

October 2024



wePray is an invitation to Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Conference Churches to submit prayer requests and to pray for one another. Each week, we will feature one congregation on a rotating schedule. Please feel free to include these in your bulletin/newsletter or verbally in your worship services.

October 6 – 12

Piedra Viva Mennonite Church

Pastor: Rolando Sosa

Please pray for our spiritual growth, especially the growth of those who recently got baptized. Please pray for a meaningful advent season, that the Lord will inspire our message and that we would clearly communicate the mystery of the incarnation of God.

October 20 – 26

Shalom Mennonite Church

Pastors: Brian Bither, Craig Oury

Shalom thanks God for the gift of many young children filling our pews and Sunday school classes, and asks that God will provide the volunteers and funds to support this burgeoning ministry. Likewise, those in our congregation who volunteer with Indiana AID are struggling to keep up with the financial and emotional needs now that the Clay County jail has expanded and there are more than twice as many immigrants held in Indiana than there were before. Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into the field!

October 13 – 19

Prairie Street Mennonite Church

Pastor: Quinn Brenneke

Prairie Street will gather for a congregational retreat at the end of October. As we study the Biblical theme of covenant, we hope that God will grow our Christian love for one another and strengthen our communal witness as a church family. We welcome the prayers of our conference siblings-in-Christ for health, safety, and rest with the Spirit's guidance.

October 27 – November 2

Sunnyside Mennonite Church

Pastors: Maria Hosler Byler, Osée Tshiwape

Please pray for Sunnyside as we continue to discern our identity as a congregation: who we are and who God is calling us to be in the next season. We give thanks for strong gifts of service and mutual support, and we ask for God's guidance to live those values in our community.

Where there is no specific prayer request made, please pray for the congregation and pastor(s) as the Spirit directs you.