

Announcements:

The Youth Group is selling cookies as a fundraiser. Sign-up for orders ahead of time on the community room bulletin board. Pick-up is Dec. 14 between 8am-noon here at Finland. If you are unable to pick up your order on that date see Shannon to make other arrangements.

CROSSGEN Conference is January 10-12, 2019. Register and pay at sprucelake.org/events/crossgen-2020, or pay online at a laptop station in the community room December 1 or December 8 between services (be prepared with an online payment method). Packages include: 2-nights lodging & 5 meals (Saturday Breakfast - Sunday lunch).
\$389/family in one room (three to six people ages 6 & up)
\$289/family of 2 people (ages 6 & up)
\$189/one person (single occupancy)

Finland is participating in the Upper Perk Hometown Christmas Parade next Sunday, December 1, by walking in the parade. If you would like to be a walker, please sign-up in the community room. Contact the church office for more details.

Calling cast and crew for "The Greatest Love" musical being put on for Easter again this year. The musical presents the gospel of Jesus Christ, using the setting of the nationally acclaimed movie *The Greatest Showman*. Express interest in joining the production to Pastor Kris.

Christmas Open House for shopping for unique handmade gifts and re-purposed items is December 6, 7 and 9-13 at 737 Hagey Center Dr., Unit C, Souderton, PA 18964. All Proceeds benefit Mennonite Central Committee.

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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Elders: Greg Ingram, Alan Kratz, Ken Paul, Arlin Benner & Jeff Janton

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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 10:30am-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 1259)

2 Thess 1:1-4, 3:16-18

Sermon – Peace

Pastor Kris

Sharing Time & Prayer

Alan Kratz

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor Kris

Next Sunday: “Faithful One” sermon series:
Joy

This Week at Finland

Today, 5:00pm – Finland Thanksgiving Dinner

Tuesday, 7:15pm – Worship team practice

Wednesday, 6:45pm – Jesse Tree Workshop, hosted by the Boys & Girls Club

Thursday, Happy Thanksgiving!

Friday, 9:00am – Volunteering at Care & Share (5th Friday)

Saturday, 9:00am – Volunteering at Care & Share (5th Saturday)

Sunday, Upper Perk Hometown Parade

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Greg & Cheryl Ingram (1 st svc) Rich & Rose Longacre (2 nd svc)	Brenda Madrill (1 st svc) Louise Kreider (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Diane Dougherty & Brenda Madrill (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc	Dee Dee Good & Roni Kiefer (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc
Ushers	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Edna Fithen (2 nd svc)	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Edna Fithen (2 nd svc)
Closing	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

Adult Classes:

Generational Discipleship (D6) — Sanctuary

Bible Study — Classroom 3 (behind coatroom)

Men's Class — “*Responding to God's Grace*” – Classroom 1

Women's Class — “*Choosing Gratitude*” - Library

*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 Puerto Rico & Monte Maria, Mexico