

Announcements:

Our church will be collecting grocery bags for the month of April. Groceries collected will be delivered to the Mennonite Resource Center to be distributed in the Philadelphia area. Thanks for your help! You can find the grocery bags to fill as you exit the Sanctuary or purchase already filled bags at Landis Markets.

Grief Share Support Group – Come for help and encouragement after the death of a loved one. Tuesdays, Feb. 6th- May 1st 7:00pm-8:30pm

We are looking for help with the Hospitality Committee. If you like to serve others, this is a great place to plug in. If you're interested see Jina Reinford.

Service Trip Opportunity – We will be sending intergenerational groups for one week at a time, to Puerto Rico to help with rebuilding after the hurricane. Here are the weeks we will be going down: **5/26-6/2, 6/9-6/16 and 7/21-7/28** please let Pastor Kris know if you are interested by April 15th, after that, we will open this opportunity up to people outside of the church. The fee schedule will be: \$200 per person for individuals and couples. Families will be \$400 for the adults and \$100 each for 2 children. Any additional children would be free. Families that can afford to pay the full price may do so.

Zion Mennonite Church presents: What makes hope possible? Fighting The Opioid crisis in our community. Saturday, April 21st 7pm-8:30pm

Behold Women's Conference is being held at Family Worship Center Saturday, April 21st from 9:00am-3:30pm. Register at www.beholdconference.net

The MAMA Project Banquet & Silent Auction will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2018 at Finland Mennonite Church. The event begins at 5:30pm and dinner will be served buffet style approximately at 6:00pm. Call to reserve single seats or tables of 8-10 people. They also need auction donation items. (215) 679-4338 info@MAMAProject.org

Outreach mission - Finland is the **Mac and Cheese** church for The Open Link pantry this 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 1153) John 21

Sermon – “Living with the King” Pastor Kris

Sharing Time & Prayer Marvin Reinford

Benediction and Blessing Pastor Kris

Next Sunday: “Receiving God’s Grace” – Jude

This Week at Finland

- Tuesday, 7:00pm – Grief Share
- Tuesday, 7:15pm – Worship team practice
- Wednesday, 6:45pm – Fusion Club/Youth/Dig Deeper Night
- Wednesday, 7:30pm – Book Club “The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks”
- Friday-Sunday – Sr. High Youth Retreat

| | Today | Next Week |
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| Greeters | John & Sue Rice (1 st svc) Alan & Karen Kratz (2 nd svc) | Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1 st svc) Kevin & Jan Bannon (2 nd svc) |
| Nursery | Brenda Madrill & Melissa Albright (1 st ss) Karen Kratz & Bev Ehst (2 nd svc) | Naomi Hawkins & Sue Rice (1 st ss) Diane Dougherty & Ginnie Tietjens (2 nd svc) |
| Ushers | Mike & Laurie Cassel (1st svc) Rand Ziegler (2 nd svc) | Mike & Laurie Cassel (1st svc) Rand Ziegler (2 nd svc) |
| Closing | Mike & Laurie Cassel - April | Mike & Laurie Cassel - April |

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:

“*Songs from the Heart*” - D-6 Curriculum - Classroom 1 (office hallway)

“*Gospel*” – Classroom 2 (behind the mailboxes)

Men's Class – “*Acknowledging God*” G-2 in the gym

Women's Class – “A Study on Forgiveness” - G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance & Offering

1st Service – 203 2nd Service - 62

*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.

****15% of our general offering this month will be given to the following missions:**

MCC (grocery bag month) & Crossroads Pregnancy Care