

## Announcements:

**Thanksgiving meal and service** next Sunday November 18 at 5:00pm. Sign-up in the community room and please bring a dessert.

**The Lancaster Thrift Shopping Bus Trip** from the Puerto Rico auction last March is THIS Saturday, November 17. It is very important that you contact Lisa Effrig if you signed-up.

**Sample Haitian cuisine** and enjoy an afterward catered meal at the *Haiti Banquet & Auction* THIS Saturday, November 17 at 4:30pm at Finland. Bid on Haitian products and talk to the Les Reinford family as they fundraise for New Horizons Children's Home. For free reservations, call John Lapinski at 717-799-4523 or email Les Reinford at [lkreinford@comcast.net](mailto:lkreinford@comcast.net).

**Finland's Care & Share Fifth Friday duty** is November 30.

**Finland is participating in the Hometown Christmas Parade** December 2 by singing on a horse drawn wagon and walking in the parade. If you would like to be a singer or walker, please sign-up in the community room. See Jeff Janton for more details.

**Gospel Express Ministries** is hosting a fall program at the Franconia Heritage Restaurant THIS Thursday, November 15 at 6:00pm. Tickets are available at the door. Music is by two Amish-Mennonite families—the Stoltfus & Miller families.

**Offer the hope of the Gospel to inmates** in Alabama through Renew Hope, a We Care ministry. The prison ministry runs from January 27-31. It starts with a rally day and then four days entering the various prisons for ministry through friendship evangelism. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Jeff Janton to join or hear more.

**Christmas Service:** Sunday, December 23, 6:00pm service followed by fellowship time. Please bring cookies to share.

**Watch Francis Chan's new Gospel of Mark Bible study** on Right Now Media. Register for your free Right Now Media account today—it's easy and quick.

**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 second service (nursery will not be staffed during first service but feel free use it)

### 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 1244)      Ephesians 4:17-32

**Sermon** – The Desired Aim      Pastor Kris

**Sharing Time & Prayer**      Marvin Reinford

**Benediction and Blessing**      Pastor Kris

**Next Sunday:** “Living in Faithful Community: The Proper Walk”

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### This Week at Finland

- Monday, 7:00pm** – Prayer shawl at the Longacre’s
- Tuesday, 7:15pm** – Worship team practice
- Wednesday, 6:45pm** – Club/youth/dig deeper night
- Wednesday, 7:30pm** – Book club “Rebel with a Cause”  
by Franklin Graham
- Saturday, 4:30pm** – Haiti benefit banquet
- Sunday, 5:00pm** – Thanksgiving meal w/ service

|                 | Today   | Next Week  |
|-----------------|---|--|
| <b>Greeters</b> | Merv & Ellen Rutt (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Kevin & Jan Bannon (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)               | John & Bev Ehst (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Corey & Corinne Guntz (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)               |
| <b>Nursery</b>  | Not staffed during 1 <sup>st</sup> service<br>Naomi Hawkins & Rose Longacre (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc) | Not staffed during 1 <sup>st</sup> service<br>Jalecia Reichart & Roni Kiefer (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc) |
| <b>Ushers</b>   | Jim & Ruth Delp (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Edna Fithen (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)                        | Jim & Ruth Delp (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Edna Fithen (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)                         |
| <b>Closing</b>  | Alan & Karen Kratz  | Alan & Karen Kratz   |

### 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:**

When Life gets Hard — Sanctuary

Sexual Sanity for men — Classroom 1 (office hallway)

Sexual Sanity for women — Classroom 2 (behind coatroom)

Men's Class — “*God’s People*” - G-2 in the gym

Women's Class — “*The Blood and the Glory*” - G-1 in the gym

### Last Week's Attendance

1<sup>st</sup> Service – 138    2<sup>nd</sup> Service – 66

\*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:  
 Betania/Monte Maria**