

**Speaker:** Michael Dean  
**Worship Leader:** Harlan Speigle  
**Music:** Dawn & Steven Fassnacht  
**Children's Time:** Yvonne Devers  
**Greeters:** Bob & Sue Miller  
**Welcomers:** Mark Miller & Chris Yoder  
**Sound and Video:** Brian Thomas & Malachi Dean  
**Front Table:** Wendy Cable  
**Nursery:** Cherie Yoder & Andie Hunsberger

**Pastor:** Michael Dean  
**Ministers of Worship/Youth:** Steven & Dawn Fassnacht  
**Minister of Administration:** Kathy Keafer  
**Minister of Fellowship:** Christiane Blough  
**Minister of Discipleship:** Linda Clawson  
**Minister of Evangelism:** Tim Van Sickle  
**Human Resource Committee:** Harlan Speigle, Mel Blough  
**Benevolence:** Pastor Michael, Wendy Cable, Marcia Yoder  
**Secretaries:** Stephanie Van Sickle & Marcia Yoder  
**Treasurer:** Michael Kaufman  
**Church Board:** Mark Cable, Chair; Pastor Michael, Harlan Speigle (HR Rep.), Dwight Speigle (Facility Rep), Jean Ann Thomas, Reubon Yoder, Dave Varner.

*Kaufman Mennonite Church is a member congregation of  
the EVANA Network [www.evananetwork.org](http://www.evananetwork.org)*



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## October 20, 2024

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30am** Classes for all ages

**WORSHIP SERVICE 10:20am** Welcome visitors! Thank you for taking the time to fill out the welcome card that is in the rack beside the hymnals. Your card can be placed in the offering plate. A staffed nursery is located just off the foyer and is for children ages 3 and under during the worship service.

## CONGREGATION SINGING

## WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CONGREGATION PRAYER

## RECEIVING our TITHES and OFFERINGS

## CONGREGATION SINGING

## A SPECIAL TIME for CHILDREN

## SCRIPTURE ~ James 1:12-27

## MESSAGE ~ *The Best Defense is a Sound Offense*

## PRAYER and SONGS of RESPONSE

## SENDING PRAYER

*Our mission as Kaufman Mennonite Church, empowered by the Holy Spirit, is to share the love of Christ with everyone and encourage spiritual growth by worship, education, fellowship, and service. It is our desire to be Jesus' hands and feet to the world.*

## Today

Youth @ KMC 6-8pm - Supper/Fun/Bible Study

## This Week

Monday 6am	Cup O' Joe
Wednesday 6pm	Supper, Bible Study and Kid's Club
Thursday	Bible2School
Thursday 7 pm	Men's Bible Study

## Looking Ahead

Sunday Oct. 27	Fall Harvest Fest at KMC 5:30 - 7:30pm
Sunday Nov 3	Keystone State Quartet & Luncheon

## Announcements

Be sure to invite family and friends to the KMC Fall Harvest Party, Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30pm. There will be games, fellowship, music, face painting, a bouncy house, treats and more. Donations of wrapped candy of various sizes are needed and can be placed in the basket on the welcome table. You may also help by bringing cookies, bars, etc. that can be eaten without utensils.

On Sunday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>, The Keystone State Quartet, known for their many years of singing for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, will be a part of our worship service.

Testimony Time! God is on the Move!

Have you experienced healing? Have you seen God's hand of provision? We believe that God is on the move, and we want to hear your stories about how! The purpose of our testimony is to glorify God and encourage others. If you are interested in sharing a video testimony, please let Pastor Michael, Dawn, or Steven know. We can then arrange to record it for future use on a Sunday morning.

Could you make use of a HP desktop printer? We have one in the office that needs a new home and it could be yours for a donation. Check with Marcia or Stephanie if you are interested.

## KMC Fall Preaching Series & Wednesday Nights

Plan to be part of our Wednesday Evening Supper & Bible Study & Kid's Club! This Fall we will dive deeper into what it means to be free in Christ and how we can walk together in freedom! *The Wednesday evening meal will be carry in.* You are invited to bring a dish or 2 to share with others. Volunteers are needed for nursery and K-5 childcare for Wednesday evening Kid's Club. Sign up at the information table.

KMC "24 Hours of Prayer" will be held November 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> from 7:00am - 7pm. Prayer is being connected to and in communion with God with the purpose of being one with God, in love and purpose, adoration and praise, rest, reflection, and discernment. Prayer is being able to call upon the Lord to deliver us from or change a difficult situation for the better. Prayer topics will be provided. Community prayer time will be held at the church as well. Individual prayer time can be at the church or at home. Sign-up sheets are on the information table.

Everence® will offer a free webinar Wednesday October 30<sup>th</sup> at 2 and 8 p.m. *5 Estate Planning Mistakes Christians Should Avoid*. The majority of estate planning advice given today is simply designed to help families to pay the least amount of taxes and leave the largest possible amount of money to heirs. Learn how you can pass your faith-based values to the next generation, impacting your church and community in positive ways, funding the charitable causes you care about, and other faith driven priorities. Register at [www.everence.com/national](http://www.everence.com/national).

Every day in our community, child welfare staff at Children's Aid Home serve the most vulnerable children and families in our community. Here at Kaufman our Hearts of Hope Family Advocacy Ministry wants to let these front-line workers know that we see them and value their faithful service. Help us encourage these staff by gathering items for *Thank You Bags* through October. The main items that are needed are \$10 gift cards such as Starbuck's, Dunkin' Donuts, Sheetz, Panera, etc. We need a total of 40 gift cards. You may also donate money, and we will buy them and other small items such as lotions, ChapStick, gum, etc. You may place the items in a basket on the sign-up table or give them to Tonya Dean or Trish Leverknight. Please let us know if you have any questions! Thanks in advance!

