

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Glenn & Jenn Ingram (1 st service) Tim & Mary Moyer (2 nd service)	Jeff & Jina Reinford (1 st service) Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 nd service)
Nursery	Corinne Guntz & Anita Livezey (1 st shift) Sue Rice & Brenda Madrill (2 nd shift)	Amy Reinford & Ginger Wint (1 st shift) Lynn Swartley & Rachel Kiefer (2 nd shift)
Ushers	Alan & Karen Kratz (1 st service) Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 nd service)	Alan & Karen Kratz (1 st service) Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 nd service)
Closing up	Alan & Tara Gilmore - June	Alan & Tara Gilmore - June

<u>Sunday School Class Locations and Topics</u>	
Upstairs hallway:	First classroom – 2 nd and 3 rd Grade Second classroom – Kindergarten and 1 st Grade Third classroom – 4 th and 5 th Grade Fourth classroom – Jr. High Boys Fifth classroom – High School
Main floor hallway:	Last room on left – Preschool Second last room on left – Nursery facilities
Gym:	Library – Men’s Class “Beyond the Present Time” Third classroom – Jr. High Girls Fourth classroom – Prayer Room for anyone with prayer needs Gym – “Radical, Taking Back Your Faith from the American Dream” led by Kris & Ginger Wint and Alan & Karen Kratz Sanctuary – The book of Proverbs led by Michael Scorzetti

Prayer Requests

Printed copies of last week’s prayer requests are available under the mailboxes.

Mennonite Mission Network – Edward Dartey, a MMN prayer partner in Ghana, praises God for peaceful national elections. He requests prayer for the populations who are without services as many civil servants are striking to protest inadequate salaries, and for farmers being driven off their land by expatriate mining interests.

Reminder: The volunteer/nomination sheet in last week’s bulletin is due back next Sunday. The Discernment Committee asks that you prayerfully consider if God is calling you to fill any of these positions, or nominate someone else whom you feel is gifted in a certain area. Extra copies are available by the mailboxes if needed.

Are you a dancer who has always wanted to use your gift of dance to worship? We have a workshop for you that you will love! Sarah Scorzetti and Brie Cool will be leading a Summer Expressive Workshop for experienced dancers ages 16-30 at Hopewell Christian Fellowship in Telford. This workshop will focus on building ballet and modern technique along with learning how to worship through dance. The workshops will take place on July 15, August 12, August 26, and September 9 from 7-8:00 pm. If you have any questions, please call Sarah at 215-872-4895 or email Sarah at sarumbenha@verizon.net.

Finland Mennonite Church

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The family that prays together stays together

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Pre-service Prayer Meeting 8:10–8:20 am in the Prayer Room

First Service 8:30 am – Second Service 11:00 am

Sunday School 9:45-10:30 am

Fellowship and refreshments 10:30-11:00 am

Nursery care is provided during all morning services for children 3 years and under.

FIRST SERVICE

Worship in Song – (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to)

Offering – (Please pass the attendance pads)

Clara, Savannah, & Kaylee -offertory

Parent/Child Dedication for Jason & Jana Scheetz and son Rohan

Pastor Kris

My Story John Drescher & Elmer Frederick

Children dismissed for Kids Kinection

No Sharing Time due to baby dedication

Pastoral Prayer and Closing Blessing Jeff Janton – Elder in Charge

SECOND SERVICE

Worship in Song – (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to)

Offering– (Please pass the attendance pads)

Clara, Savannah, & Kaylee - offertory

Parent/Child Dedication for Isaac & Rachel Kiefer and son Judah

Pastor Kris

My Story John Drescher & Elmer Frederick

Closing Blessing

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There will be no open mic sharing time today due to baby dedication. If you have a prayer request, give it to Jeff Janton (Elder in charge) or place it in the box on the bulletin table in the back to be included in the prayer email on Tuesday.

Next Sunday’s Sermon:

“Living with Focus” – Acts

21-28

To Our Guests:

Welcome 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: _____

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, 4-6 pm – Young Adult small group at Amy Kolb's
Monday, 6:30 pm – VBS Work Night at the lower campus
Monday, 7:15 pm – Joy's worship team practice
Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 am – Coffee drive-thru at lower campus
Wednesday, 6:30 pm – Post High Laundromat Ministry – pizza provided
Wednesday, 7:15-9:00 pm – Youth hang-out
Wednesday, 7:30 pm – Book Club discuss ***“Unafraid: Mary”*** by Francine Rivers
Thursday, 6:30-9:30 pm – Volleyball for anyone over 18
Friday, 7:00 pm – O.U.R. small group

Last Week's Stats

Attendance

First service – 90
Second service – 127

Pastor John and Bev are enjoying vacation time with family until June 23. Please call Pastor Kris or one of the Elders if you have pastoral needs this week.

VBS work night every Monday night in June & July, 6:30 pm at the lower campus.

Congratulations and prayers for God's blessings to Timothy Quinter & Melanie (Dibble) who were united in marriage here on Saturday, June 8.

We pray for God's favor and blessings on Caleb Kiefer and Roni Janton who are anticipating a beach wedding on Long Beach Island, NJ, this Saturday, June 22. Pray that all our young couples will build their marriages on the sure foundation of Jesus Christ.

Care and Share volunteers are needed to work on Saturday, June 29th only, since there is not a 5th Friday in June. Please contact Brenda Madrill if you can help out.

We have an opening for a female teacher for the Jr. High girls S.S. class (grades 6 through 8) beginning in the fall. Please contact Jana Scheetz if you are interested in volunteering.

There is a small slip of paper in your mailbox today with a few directory changes.

Living Branches has a number of job openings available as of May 31st. The list is posted on the bulletin board.

Good condition used books and rare books are being accepted now through July 11 for the Mennonite Heritage Center's annual used book sale, July 18-20. Bring donations to the Mennonite Heritage Center. Also needed are used CD's, DVD's and puzzles in good condition. Please no textbooks, phone books, magazines, Reader's Digest Condensed, or cassettes. For more information call 215-256-3020 or email info@mhep.org.

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Upcoming events to mark on your calendars

June 23 (next Sunday) Recognition of graduates from high school and college.

June 29 is a 5th Saturday and Finland's time to volunteer at Care and Share.

July 4 – Freedomfest at Goshenhoppen Park in East Greenville. Talk to Rose Longacre to volunteer an hour or more in our craft booth and promote VBS.

July 7 – Communion with Noel Santiago as our guest speaker.

July 10, 7-9:00 pm – Water Fun Night for Jr. High, Youth group and Post High.

July 21 – Senegal Team will share in the morning service about their trip to Africa.

July 28 – Friends Sunday. Invite friends and neighbors to come.

July 28, 6-7:00pm – Special Prayer Service for our VBS staff, teachers, children and all who are involved in this valuable community outreach.

July 29-Aug. 2, 9:00-noon – Vacation Bible School, Kindergarten thru 5th grade.

Aug. 9-12 – Camping weekend at Mansfield for all youth and their families.

Aug. 16-18 – Church camping weekend here on the grounds. The church picnic on Saturday, August 17 is for everyone whether you are camping or not.

September 21 – Chicken BBQ and car show

Oct. 25-27 – Weekend at Camp Swatara. Sign up ASAP if interested. The Fellowship and Hospitality Committees need to know how much interest there is before they proceed with the planning. See details on sign-up sheet.

Dear Finland Mennonite Church Family:

My mind (Paula) keeps thinking and reflecting on the Finland Team's visit here in Senegal. It was such a blessing to so many. Please know that your care, prayers, and financial donations for making this trip possible is immeasurable. We saw so many ways that God's hand was there guiding all of us and with us during the visit – and even before and after as well. Many hearts were touched by prayers, kind words and smiles – and trying the languages too! The investment made in time given, finances, energy, risking, trying new things, the sacrifices of the Team as well as Finland Church Family will bear much fruit.

ALSO, THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH for the gifts brought for the people here as well as for us, the Hanes family. Wow, blessed beyond measure. Thank you to all that were involved in this and had their part (and for the 6 people that brought the items in their luggage!!!)

Our children were blessed as well by the Team's visit to them and touring their school locations. We look forward to this continued relationship and communications.

*Our love to you in Him,
The Hanes family – Jim, Paula, Amanda, and Aaron*