

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1 st service) Tim & Mary Moyer (2 nd svc)	Greg & Cheryl Ingram (1 st service) Kevin & Jan Bannon (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Sue Rice & Jalecia Reinford (1 st svc/SS) Bev Ehst & Dee Dee Good (2 nd svc)	Naomi Hawkins & Rose Longacre (1 st svc/SS) Rachel Kiefer & Tara Gilmore (2 nd svc)
Ushers	Barb & Russ Hess (1st service) Marv & Rachel Reinford (2nd service)	Barb & Russ Hess (1st service) Marv & Rachel Reinford (2nd service)
Closing	Jim & Ruth Delp - March	Jim & Ruth Delp - March

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

Nursery facilities - Last room on the right in the new wing
 Toddlers (2-3 year olds) - (Rachel Kiefer & Ginger Wint) - next to the Nursery
 Preschool (4-5 year olds) - (Lydia Clemmer & Corinne G.) Room 102 first floor hallway
 Kindergarten & grade 1 (Jan Bannon & Lauren Good) - Room 101 first floor hallway
 Grades 2 & 3 (Sue Rice & Jana Scheetz) - Room 201 second floor hallway
 Grades 4 & 5 (Shannon Derstine & Anita Livezey) - Room 203 second floor hallway
 Middle School (Karen Kratz & Amy Reinford) - Room 204 second floor hallway
 High School (Justin Derstine, Corey Guntz, & Karlton Landis) - Room 205 second floor hallway
 Post High (Chad Landis) - Classroom 3 behind coatroom
 "Joshua/Matthew – D6 curriculum" led by Pastor Gerry - Classroom 1 in new hallway
 "Praying Circles Around Your Kids" led by Rich Longacre - Classroom 2 behind coatroom
 "Follow Me" led by Alan Kratz – G-3 in the gym
 Men's Class – "God Loves Us" G-2 in the gym
 Women's class – "God Still Moves Stones" - G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance

1st Service - 115
2nd Service - 98

*In lieu of passing an offering plate, if you came prepared to give, please place your offering in the offering box located at the back of the sanctuary.

**12% of our general offering this month will be given to the following mission:
MCC- Mennonite Central Committee

This Week at Finland

- Today, 5:30pm** – Families Following Christ small group
- Monday, 7:00pm** – Prayer Shawl Ministry at the Longacre's
- Tuesday, 7:15pm** – Lisa's worship team practice
- Wednesday, 10:00am** – OWL's at Rachel Reinford's
- Wednesday, 7:00pm** – Dig Deeper Groups
- Wednesday, 7:00pm** – Grief Share
- Wednesday, 7:00-8:30pm** – Boys & Girls Club
- Wednesday, 7:00-8:45pm** – Junior High
- Wednesday, 7:00-9:00pm** – Youth Group

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Elders—David Landis, Jeff Janton, Marvin Reinford, Ken Paul, Chad Landis, Greg Ingram, Alan Kratz

Visitation & Care Team—Arlin Benner, Dee Dee Good

The family that prays together stays together

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Pre-service Prayer 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 for children 3 years and under during all services, with a break for fellowship time.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Pre-service Reflections: A time to consider God's glory and prepare your heart for worship.

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

Scripture - (ESV pew Bible page 869)

Sermon - "Empty and Alone"

Sharing Time and Prayer

Benediction and Blessing

Lamentations 1

Pastor Kris

Ken Paul

Pastor Kris

Next Sunday's sermon: "Rejected & Dejected" – Lamentations 2

To Our Guests:

Welcome to Finland! 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 prayer box at the back of the sanctuary as you leave today.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I am attending for the first time.

I would like a call from the Pastor.

How can we pray for you?

Please include in weekly prayer email

Announcements:

Finland Faith Family, we would like to thank you for your support of all of us, with the passing of Ralph's mom. We are grateful for the flowers, Pastor Gerry's part in the service, Pastor Kris and others who attended the viewing/funeral, as well as your cards, hugs, and support in prayer. Please keep the prayers coming on our behalf. Thanks again, Ralph, Chris and Chantel Schultz

New Adult Sunday School classes will begin today, please see above for locations.

Ushers needed for 2nd service – here is a great opportunity for you and your family to serve and to get to know people better at Finland. If interested, please talk to Jim Delp. (Ushers greet people as they come into the sanctuary and help with the microphones during sharing time)

Revised 2016 giving statements are in your mailbox , there is not a change in amounts, only an additional required paragraph required by the IRS noting the portion of the donation that is tax deductible.

Dig Deeper groups will be on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday nights of the month at 7:00pm. There will be a group for adults with children and adults without children. We will utilize the Dig Deeper sheets to guide us in prayer, study and worship.

Grief-Share offers help & encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. We will be meeting Wednesdays, February 1 – May 3 at 7:00pm. You will find a warm, caring environment to help you on your long journey through grief. For more information please contact Pastor Gerry.

Mark your calendars for Finland Faith Family Game Night – March 29th at 7:00pm. Join us as we play games like life-size Dutch Blitz, Memory Maze and bring your favorite board game and snack to share.

March 31st - *Care & Share* volunteer day. See Brenda Madrill if you can help.

April is child abuse prevention month, you are invited to Child Safety Training on Saturday, April 1st - begins at 8:15am with a continental breakfast followed by speaker Michele Krisfasco from Montgomery County Office of Children and Youth. Please let us know if you can attend.

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Calling Jr. High Leaders - If you enjoy hanging out and studying the Bible with Jr. High age youth, we are looking to call additional leaders to serve with this growing ministry on Wednesday nights and with monthly activities. Please contact Pastor Gerry if you have any interest or questions.

Our Daily Bread devotional booklets are here! Please take one, you can find them under the mailboxes.