WELCOME

December 17, 2023 Palm Grove Mennonite Church

"The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Sprit." John 3:8

Prayer Meeting 8:45 a.m.

Discipleship Class 9:15 a.m. Superintendent: Kelvin Dieffenbach Auditorium Teacher: David R. Miller Today's Lesson: "Jesus and Nicodemus" John 3:1-17 ***We will not be having Discipleship Classes next Sunday in deference to our Annual Christmas program.

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

Song Leader: Lloyd Kauffman Welcome & Announcements Offering Prayer & Praise, led by Brendan Nolt Message: Pastor JR Weaver Congregational song Benediction

Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

Our annual Christmas Choir Program directed by Lloyd Kauffman and David R. Miller.

Offerings Last Week:

General	\$6,060.35
Gym Rental	2,000.00
Local Missions	106.02
<u> Message Next Sunday</u> - TBA	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Week At Palm Grove:

This Afternoon – Choir practice at 4:00

Wednesday – Palm Grove School Christmas program in the gymnasium at 6:30.

**Next Sunday morning we will be meeting in the gymnasium for our annual Christmas program beginning at 9:15 a.m.

If you would like a free hymnal, help yourself, of those on the table in the foyer.

If you would like to help at the volleyball tournament on December 29, please talk to Rod Miller following the service. Thank you.

<u>December 30</u> – Get Hoop'n at the Sarasota Christian school gymnasium. See the bulletin board for details.

Comfort, comfort ye My people, Speak ye peace, thus saith our God; Comfort those who sit in darkness, Mourning 'neath their sorrows' load. Speak ye to Jerusalem Of the peace that waits for them; Tell her that her sins I cover, and her warfare now is over.

Yea, her sins our God will pardon, Blotting our watch dark misdeed All that well deserved His anger He no more will see or heed. She hath suffered many a day, Now her griefs have passed away; God will change pining sadness Into ever-springing gladness.

Make ye straight what long was crooked, make the rougher places plain; Let your hearts be true and humble, As befits His holy reign. For the glory of the Lord Now o'er earth is shed abroad, And all flesh shall see the token That His Word is never broken. Amen