

Announcements:

If you are interested in exploring becoming a member of Finland Mennonite Church, membership classes will be held in September (15th and 22nd) during the Sunday School hour. Please let Pastor Kris or Pastor Gerry know if you are interested in being a part of these classes.

Sunday School Teachers Needed for Fall Children's Classes –

There's need for teachers for Kindergarten-1st and 2nd-3rd grade classes beginning in September. If you have interest in exploring possibly teaching one of these classes in the Fall, please contact Sherry Frederick.

Leaders Needed for Jr. and Sr. Youth Groups and Boys/Girls Club -

Please pray with us concerning the current need for leaders to join the Boys/Girls Clubs and the Jr./Sr. High teams for this coming Fall. If you have interest in inquiring about being a part of one of these teams please contact Pastor Gerry. As a congregation, continue to keep our children and youth and this need for leaders in your prayers.

Free family/parenting books are available at the Faith@Home Center. Pick one up for a summer read.

Spruce Lake Women's Retreat is coming up in September from the 13th—15th. *Please register through Spruce Lake as soon as possible* if you are interested in going. The Speaker is Shaunti Feldhahn. The retreat is two nights lodging & six meals. Packages at Spruce Lodge are \$197- \$217/person (triple occupancy). Register by calling Dawn at Spruce Lake at 800.822.7505 to put a 50% deposit down. Once you've registered, please e-mail Hayley Wyble. There are limited rooms left.

If you would be interested in helping families live a healthier life, Healthy Niño's is collecting money for water filters. They cost \$50 each and give families in Honduras clean water for life. Log on to www.healthyninos.org to learn more and donate.

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.

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 8:30am - 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 first service (nursery will not be staffed during second 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 1224)	2nd Corinthians 1:8-22
Sermon – Our True Identities	Pastor Gerry
Sharing Time & Prayer	Greg Ingram
Benediction and Blessing	Pastor Gerry

Next Sunday: “Mistaken Identities” series:
 Seated with Christ

This Week at Finland

Tuesday, 7:15pm – Worship Team Practice
Wednesday, 7:30pm – Book Club “Called for Life”
 by Kent & Amber Brantly

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Ernie & Lisa Effrig (1 st svc) Arlin & Ed Griffin (2 nd svc)	Norma Linck (1 st svc) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Bev Ebst & Hilary Pannepacker (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc	Karen Kratz & Jalecia Reichart (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc
Ushers	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Alan Gilmore (2 nd svc)	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Alan Gilmore (2 nd svc)
Closing	Dave & Lisa Landis	Dave & Lisa Landis

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
Adult Classes:
 2nd Kings/2nd Chronicles (D6) — Sanctuary
 You and Me Forever (Francis & Lisa Chan) — Classroom 1 (office hallway)
 Men's Class — “*Living in Covenant with God*” - G-2 in the gym
 Women's Class — “*The Life of Mother Teresa*” - G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance

1st Service – 137 2nd Service – 84

*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:
 We Care/Liberty Ministries**