

**PRAYER CORNER:**

Pray for our church family as we discern our future affiliation.

**Max Stuckey:** recovering from heart surgery

**Terri Smith:** recovering from surgery

**Miriam Dagen:** heart surgery scheduled for September 27 at Washington, D.C. Medical Center

**Sharon Stoltzfus:** Continued healing and strength

**Judy Albrecht-Bunting:** Strength and encouragement

**The Jr. High Youth Ministry:** Pray for God's blessing on the participants and leaders in the Youth Program.

**Pray for the pastoral search team** as we move forward in hiring an associate pastor with an emphasis on jr. youth and their families.

**Concerns for Prayer Corner:** Please send prayer corner concerns to Pastor James

**Phone Tree:** If you need to have something go over the phone tree, please contact Pastor James Wengerd. Cell: 443-366-4693  
If he cannot be reached, contact Gabe Stuckey. Cell: 410-603-8809

**Media Information:** Please send any media information to Keith Good by Thursday evening. Email: ghopegoods@gmail.com

**Bulletin:** Please have any information for the bulletin to Gabe Stuckey by Thursday. Email: gjs8199@gmail.com; cell phone: 410-603-8809; home: 410-957-1858

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**Church:** 410-957-3463

**Pastor/Worship Elder:** James Wengerd; **Cell:** 443-366-4693

**E-mail:** james@hollygrove.church

**Office Hours:** Monday - Friday 9-12

**Elders:** Lee Daniels, Administrative Elder

A.J. King, Missions Elder

Becky Noble, Community Life Elder

Marv Bunting, Christian Education Elder

**Deacons:** Judy Albrecht-Bunting & Anna Malin



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**Sunday School 9:30 a.m.**

**Worship: 10:30 a.m.**



*We welcome everyone who is present today and trust that you will feel God's presence as you worship.  
May you feel the warmth of our church family.*

Prelude	Praise Team
Welcome, Announcements, Call to Worship	Lee Daniels
Congregational Singing	Lowell Stoltzfus
Offering & Offertory	Kenny Good
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor James Wengerd
Jr. Children's Church (Ages 2 to K)	Kristen Elliott & Levi Bunting
Children's Church (Grades 1 to 3)	Stef Tawes
Song of Preparation	Lowell Stoltzfus
Sermon – "The Battle Plan: Stand Firm" Ephesians 6:14-17	Pastor James Wengerd
Hymn of Response	Lowell Stoltzfus
Benediction	Pastor James Wengerd
Doxology	Lowell Stoltzfus

## CHURCH LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Librarian:** Linda White

**Sunday Prayer Meeting:** 9:00 to 9:15 a.m. in the upper room

**Birthdays:** Jeannette Jardine 9/18; Greg Detwiler 9/20;  
Renee Bounds 9/21; Jerri Longacre 9/22

**Anniversaries:** Jay & Jessica Spore 9/18

**If you are not** on the Phone Tree Messaging System and would like to be added, please fill out a pew card and place in the offering plate.

### THIS WEEK:

**Wednesday:** Men's Bible Study at 7:30 p.m.

**Thursday:** Elders' meeting at 5 p.m.

### LOOKING AHEAD:

**Next Sunday, September 24:** Church Business Meeting following a fellowship meal; reports are in your mailboxes

**October 21:** Bonfire and Hayride at 5 p.m.

**Congregational Directory:** It's time to update the Congregational Directory, for publishing in September. Please notify Don Kurtz of changes, additions, and/or edits you may have (including new addresses of college students). Talk to him, leave a note in his mailbox, or e-mail him at donkurtz@hotmail.com.

## STATISTICS CORNER:

**September 10, 2017:**

General Fund: \$1,895

MDS (Harvey): \$50

Attendance:

## MISSIONS CORNER:

*We exist to glorify God through authentic worship, loving others as our self, and making disciples of Jesus Christ*

**Guatemala:** All 30 seats for the Guatemala mission trip have been filled. Please pray for Jack Beard, Jamie Skweres, and A.J. King as they prepare for their mission trip to Hope of Life Mission in January.

**Mennonite Disaster Service:** Jesus can use YOU to bring hope to the Hopeless. If you would be interested in serving for a week with a MDS team this coming year please talk to A.J. King.

**Matthew 28:19-20 (ESV):** "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

## GOD'S SERVANTS MINISTERING SEPTEMBER 24, 2017:

**Prelude:** Carolyn Crockett

**Worship Leader:** Becky Noble

**Song Leader:** Ruth Ann Bates

**Offertory:** Carolyn Crockett

**Video portion of the service:** Keith Good

**Jr. Children's Church:** Linda Holland & Brooke Stoltzfus

**Children's Church:** Cheryl Wengerd

**Sermon:** "Battle Plan: Be Alert" Ephesians 6:18-20;

Pastor James Wengerd

**Librarian:** Karen Good

## HOLLY GROVE BIBLE READING PLAN FOR 2017:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> September 18, 2017: 1 Corinthians 2:1-3:23 | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 3-5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 19, 2017: 1 Corinthians 4:1-5:13 | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 6-7   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 20, 2017: 1 Corinthians 6:1-20   | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 8-9   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 21, 2017: 1 Corinthians 7:1-40   | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 10-11 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 22, 2017: 1 Corinthians 8:1-13   | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 12-13 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 23, 2017: 1 Corinthians 9:1-27   | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 14-15 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 24, 2017: 1 Corinthians 10:1-33  | <input type="checkbox"/> Proverbs 16-18 |