

56th Annual

ARTHUR MENNONITE RELIEF SALE

OTTO CENTER
AUG. 25 & 26, 2017

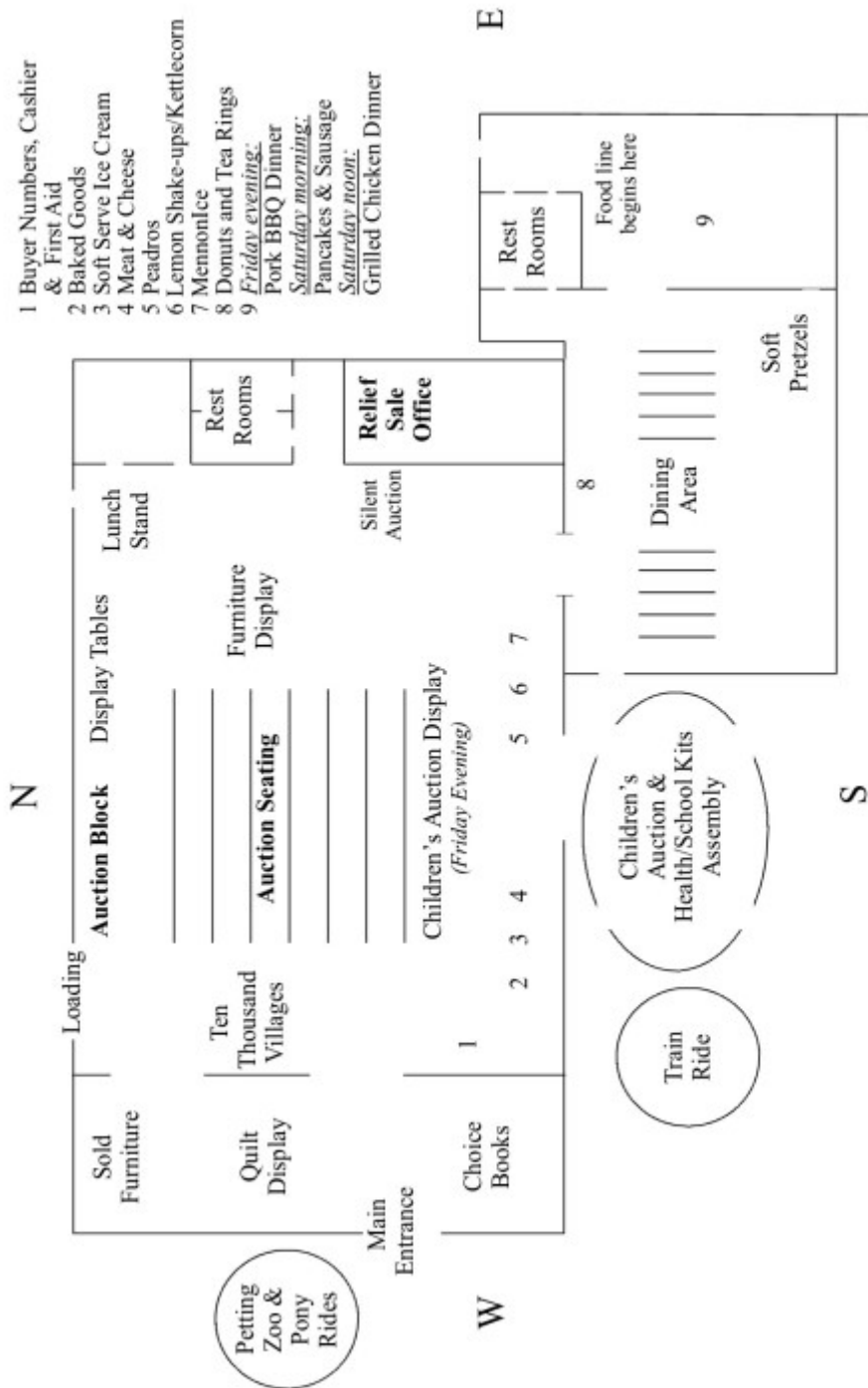


“Planting the Seed”

*I have planted, Apollos watered;
but God gave the increase.*

I Corinthians 3:6

Sale Map



Welcome to the 56th Annual Arthur Mennonite Relief Sale! Thank you for coming to our sale this year. We hope that you enjoy yourself, take some time to visit the booths and vendors, and even bid on a few (or several) items. If we can be of help to you, just let us know!
~Sincerely, The Sale Committee

2017 Relief Sale Committee

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These couples are wearing name tags and are available to assist you.

Sale Proceeds

Eighty percent of the net money raised through this event goes to Mennonite Central Committee for the work of relief, development and peace around the world.

Twenty percent is reserved for local use, including distribution among the supporting Mennonite, Beachy and Amish churches and other local outreaches.

**Sent to MCC in 2016:
\$87,455**

2015 Total: \$96,575	2012 Total: \$82,240
2014 Total: \$79,790	2011 Total: \$85,600
2013 Total: \$75,680	2010 Total: \$72,800

Bidder Numbers & Check-Out

Pick up your bidder number and make payment at the cashier’s desk located at the main auction building’s west entrance.

Visa and Mastercard Accepted

Auction Item Numbering System

The auction item numbers correspond with the selling time and order. For example: item #1001 is the first item sold at 10:00, #131 is the first item sold at 1:30, etc.

Furniture in the Sale

The auction furniture is locally crafted and is either partially/entirely donated.

About MCC

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC), a worldwide ministry of Anabaptist churches, shares God’s love and compassion for all in the name of Christ by responding to basic human needs and working for peace and justice. MCC envisions communities worldwide in right relationship with God, one another and creation.



MCC Areas of Focus

1. Caring for the lives and futures of uprooted and other vulnerable people.
2. Providing water, food and shelter first in times of hunger, disaster and conflict, then education and ways to earn income.
3. Working with churches and communities to prevent violence and promote peace and justice.
4. Investing in opportunities for young people to serve in Canada, the U.S. and around the world.
5. Serving with humility and in partnership to meet local needs with local solutions.

*For more information
visit **MCC.org***

Delivery Service

If you need help getting your purchases home, you can contact Delmar Schrock of Schrock's Delivery Service at 217-202-0009 on Saturday regarding delivery/rate information.

Silent Auction

The Silent Auction is on the east wall of the main auction building and runs from 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. on Saturday. Items up for auction include certificates of various services offered in the community including meal tickets to restaurants, meals served in homes, oil changes, etc.

At 1:30 p.m. Saturday the bidder numbers are posted along with the winning bid. You may make payment and pick up your certificates at the check-out desk at the main auction building's west entrance *after 2:30 p.m.*, allowing time for the computer entries.

Seat Of Honor

The Seat of Honor allows you to honor someone special in your life. As the winning bidder, you choose someone to sit in the front row in the Swan Back Glider with Ottoman for approximately 2 hour increments with meals & drinks included (up to \$10) beginning Friday night at 7 p.m. to close and again Saturday morning 9 a.m.-11 a.m., 11 a.m.-1 p.m., and 1 p.m.-2 p.m. More details offered at the auction. The glider and ottoman will sell after 2:00 p.m. on Saturday.

Meat & Cheese Information

The meat & cheese will be sold at the stand on the south wall of the main auction building, rather than through the auction. You may use your bidder number as a "credit card" to purchase meats & cheeses however, you must show proof of payment before receiving your items. Please retain the receipt given to you at the meat & cheese stand until you have picked up your items. Cash will be accepted at the stand as well. Your items will be kept in the refrigerator, allowing you to pick them up *at your convenience*. Order early!

Sold Donut Pick-up

After the donut booth is closed on Friday evening, your reserved donuts may be picked up in the relief sale office. An announcement will be made over the auction prior to the booth's closing.

Blessing Bids

Use your bidder number during the sale to donate funds for MCC projects around the world. *For a full description of each project please check the auction listings.* When buyers bid to further God's work around the world, blessings come to both the buyers and the people in need.

Gift of Relief—Ethiopia	\$75
<i>(Friday 7:30 p.m.)</i>	
Gift of Water—Guatemala	\$60
<i>(Friday 8:30 p.m.)</i>	
Gift of Food—Tanzania	\$60
<i>(Saturday 9:30 a.m.)</i>	
Where Needed Most	\$50
<i>(Saturday 10:30 a.m.)</i>	
Gift of Water—Nigeria	\$50
<i>(Saturday 11:30 a.m.)</i>	
Relief Kits	\$50
<i>(Saturday 12:30 p.m.)</i>	
School & Wellness Kits	\$25
<i>(Saturday 1:30 p.m.)</i>	

Beef To Sell at Auction

The buyers of items number 807 (sells Friday evening) and 1109 (sells Saturday morning) will pick up hormone free, locally raised meat in the following cuts from Dutch Valley Meats:

3 pkgs	Chuck Roasts (3 lb. pkgs.)
2 pkgs	Arm Roasts (3 lb. pkgs.)
6 pkgs	Ribeye Steaks (2 per pkg.)
5 pkgs	T-bone Steaks (2 per pkg.)
4 pkgs	Sirloin Steaks (1 per pkg.)
1 pkg	Sirloin Tip Roast (approx. 3 lb.)
1 pkg.	Rump Roast (approx. 3 lb.)
4 pkgs	Round Steak (1 per pkg.)
2 pkgs	Cube Steak (4 per pkg.)
5 pkgs	Stew Meat (1 lb. pkgs.)
44 pkgs	Ground Beef (1 lb. pkgs.)

Quilt Pick-Up

Purchased quilt items may be picked up at the cashier’s desk.

More Quilt Information

Comforters: Usually made from heavy weight materials and put together by knotting or large stitches.

Quilt Storage: Quilts should not be stored in plastic, as the plastic does not allow them to breathe and they will yellow. Instead, use an old pillowcase or sheet.

Speed Quilting: Speed quilting differs from regular quilting in that small “x” stitches are made at the corners of each piece. This method is most commonly used when a quilt top is entirely pieced, not where large pieces of fabric have been left blank for quilting a design.

Quilt Top Descriptions:

Appliquéd: Pieces of fabric are sewn onto the background fabric to form a design.

Embroidered: Quilt top’s design is formed by embroidery.

Pieced Patchwork: Pieces of cut cloth are sewn together to form a design.

Whole Cloth: The quilting forms the design on a piece of fabric, usually a solid color.

Pre-Printed Fabric: A printed design on the background fabric, giving the appearance of being pieced or appliquéd. The printing is done at the fabric mill.

Pre-Quilted Fabric: Machine quilted at the mill.

Quilt Size Information

	Standard Mattress Size	Suggested Quilt Sizes
Crib.....	27 x 51	40 x 60
Twin.....	39 x 75	75 x 107
Full.....	54 x 75	90 x 107
Queen.....	60 x 80	96 x 112
King	76 x 80	112 x 112

The suggested quilt sizes reflect an 18” drop on 3 sides and a 14” pillow tuck.

Special Thanks!

An event like this requires much time and effort from many people and we say a special thank you to each of them. Without the support of donors, volunteers and buyers the Relief Sale would not be possible.

- Arcola True Value
- Amish Country Heirlooms
- Bear Creek Yard Creations
- Brookside Wood Products
- Country Acre Vinyl
- Country Home Woodcrafts
- Countryside Woodworking
- Diener Hardwood Flooring
- Douglas County Wood Products
- Dutch Valley Meats
- Eldon Kauffman
- EMC Outdoor Furniture
- Four Acre Wood Products
- Furniture Plus
- Harold Kennel
- Herschberger Woodworking
- Homestead Furniture
- Hunter Shack
- John Gingerich
- Kauffman Amish Furniture Outlet
- Kaufman’s Custom Cabinets
- Kauffman Brands
- Kenrose Cabinets
- Lorraine Diener
- M & E Woodcrafts
- Meadow View Herbs
- Miller Grain Farms
- Millers Storage Buildings
- Morningside Woodcraft
- Oyes Hardware
- Panther Creek Barstools
- Parkview Vinyl
- Pauly’s BBQ
- Riverside Refrigeration
- RDS Wood Products
- Schlabach’s Bike Shop
- Schrock’s Woodworking
- Shady Haven Livestock
- Steve Kauffman
- The Briarwood
- Tri County Welding
- Tri County Woodcrafts
- Westside Furniture
- Wilson Kitchen

And many more, that we just do not know about!

Friday Schedule of Events

4:30 p.m.-7 p.m.	Pork BBQ Dinner
5 p.m.-9 p.m.	Children's Train Rides, Petting Zoo & Pony Rides
<i>All Evening Pass \$3.00 available at Registration Desk & Petting Zoo</i>	
6 p.m.-9 p.m.	Auction

Saturday Schedule of Events

6 a.m.-10 a.m.	Pancake & Sausage Breakfast
8 a.m.-late afternoon	Auction
10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	Silent Auction
11 a.m.-2 p.m.	Grilled Chicken Dinner

Children's Activities

8 a.m.-10 a.m.	Children's Train Rides, Petting Zoo & Pony Rides*
10 a.m.	Children's Auction
11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.	Children's Train Rides, Petting Zoo & Pony Rides*
12:30 p.m.	Health & School Kit Assembly

**All Day Pass \$5.00 available at Registration Desk & Petting Zoo*

Friday Evening Auction Listing

The General Auction starts with smaller items at 6 p.m.

Items listed below start at 7 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

___ 701	Seat of Honor <i>See page 4 for details.</i>
___ 702	Sun Cruiser Women's Bike
___ 703	Bookcase <i>hickory</i>
___ 704	Child's Rocker
___ 705	Mantle Shelf <i>gray</i>
___ 706	Print: "Midnight Sun"

7:30 p.m.

___ 731	Blessing Bid "Gift of Relief—Ethiopia" \$75 <i>Providing food for relief from drought.</i>
___ 732	Corn Hole Game, John Deere Themed
___ 733	Fire Ring with Grill Rack
___ 734	Canoe Bookshelf Unit <i>rustic, hickory</i>
___ 735	Child's Picnic Table
___ 736	Medium Picnic Basket with Tray

8:00 p.m.

- ___ 801 Quilt: Crows Feet 89"x107" Pink and green.
Donated by Lela Reynolds.
- ___ 802 Quilt: Patchwork Table Topper 41"x41" Red, navy, and tan.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.
- ___ 803 Quilt: Nighty Night Crib Quilt 38"x56" Embroidered by
Sarah Storm. Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- ___ 804 Quilt: Double Wedding Ring 97"x108" Multi-color.
Donated by Ruby Yoder.
- ___ 805 Quilt: Peaceful Quilt - Sheep 47"x59" Tan, rust, and brown.
Machine quilted by Karen Alderfer. Pieced and donated by
Karen Alderfer & Jean Landis.
- ___ 806 Bookcase with Doors 36"x80"
- ___ 807 Qtr. Beef: combination of front and back. *See page 4 for details.*
- ___ 808 Small Trash Bin *ivory*
- ___ 809 Doll Bunk Bed

8:30 p.m.

- ___ 831 Blessing Bids "Gift of Water—Guatemala " \$60
Relieving food shortages during the dry season.
- ___ 832 Church Bench *8ft.*
- ___ 833 Hickory Rocker
- ___ 834 Adirondack Chair
- ___ 835 2 Vinyl Flower Boxes
- ___ 836 Pallet Art: "God Looked Down on His Paradise"

Saturday Auction Listing

The General Auction starts with smaller items at 8 a.m.

Items listed below start at 9 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

- ___ 901 Seat of Honor *See page 4 for details.*
- ___ 902 Quilt: Blazing Stars 90"x101" Multi-color. Donated anonymously.
- ___ 903 Quilt: Star Around the World 101"x113" Lavender, purple, and
white. Pieced by Barbara Ann Schrock. Quilted and donated by
Amish Church.
- ___ 904 Quilt: Northern Cardinal 64"x79" Red and green.
Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- ___ 905 Quilt: Triangle Variation 41"x46" Blue. Pieced by Penny
Zimmerman. Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- ___ 906 Quilt: Child's Bird Quilt 34"x41" Cream and bright colors.
Machine quilted. Donated by Gloria Yoder.
- ___ 907 Library Chair
- ___ 908 2 Annie Barstools
- ___ 909 Sofa Table with Drawer *black*
- ___ 910 Hall Mirror with Hooks *oak*
- ___ 911 Pallet Art: "Good Morning This is God"

9:30 a.m.

- _____ 931 Blessing Bids “Gift of Food—Tanzania ” \$60
Helping small-scale farmers to improve their food security and income.
- _____ 932 Flat Top Desk *soft maple, 60”*
- _____ 933 Nantucket Chest of Drawers *hickory, golden harvest*
- _____ 934 Lattice Weave Bench with Baskets and Cushion Seat *black*
- _____ 935 Lattice Weave Cubby Shelf with Hooks and 2 Baskets *black*
- _____ 936 Print: “The Walk to Worship”

10:00 a.m.

- _____ 1001 Quilt: Snowball 94”x108” Multi-color.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.
- _____ 1002 Quilt: Log Cabin 96”x107” Mauve, blue, and ecru.
Donated by Sunnyside Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1003 Quilt: Tumbling Nine Patch 70”x84” Blue and yellow.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.
- _____ 1004 Quilt: Nursery Rhyme Crib Quilt 38”x45” Pink and blue.
Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1005 Quilt: Teddy Bear Hugs Crib Quilt 37”x54” White.
Embroidered, quilted and donated by Josephine Marner.
- _____ 1006 Quilt Chest *black*
- _____ 1007 Sofa with Fabric Cushions *grant*
- _____ 1008 Hot Point Gas Range *30”*
- _____ 1009 Small Outdoor Bench
- _____ 1010 Pallet Art: “Sing to Him a New Song”

10:30 a.m.

- _____ 1031 Blessing Bids “Where Needed Most” \$50
Your generosity makes it possible for MCC to partner alongside communities, meeting basic needs & working for peace & justice.
- _____ 1032 Yorktown Table 42”x48” with 2 leaves and 4 Side Chairs *rustic cherry, Michaels & Ebony*
- _____ 1033 Amish Girl Doll
- _____ 1034 Amish Boy Doll
- _____ 1035 Laptop Cabinet *prairie mission*
- _____ 1036 Small Entertainment Center *black*

11:00 a.m.

- _____ 1101 Seat of Honor *See page 4 for details.*
- _____ 1102 Quilt: Somerset 98”x111” Hunter green and burgundy.
Quilted and donated by Trinity Church.
- _____ 1103 Quilt: Patchwork 88”x106” Multi-color. Speed quilted.
Donated by North Vine Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1104 Quilt: Brick Road 55”x72” Green and cream.
Pieced by Mrs. Phineas Schrock.
Quilted and donated by North Vine Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1105 Quilt: Patchwork Table Topper 48”x53” Multi-color.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.

- _____ 1106 Quilt: Forever Miniature Log Cabin 8"x8" Teal and blue.
Pieced, quilted and donated by Gloria Yoder.
- _____ 1107 Quilt: Cathedral Window 102"x116" Multi-color. Machine & hand
stitched with scallop edges. Donated by George and Marcia Voska.
- _____ 1108 Royal Mission Corner TV Cabinet *oak, Michaels*
- _____ 1109 Qtr. Beef: combination of front and back. *See page 4 for details.*
- _____ 1110 Entry Bench *black*
- _____ 1111 Small Console Cabinet *black*
- _____ 1112 Small Rocking Horse
- _____ 1113 Pallet Art: "God Made a Farmer"

11:30 a.m.

- _____ 1131 Blessing Bids "Gift of Water—Nigeria" \$50
Drilling wells and improving sanitation to prevent disease.
- _____ 1132 5 piece Aspen Bedroom Set: Queen Bed, Dresser with Mirror,
Chest of Drawers, 1 Night Stand *QWSO, cherry, Michaels*
- _____ 1133 Bookcase 36"x80" *hickory*
- _____ 1134 Child's Table with 2 Chairs
- _____ 1135 Faux Rustic Cross: "Our Family is Like the Branches"
- _____ 1136 Pallet Art: "As For Me"

12:00 p.m. Prayer

- _____ 1201 Quilt: The Handkerchief 96"x106" Blue and purple.
Donated by Sunnyside Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1202 Quilt: Ultimate Trip Around the World 100"x110" Green, tan,
and burgundy. Donated by North Vine Mennonite Church.
- _____ 1203 Quilt: Teddy Bear Crib Quilt 44"x59" Blue and cream.
Donated by Carolyn Gingerich.
- _____ 1204 Quilt: Sampler Wall Hanging 36"x36" Multi-color.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.
- _____ 1205 Quilt: Illini Rag Quilt with Sock Monkey 32" x 39"
Orange and blue. Donated by Gloria Yoder.
- _____ 1206 Queen Under Bed Storage
- _____ 1207 Cornhole Game, Chicago Cubs Championship Themed
- _____ 1208 Cornhole Game, St. Louis Cardinals Themed
- _____ 1209 Tool Chest/Cabinet Combo 26"

12:30 p.m.

- _____ 1231 Blessing Bids "Relief Kits" \$50
*Provide supplies to families traumatized by war & natural
disasters. Includes soap, shampoo, towels, etc. to meet basic needs.*
- _____ 1232 B&O Railroad Trestle Bridge Table 42"x72" with Butterfly
Leaf on each end, with 2 Arm Chairs and 4 Side Chairs *rustic,
tobacco like express*
- _____ 1233 2 Kensing End Tables *brown maple with elm top*
- _____ 1234 Kensing Coffee Table *brown maple with elm top*
- _____ 1235 Kensing Sofa Table *brown maple with elm top*
- _____ 1236 Mirror: "Family First"

1:00 p.m.

- ___ 101 Seat Of Honor *See page 4 for details.*
- ___ 102 Quilt: Feathered Star & Lily 100"x112" Grey and off-white.
Pieced by Emma Mae Plank.
Quilted and donated by Sunnyside Mennonite Church.
- ___ 103 Quilt: Double Wedding Ring 94"x108" Browns, golds and reds.
Donated by MCC Quilt Room.
- ___ 104 Quilt: Scruples 47"x 53" Multi-color.
Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- ___ 105 Quilt: Star Around the World 100"x110" Black and white.
Donated by Pleasant View Church.
- ___ 106 Quilt: Apple Hill Farm Crib Quilt 40"x48" Multi-color.
Machine quilted by Karen Alderfer. Pieced and donated by
Karen Alderfer & Jean Landis.
- ___ 107 Bookcase with 2 Doors 36"x80"
- ___ 108 Hunting Blind with Tower 5x6
- ___ 109 Polyglider 5ft, *white*
- ___ 110 Poly Play Wagon
- ___ 111 Door Bench
- ___ 112 Pallet Art: "His Compassions Never Fail"

1:30 p.m.

- ___ 131 Blessing Bids "School & Wellness Kits" \$25
*MCC's most requested item. Kits are given to refugee and displaced
children or to communities that have experienced disasters.*
- ___ 132 6 Piece Sophia Bedroom Set: Queen Bed, Dresser with Mirror,
Chest of Drawers, 2 Night Stands *soft maple*
- ___ 133 Sophia Blanket Chest *soft maple*
- ___ 134 Island with Trash Bin *black*
- ___ 135 Rustic Log Coffee Table
- ___ 136 Barn Board Art: "In the Morning When I Rise"

2:00 p.m.

- ___ 201 Quilt: Star Delight 103"x108" Shades of brown and blue.
Quilted and donated by North Vine Mennonite Church.
- ___ 202 Quilt: Star Wall Hanging 44"x44" Multi-color. Donated by
Sunnyside Mennonite Church in memory of Sarah Graber, from
her fabric stash.
- ___ 203 Quilt: Daisy Days Flannel Crib 43"x35" Bright colors.
Machine quilted by Karen Alderfer. Pieced and donated by Karen
Alderfer & Jean Landis.
- ___ 204 Quilt: Sampler 60"x76" Burgundy, green and cream. Pieced by
Josephine Marner. Donated by Arthur Mennonite Church.
- ___ 205 Linbergh Crib with Conversion Rails and Mattress
- ___ 206 Linbergh Changing Table with Topper and Pad *qtr. sawn*
- ___ 207 Brookline Corner Hutch with doors *qtr. sawn, Michaels*
- ___ 208 Large 3 Tier Stand *oak, Ebony*
- ___ 209 Swan Back Glider with Ottoman *maple, Ebony*

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Relief Sale Menu

All items are available both Friday and Saturday unless otherwise noted.

Pork BBQ

(Friday: 4:30 p.m.—7 p.m.)

Dinner	By Donation
Sandwich, chips, drink ..	By Donation
BBQ by the Quart.....	10.00

Pancakes & Sausage

(Saturday: 6 a.m.—10 a.m.)

Breakfast.....	By Donation
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Grilled Chicken

(Saturday: 11 a.m.—2 p.m.)

Includes: Grilled chicken breast or thighs, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad, applesauce, and homemade bread	By Donation
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<u>Soft Pretzel</u>	2.50
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Cheese Dip.....	.50
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<u>Lemon Shake-up</u>	2.50
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Kettle Corn

Small.....	3.00
Medium.....	5.00
Large.....	8.00
Whopper	16.00

Soft Serve Ice Cream

Cone.....	1.00
Sundae	2.50
Pie Slice.....	2.50
Pie w/Ice Cream	4.00
Root Beer Float.....	3.00

Food prices subject to change without notice.

Lunch Stand

Butterfly Pork Chop Sandwich <i>(Saturday only)</i>	5.00
River Fries <i>(Saturday only)</i>	2.00
Hamburger (all beef)	3.00
Cheeseburger (all beef)	3.50
Double Cheeseburger	4.00
Hot Dog	1.25
Cherry Honey Brat	3.00
Whole Pie	10.00
Pop.....	1.00
Iced Tea	1.00
Bottled Water	1.00

Peadros

<i>(like taco salad)</i>	6.00
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MennonIce *(like frozen slushies)*

Cherry or Root Beer 12oz	1.00
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Donuts, Tea Rings & Cinnamon Rolls

Donut (each).....	.75
Donuts—Half Dozen.....	4.00
Donuts—Dozen	7.50
Cinnamon Roll (individual)	1.50
Cinnamon Rolls (pan)	5.00
Tea Rings	7.00

Baked Goods

Fried Pies.....	2.00
Homemade Bread.....	3.50
Homemade Noodles	3.50
Angel Food Cake	9.00
Cookies—Half Dozen	3.00



Next Year's Sale
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