

### Announcements:

**Young Adult Christmas Get Together today from 1 - 3 pm** in the Community Room. High School grads to 30 somethings, please come and bring an appetizer to share and a \$5 gift. (dessert and drinks will be provided)

**Christmas Services:** Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm service followed by fellowship time. Please bring a plate of cookies to share.  
Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> – regular morning service times including Sunday School.

**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.

**Care & Share** - Friday, December 29<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, December 30<sup>th</sup> are Finland's days to volunteer at the Care & Share. Please see Brenda Madrill if you are able to help.

**You are invited to the Christmas Market Show & Sale** at the Mennonite Heritage Center, Harleysville from December 2-30 with fine crafts and art for purchasing. For hours and info: [www.mhep.org](http://www.mhep.org)

**Dec-Jan Our Daily Bread devotionals are here!** Pick your copy up on the table as you exit the Sanctuary.

**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 of the Sanctuary.

# 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 1326)

Revelation 21: 1-8

**Sermon** – “Joy”

Pastor Gerry

**Time of Prayer & Anointing**

**Sharing Time & Prayer**

Chad Landis

**Benediction and Blessing**

Pastor Gerry

**Next Sunday:** “Peace” – Revelation 21:21 - 22:5

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## This Week at Finland

**Today, 1:00pm** – Young Adult Christmas Get-Together

**Tuesday, 12:00pm** – Senior Fellowship Luncheon

**Tuesday, 7:15pm** – Jared’s worship team practice

**Wednesday, 6:45pm** – Youth/Club/Dig Deeper Night

**Wednesday, 7:30pm** – Book Club “Escape from Camp 14”

	<b>Today</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Merv & Ellen Rutt (1 <sup>st</sup> svc) Louise Kreider & Edna Fithen (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)	Corey & Corinne Guntz (1 <sup>st</sup> svc) (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)
<b>Nursery</b>	Dee Dee Good & Jalecia Reichart (1 <sup>st</sup> ss) Karen Kratz & volunteer needed (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)	Brenda Madrill & Ginger Wint (1 <sup>st</sup> ss) Diane Dougherty & volunteer needed (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
<b>Ushers</b>	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Rand Zeigler (2nd service)	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Rand Zeigler (2nd service)
<b>Closing</b>	David & Lisa Landis - December	David & Lisa Landis - December

## Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

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

**Toddlers** (2-3 years old) next to the Nursery

**Preschool** (4-5 years old) 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:**

“*The Benefits of Belief*” D6 Curriculum- Classroom 1 (office hallway)

“*Gospel*” by J.D. Greear – 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

1<sup>st</sup> Service – 125 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – 68

\*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:  
International Justice Mission**