

### Announcements:

**Thank you, Finland Mennonite Church.** No one will ever use the phrase “easy to deal with” when concerning the loss of their home, but it has certainly been less painful due largely in part to our neighbors at Finland Mennonite Church. We trust that God never lets any tragedy become more than a family can handle. That stands true simply because God knows we are neighbored by friends like Finland.

**May God bless all of you, The Weidner Family**

**A Teacher is needed** for the K-1 class please see Sherry Frederick if you are able to help. We are also in need of nursery volunteers, please contact Naomi Hawkins if you are able to help.

**Finland has been asked** if we would provide a Sunday school program Sundays from 10:00-10:45am at Boulder Woods campground again this summer. If you have interest in being a part of this outreach please contact Rich & Rose Longacre. Thanks for your consideration and please keep this ministry in your prayers as well.

**Are you interested in helping to feed people and provide community?** We are looking for someone to coordinate The First Monday Meal which is held at Pennsburg UCC and the Sr. Center in East Greenville. This program is under the supervision of The Open Link and churches throughout the Upper Perkiomen Valley. Finland takes one turn a year to host the meal. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Ginnie Tietjens (610-310-7497). The month for Finland to participate has not been determined as yet. You do not need to be "Safe Serve" certified to be our coordinator.

**Come Join the Fun at Camp Swatara** – October 20-22, 2017. Campsites \$46/night, 5 person cabin \$59.00/night, 9 person cabin \$69.00/night. Please let Julie Landis know if you are able to come.

**Care and Share** volunteer day is this Saturday, July 29th. Please contact Brenda Madrill if you are able to help.

**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.

# 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.

**Lead Pastor:** Kris Wint  
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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 1311) Revelation 2:8-11

**Sermon – “Keep Faithful”** Pastor Kris

**Sharing Time & Prayer** Greg Ingram

**Benediction and Blessing** Pastor Kris

**Next Sunday:** “Keep His Words” – Revelation 2: 12-17

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**This Week at Finland**

**Tuesday, 7:15pm** – Worship team practice

**Wednesday, 6:30am** – Coffee Drive-Thru

**Wednesday, 7:00pm** – Senior High

**Saturday** – Volunteering at Care & Share

	<b>Today</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Andy & Jason Price (1 <sup>st</sup> svc) Alan & Tara Gilmore (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)	Greg & Cheryl Ingram (1 <sup>st</sup> svc) Josh & Abby Rice (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)
<b>Nursery</b>	Ginnie Tietjens & Hayley Wyble (1 <sup>st</sup> SS) Hannah Landis & Ginger Wint (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)	Anita Livezey & Naomi Hawkins (1 <sup>st</sup> SS) Rose Longacre & Lydia Clemmer (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)
<b>Ushers</b>	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Edna Fithen (2nd service)	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Edna Fithen (2nd service)
<b>Closing</b>	John & Bev Ehst - July	John & Bev Ehst - July

**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

*“Forgotten God”* by Frances Chan – Classroom 2 (behind the mailboxes)

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**

1<sup>st</sup> Service – 144      2<sup>nd</sup> Service - 65

\*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:  
 Lydia Good with Wycliffe Bible Translators**