

\*\*\*\*\* Last Week's Stats \*\*\*\*\*

Attendance	Offering	
One Service – 108	General Offering	\$ 4,060.50
	Building Fund	\$ 100.00
	Total	\$ 4,160.50

\*\*\*\*\* Volunteer Schedule \*\*\*\*\*

Greeters:	Today	Marvin & Rachel Reinford
	Next Week	Kevin & Jan Bannon
Nursery:	Today	Mary Moyer
	Next Week	Yvonne Drescher
Ushers:	Today	Larry Good
	Next Week	Alan Gilmore

Closing church building in July – John & Sue Rice

\*\*\*\*\* Youth and Adult Sunday School Class locations and topics \*\*\*\*\*

**Youth Class** meets in basement of the house next door to discuss various topics.  
**Young Adult Class** meets in first classroom on the left in the basement. For the summer they will discuss content & theology of various forms of media.

**Men's Class** - middle room on right in the basement. "Call Sealed with Promise"  
**Women's Class** – Book study of I & II Timothy in secretary's office behind stage.  
**Mixed Adult Class** meets in the sanctuary to study "What's So Amazing About Grace?" Discussion is led by Alan Kratz and Rich Longacre.  
**Prayer Room** – upstairs at rear of sanctuary for sharing prayer needs, etc.

\*\*\*\*\* Announcements \*\*\*\*\*

**"Bolt"**, an animated Disney film, will be shown at Zion Mennonite Church, Front Street and Cherry Lane this Friday, **July 17<sup>th</sup>** at dusk outdoors. In case of inclement weather, it will be shown in the Fellowship Hall. Movie and popcorn are free. Candy and drinks sold for a minimal cost. It will also be shown Saturday, **July 18<sup>th</sup>**, on a 30-foot outdoor screen at Perkasio Mennonite Church, 4<sup>th</sup> Street and Chestnut Street. (Indoors if it rains). Free popcorn and prizes.

\*\*\*\*\* Prayer Requests \*\*\*\*\*

**Pray for the Elder Team, Pastor Bob, the Ministry Directors, the Carlsons, and John and Bev Ehst.**

# Finland Mennonite Church

*Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out*  
[www.finlandmennonitechurch.org](http://www.finlandmennonitechurch.org)  
Pastor Robert Nolt

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Pre-service Prayer Meeting 8:40 – 8:50 am  
One Worship Service only at 9:00 am  
Sunday School 10:15 am  
**Nursery facilities are available during the worship service.**

**Worship in Song** - *If you need to sit down during the singing, please feel free to do so.*  
**Sharing experiences from Convention by the Youth**  
**Scripture Reading** John 20:21 & 22  
**Message – "Breathe and Be Filled"** David Landis  
**Offering** Lisa Landis - Offertory  
*(Please pass the attendance pads located under the seat by the center aisle.)*

**Children dismissed for Kids Kinection**  
**Sharing Time** Alan Kratz – Elder in charge  
**Pastoral Prayer**  
**Closing Blessing**  
**Doxology – #638 "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"**  
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**Thank you to all** who kept the youth group and sponsors in your prayers as we traveled to and from the Mennonite Church USA Convention in Columbus, Ohio, and during our time there. We had a growing time together. Also, thanks for supporting our fundraiser at Wendy's on June 23. We raised \$143.20.  
Youth Group and Sponsors

**Wednesday, 7:00-8:30 pm**, we had our first **Rock-Solid Followers** get-together with 10 children in attendance. Every Wednesday evening through August 26<sup>th</sup> boys and girls 4 years through 6<sup>th</sup> grade will meet for Bible stories, games, crafts and snacks. Kids, it's OK if you can't make it every week. We just hope you will come when you can for a fun time and see some of the friends you made in VBS.

To Our Guests:

*We welcome you to our fellowship. We would like to get to know you better. Please tell us about yourself by filling out the form below and placing it in the offering basket.*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

☐ *I am attending for the first time.*

☐ *I would like information about your church.*

☐ *I would like a call from the Pastor.*

**How can we minister to you?**

## ***This Week at Finland***

**Today, 6:30 pm** – Marvin Reinford's small group

**Monday, 7:00** – Ministry Council/Elder Team meeting

**Tuesday, 7:15 pm** – Martha's worship team practice

**Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 am** – Free drive-through coffee

**Wednesday, 6:00 pm** – Youth leaders and sponsors meeting

**Wednesday, 7:00-8:30 pm** – Rock-Solid Followers (age 4 through 6h grade)

**Wednesday, 7:00 pm** – Post High Bible study at Kris and Ginger's

**Wednesday, 7:15 pm** – Youth Bible study

**Friday, 7:00-10:00 pm** – Jr. High hang-out at Longacre's

**Saturday** – Post High day trip to the beach at Ocean City, New Jersey

### **Announcements**

**Scripture for next week's sermon:** Matthew 22:1-14.

**This Wednesday morning** is our drive-through coffee ministry. If you could bake a dozen blueberry muffins, please let Rose know.

**Welcome to Finland Mennonite Church's** first annual motorcycle ride. There will be a tour this Saturday, July 18, through Montgomery, Berks, Lancaster and Chester County with stops in Lancaster County for a meal and fuel. We will meet at Finland Church at 8:30 am and leave at 9:00 am. All bikers are welcome. Call for more information.

**Next Sunday, July 19**, our delegates to Mennonite Church USA, will give a report.

**New books in the library:** Summer Hill #1 and #2 by Beverly Lewis  
The Shepherd's Voice by Robin Hatcher

**Don't miss some more** of Dennis' great chicken! Our church is hosting a Chicken Barbeque for the community on Saturday, August 15 from 4-7 pm. Proceeds will go toward our church building fund. Be sure to invite your friends and neighbors!

**Stop by the bulletin board** and read the interesting story in "The FOCUS" newsletter from Northern Youth Programs in Ontario, Canada. See how guilt and misunderstanding nearly ruined a young man's life. Pray for the Mennonite World Conference meeting in Paraguay this week, July 14-19. Also posted is a newsletter from the Krupp family and various community events including Sunday School Meditations' chicken Bar-B-Q at Tel-Hai Camp on July 25. Service and employment opportunities are posted on the small bulletin board at the side entrance door.