

### Announcements:

**GriefShare support group meetings** will begin on Tuesday, February 4th at 7:00 p.m. and run for 13 weeks. If you or someone you know is grieving the loss of someone close to you, we welcome you to join this session of Griefshare. For more information, please contact Pastor Gerry or Arlin Benner. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the community room.

**“Thank you to our Finland Faith Community** for your generosity, meals, cards, and visits during John and Tyler's surgeries and recuperation. We are simply overwhelmed with your many acts of kindness.” John, Sue, Tyler and Zach Rice

**The “Sailing into 2020 with Love and Friendship”** couples' dinner is February 8th at 5:30pm. There will be a catered meal and tickets will be \$10 per couple. Tickets will be sold during fellowship time on January 19th, 26th and February 2<sup>nd</sup> in the community room. Look for a sales table.

**The Nordic Challenge is Saturday Febrary 29<sup>th</sup>.** It's an indoor disc-golf tournament here at Finland. Online registration opens January 29 at 8pm EST and costs \$20/person.

**Cast and crew, prepare for practice for “The Greatest Love”** musical being put on for Easter again this year. More info to come soon.

**Earl Miller could use assistance** doing his laundry 2hrs/week. Please reach out to Earl if you are able to help.

**D6 Home app** – We want to make you aware of an App for your phone that is connected to the D6 Sunday School curriculum we are currently using. Updated weekly, this app delivers resources designed to equip you for generational discipleship. You can download the App for free from the App store on your phone.

**The Finance Committee is looking for additional persons** to help out counting the offerings. Please see Tara Gilmore with any interest or questions.

**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 Sanctuary**

First Service 8:30am - Second Service 11:00am

Sunday School 9:45am-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 1137)

John 8:12

**Sermon** – The Light of the World

Pastor Gerry

**Sharing Time & Prayer**

Ken Paul

**Benediction and Blessing**

Pastor Gerry

**Sermon next Sunday:** “Everything You Need” sermon series:  
The True Door

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**This Week at Finland**

**Tuesday, 7:15pm** – Worship Team Practice

**Wednesday, 6:45pm** – NextGen

|                 | <b>Today</b>   | <b>Next Week</b>   |
|-----------------|--|--|
| <b>Greeters</b> | Gary & Margo Babel (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc) | Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Mike & Laurie Cassel (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc) |
| <b>Nursery</b>  | Edna Fithen & Lydia Clemmer (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Not staffed 2 <sup>nd</sup> svc   | Ginger Wint & Brenda Madrill (1 <sup>st</sup> svc)<br>Not staffed 2 <sup>nd</sup> svc          |
| <b>Ushers</b>   | Ken & Cindy Paul (1st svc)<br>Kevin Bannon (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)                       | Ken & Cindy Paul (1st svc)<br>Kevin Bannon (2 <sup>nd</sup> svc)                               |
| <b>Closing</b>  | Darryl & Eleanor Wallace   | Darryl & Eleanor Wallace   |

**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:**

Faith on Display (D6) — Sanctuary

Heaven by Randy Alcorn — Classroom 2 (behind coatroom)

Bible Study — Classroom 3 (behind coatroom)

Men's Class — “Honoring God” – Classroom 1

Women's Class — “The Gospel of John” – Library

**Last Week's Attendance & Offering**

1<sup>st</sup> Service – 126 2<sup>nd</sup> Service – No 2<sup>nd</sup> service (CrossGen)

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|-----------------------|--------------------|
| General Offering      | \$ 1,711.00        |
|                       |                    |
| <b>Total Offering</b> | <b>\$ 1,711.00</b> |

\*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:  
Danilo Sanchez (Ripple) & Scott Roth (Young Life)**