

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Wilson & DJ Swartley (1 st service) Rich & Rose Longacre (2 nd service)	Fred & Janet Gane (1 st service) Don & Kathy Mease (2 nd service)
Nursery	Ginger Wint & Diane Wise (1 st shift) Jan Bannon & Beth Anders (2 nd shift)	
Ushers	Alan & Karen Kratz (1 st service) Marv & Rachel Reinford (2 nd service)	Jim & Ruth Delp (1 st service) Jon & Shirley Kiefer (2 nd service)
Closing up	Larry & Dee Dee Good - July	Larry & Dee Dee Good - July

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics	
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

“CALL TO FALL” – We want to join with thousands of other Christians TODAY to pray for spiritual awakening in our country. *2 Chronicles 7:14 says, “If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land.”* (see insert)

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

Mennonite Mission Network –Pray for Alyssa Rodrigues of MMN as she works to perfect her Spanish and find her ministry niche at Quito Mennonite Church in Ecuador. She asks God for the words to share her care and Jesus’ love with people who are marginalized, especially the Colombian refugees.

Mark your calendars and be part of a special Prayer Service July 28, 6-7:00pm in support of our VBS (July 29-Aug.2). We will be praying for the staff, teachers, children and all involved in VBS. Part of the service will involve a Prayer Walk through the classrooms of the children. VBS has been a very valuable part of Finland outreach for many years. See you there!

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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) Abby Waterman - Offertory

Scripture – Gen. 2:23-24; I Cor. 6:15-20

Sermon – “The Talk: God’s Thoughts on Sexuality” Pastor John

Children dismissed for Kids Kinecton

Sharing Time

Pastoral Prayer and Closing Blessing Marv Reinford - Elder in Charge

SECOND SERVICE

Sharing Time Marv Reinford - Elder in Charge

Offering– (Please pass the attendance pads) Abby Waterman - Offertory

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

Scripture – Gen. 2:23-24; I Cor. 6:15-20

Sermon – “The Talk: God’s Thoughts on Sexuality” Pastor John

Closing Blessing

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Next Sunday is Communion Sunday. Noel Santiago will be our guest speaker.

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

Monday, 6:30 pm – VBS Work Night at the lower campus

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

Wednesday, 6:30 pm – Post High Laundromat Ministry - pizza provided

Thursday, 10am till dark – Freedomfest activities & fireworks -Goshenhoppen Park

See Rose Longacre if you can help at our crafts booth for an hour or more.

Thursday, 6:30-9:30 pm – Volleyball for anyone over 18

Friday, 7:30 pm – Tim Moyer's small group

Next Sunday – Communion in both services. Noel Santiago is the guest speaker.

Last Week's Stats

Attendance

First service-100

Second service –77

Note: Because July 4th is on Thursday, the bulletin will be printed on Wednesday this week. Please have information to me by early Wednesday morning. I will not be in the office on Thursday or Friday. Thanks, Martha

Today is the deadline to sign up for camping at Swatara on October 25-27.

We have an opening for a female teacher for the Jr. High girls S.S. class (grades 6 thru 8) beginning this fall. Please contact Jana Sheetz if interested.

Are you a dancer who has always wanted to use your gift of dance to worship? You will love the Summer Expressive Workshop for experienced dancers ages 16-30 at Hopewell Christian Fellowship in Telford led by Sarah Scorzetti and Brie Cool. 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.

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

Zion Mennonite Nursery School is now offering a pre-kindergarten class for children who need that extra year of preschool or for those who miss the school district age deadline. Classes will be held Mondays, Wednesdays and Friday from 9am-12pm beginning September 9th. Children must be 5 by Nov. 1 to qualify for this class. Call the church office at 215-723-3592 for more info or to register your child.

MCC Material Resource Center in Harleysville can use "a few good men" to help with tasks around the warehouse area that require more lifting, etc. Come between 9am and 3pm Monday through Thursday, and we will put you to work. There are tasks for men and women. Call 267-203-8074 for more information.

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"GOD'S THOUGHTS ON SEXUALITY"

Genesis 2:23 & 24; 1 Corinthians 6:15-20

"For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and they will become one flesh."

Genesis 2:24

Ish and Isha

Genesis 2:23b

Yada

Genesis 4:1

Immorality

I Corinthians 6:18

Sin against my body

I Corinthians 6:18b

Chaste

I Corinthians 6:19a and 20b

Repent

Grace

**"You are not your own; you were bought at a price.
Therefore honor God with your body."**

I Corinthians 6:20