

Announcements:

October is appreciation month. Each Sunday of this month we will express appreciation to persons who volunteer in Church ministries. During this month we also want to express appreciation to one another. Notice the person or household whose mailbox is before and after your own. Consider writing a note of encouragement or appreciation to them sometime during this month.

New Adult Sunday School classes starting in November. Please sign up on the bulletin board for one of these classes: **Gospel** by J.D. Greear: Could the gospel be lost in evangelical churches? Or **D-6 Curriculum** studying Living in Christ from 1 Corinthians.

Finland work day is scheduled for Saturday, October 28th. Come at 8:00am to have fun with friends while we spruce up the church. Please bring work gloves.

Mark your calendars – Sunday, November 5th is the Congregational meeting at 6:00pm.

If you are interested in becoming a member here at Finland, please see Pastor Kris or Pastor Gerry. Membership class will begin on November 5th.

We are in need of a Nursery Coordinator. If you have any interest in serving in this way, please see Pastor Gerry.

Come and join us in a benefit banquet for Hope Christian Center on Saturday, October 28th at Finland Mennonite. Silent Auction & Appetizers at 4:30pm, Dinner at 5:00pm. Please sign-up on the bulletin board. We are also in need of hosts for the men on Saturday night as well as donated items for the silent auction. Contact Sue Rice for questions

Grief Share - Surviving the Holidays event is on November 9th at 7:00pm. You will be given tools to enable you to face the holidays with a measure of peace and assurance after the loss of a loved one. Sign-up on the bulletin board. Invite your friends...Postcards are available on the table outside the Sanctuary.

The Finland Pine box derby is on Wednesday, November 29th at 6:45pm. Please sign-up on the bulletin board if you would like a pine box car kit.

We are looking to put a team of men and women together to go to Alabama Jan. 19-27, 2018. This team will interact with the inmates during the day, looking for opportunities to share the gospel. If you are interested please see Pastor Kris.

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

Scripture – (ESV pew Bible page 1237)	Galatians 3: 15-29
Sermon – “Point to Christ”	Pastor Gerry
Sharing Time & Prayer	Jeff Janton
Benediction and Blessing	Pastor Gerry

Next Sunday: Hope Christian Center

This Week at Finland

Tuesday, 9:30am – Women’s Bible Study – “All Things New”
Tuesday, 7:15pm – Alabama worship team practice
Wednesday, 6:45pm – Fusion Night – Youth/Club/Dig Deeper Night
Friday-Sunday – Sr. High Spruce Lake Service Project
Saturday, 4:30pm – Hope Christian Center Banquet

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Jim & Ruth Delp (1 st svc) Kevin & Jan Bannon (2 nd svc)	Ginnie Tietjens & Brenda Madrill (1 st svc) Alan & Karen Kratz (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Hayley Wyble & Corinne Guntz (1 st SS) Lydia Clemmer & Volunteer needed (2 nd svc)	Mary Kirkpatrick & Hailee Longacre (1 st SS) Rose Longacre & Bev Ehst (2 nd svc)
Ushers	Wade & Savannah Derstine (1st svc) Kevin Bannon (2nd service)	Wade & Savannah Derstine (1st svc) Kevin Bannon (2nd service)
Closing	Jared & Amanda Landis/Josh & Abby Rice - October	Jared & Amanda Landis/Josh & Abby Rice - October

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:
“Practicing Integrity” D6 Curriculum- Classroom 1 (office hallway)
“You and Me Forever” by Frances Chan – Classroom 2 (behind the mailboxes)
 Men's Class – *“Covenant with God”* G-2 in the gym
 Women's class – *“Becoming More Than A Good Bible Study Girl”* - G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance

1st Service – 144 2nd Service – 87

*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:
 Hope Christian Center & America’s Keswick**