

Announcements:

Membership Class will begin in May for those who desire to become members at Finland, and **Baptism class** will begin in June for those who desire to be baptized as followers of Jesus Christ with baptism on June 11th. Please talk to Pastor Kris or Pastor Gerry if you have interest in either of these classes.

Teachers are needed for the Kindergarten class, and an aide is needed for the Toddler class starting in June, please see Sherry Frederick if you are able to help.

Wednesday, May 31st at 7:00pm – Finland Faith Family night. All are invited to come and join us for an evening of prayer and fireside worship with smores.

Parent-Child Dedication - We give thanks to God for the gift of children in our congregation. If you are parents of an infant and are interested in being part of a Parent-Child Dedication service please contact Pastor Kris or Pastor Gerry.

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.

Mark your calendars for Family VBS this summer: June 19-23 in the evenings. We will be having a blood drive on Friday June 23 from 4:00pm – 8:00pm. To sign up please go to https://donor.giveapint.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/38335

If you would like to be added to the list of people who are contacted when meals are needed, please let Lynn Swartley or Rose Longacre know.

Please make note – Pastor Kris will be taking his scheduled sabbatical from May 5 to June 2. During this time, any pastoral concerns and urgent matters should be directed to Pastor Gerry.

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.

Outreach mission - Finland will be the **Mac and Cheese** church for The Open Link pantry for the year. Please place donations in the box located on the table outside the Sanctuary.

Mother's Day Breakfast at Camp Men-O-Lan - Saturday, May 13 at 9:00am. Join other women and girls for a time of worship, sharing and a cactus planter craft. Contact Kim 215-679-5144 if you are interested in attending.

Finland Mennonite Church

Leading all into the presence of Jesus Christ



At Finland Mennonite we gather to grow, nurture our faith at home and make disciples as we go.

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Welcome to Finland Mennonite Church

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

First Service 8:30 am - Second Service 11:00am
 Sunday School 9:45-10:30am
 Fellowship and refreshments 10:30-11:00am

Nursery care is provided for children 3 years and under during both services & Sunday school, 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 (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to)

Scripture - (ESV pew Bible page 374) 1 Kings 13:11-33

Sermon – “Clinging to God’s Word” Danillo Sanchez

Sharing Time and Prayer Chad Landis

Benediction and Blessing

Next Sunday's sermon: “Walking In Obscurity” – 1 Kings 14

This Week at Finland

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-8:30pm – Boys & Girls Club

Wednesday, 7:00-9:00pm – Senior High

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Jim & Ruth Delp (1 st service) Don & Kathy Mease (2 nd service)	Ginnie Tietjens & Brenda Madrill (1 st svc) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd service)
Nursery	Elanie Burns & Volunteer needed (1 st /SS) Bev Ehst & Tara Gilmore (2 nd svc)	Naomi Hawkins & Volunteer needed (1 st /SS) Rachel Kiefer & Mary Moyer (2 nd svc)
Ushers	Larry & Dee Dee Good (1st service) Tim & Mary Moyer (2nd service)	Larry & Dee Dee Good (1st service) Tim & Mary Moyer (2nd service)
Closing	Gerry & Lydia Clemmer - May	Gerry & Lydia Clemmer - May

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

Nursery facilities - Last room on the right in the Community Room

Toddlers (2-3 year olds) next to the Nursery

Preschool (4-5 year olds) Room 102 first floor hallway

Kindergarten & Grade 1 - Room 101 first floor hallway

Grades 2 & 3 - Room 201 second floor hallway

Grades 4 & 5 - Room 203 second floor hallway

Middle School - Room 202 second floor hallway

High School - Rooms 204 & 205 second floor hallway

Post High - Classroom 3 behind coatroom

Adult Classes:

“D6 curriculum” - Classroom 1 in new hallway

“Praying Circles Around Your Kids” - Classroom 2 behind coatroom

“Membership Class” – 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

*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 missions:
 MAMA/Worm Project**