

Calvary Christian Fellowship Mennonite Church

November 23, 2014

✚✚✚ Welcome to our Worship Service! ✚✚✚

Devotional:----- Jason Yoder
Message:----- Henry Nissley
Offering:----- School
SS Lesson:----- Ephesians 5:1-21

Adult and Youth Verse: For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light: Eph. 5:8

Intermediate Verse: For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. Phil. 1:21

Junior Verse: For the Lord is great, and greatly to be praised: he is to be feared above all gods.

Primary Verse: Jesus saith unto him, Thomas, because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed:

blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed.

Preschool Verse: "God is in Heaven" Ecc. 5:2

SS Lesson for next week: Eph. 5:22-6:9

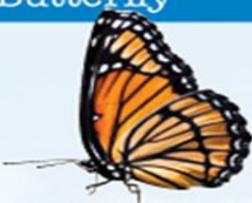
Adult and Youth Verse for next week: For we are members of his body, of his flesh, and of his bones. Eph. 5:30

Today's Host: Michael & Virginia Yoder

Next Sunday Host: Henry & Fannie Nissley

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What are some difference between butterflies and moths?
 Moths and butterflies are a lot alike. But there are some big differences.

Moth	Butterfly
	
Active at night (nocturnal)	Active during the day (diurnal)
Dull colors	Bright colors
Wings rest at their sides	Wings rest together and upright.
Feathered or pointed antennae	Straight and clubbed antennae
Thick body	Thin body

* There are some exceptions

-Kids Answers <https://answersingenesis.org/kids/bugs/moth-and-butterfly-differences/>

Announcements:

- ✓ This Evening: Free Evening
- ✓ Wednesday Evening: Prayer Meeting 7:30 PM.
- ✓ School lets out at 1:00 Wednesday and resumes on Monday Dec. 1

~BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Nov. 24, Happy Anniversary! Elmer ♥ Pauline, 1983

Nov. 26, Happy Anniversary! Robert ♥ Rachel, 1987

Nov. 28, Happy Anniversary! Henry ♥ Fannie, 1991

Thanksgiving

by Bruce Wright

What does Thanksgiving mean to you? I hear one boy say, "It means a big dinner." I think we all agree with him. Who does not welcome and enjoy a good dinner! I hear Mary say, "Thanksgiving means a day off from school." I guess you are right too. School is not such a charming place that girls and boys are unwilling to have an occasional holiday.

Now I am going to ask some of the older people what the day means to them. There is a young woman. She is a stenographer. She says, "Thanksgiving means a day away from the office. I am at the office every day except Sunday, and I do appreciate, now and then, a day that is really my own." Yonder is a traveling salesman. What does Thanksgiving mean to you? He says, "It means a day at home. Last year I spent one hundred and sixty-nine nights away from home. I have three children. I should like to see them every day. There are times when many days pass and I do not see them. Thanksgiving week I plan to be at home."

There are others I could ask. Each has his answer. But Thanksgiving has a special meaning for us. It is the Harvest time. I have here an apple. Isn't this a beautiful apple? What color! Who mixed the paints, who handled the brush to give such color to this apple? God. He, in his infinite love and wisdom, has provided, through the unailing laws of nature, for the growth, sweetness, coloring and beautifying of all the products of the fields. This apple is but one of many kinds of fruits.

Praise, then, is the great meaning of Thanksgiving. God, our heavenly Father, sends us every good gift. From his bountiful hand come our daily and nightly mercies. We should praise him every day. But the day for the united chorus of praise is Thanksgiving.

"Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord." Psalm 150: 6

HYMN "Come, ye thankful people, come."

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If a fellow isn't thankful for what he's got, he isn't likely to be thankful for what he's going to get.

[Frank A. Clark](#)

<http://tinyurl.com/pa3817s>