

***** Last Week's Stats *****

Attendance	Offering	
First service – 100	General Offering	\$ 4,639.00
Second service - 94	Building Fund	\$30,808.43
	Soup sales	\$ 2,128.25
	Haiti	\$ 20.00
	Adult Retreat	\$ 1,835.00
	Total	\$39,430.68

***** Volunteer Schedule *****

Greeters:	Today	John & Betty Drescher (1 st service)
		Wilson & DJ Swartley (2 nd service)
	Next Week	Russ & Barb Hess (1 st service)
		Louise Kreider (2 nd service)
Nursery:	Today	Corinne Guntz (1 st service)
		Sue Rice (2 nd service)
	Next Week	

Ushers:	January	Russ & Barb Hess (1 st service)
		Rachel Reinford (2 nd service)

Closing church building in Jan. Greg & Cheryl Ingram

***** Youth and Adult Sunday School Class locations and topics *****

Youth Class meets in basement of the house next door to discuss various topics
Young Adult Class - first room on left in basement. Study of Wisdom – Prov. 23
Life Topics from Ecclesiastes and Proverbs – first room on right in basement
Men's Class - middle room on right in the basement. "Christ the Fulfillment"
Women's Class – secretary's office behind stage. "Christ the Fulfillment"
Parenting Teens – taught by John & Bev Ehst meets in the sanctuary
Study of Matthew – led by Alan Kratz meets in the garage next door

***** Prayer Requests *****

Upper Milford Mennonite Church invites you to a Taize prayer service this evening at 7:00 pm. This is where Robert and Anna Nolt are now pastoring

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Pray for Pastor John, the Elder Team, Ministry Directors, and our building project. There are people in our congregation who are hurting physically, spiritually, emotionally, and financially. Let's hold each other up in intercessory prayer.

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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January 31, 2010

Pre-service Prayer Meeting 8:10–8:20 am
 First Service 8:30 am – Second Service 11:00 am
 Sunday School 9:45-10:30 am
 Fellowship and refreshments 10:30-11:00 am
Nursery facilities are available during all our morning services.

FIRST SERVICE

Worship in Song - *If you need to sit down during the singing, please feel free to do so.*
Offering Amanda, Ryan, Roni and Jared - Offertory
(Please pass the attendance pads located under the seat by the center aisle.)
Sharing Time Stacey Kolb – Elder in Charge
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading Matthew 5:1-6
Message – "How to Be Really Well Off" Pastor John
Children dismissed for Kids Kinecton
Closing Blessing

SECOND SERVICE

Worship in Song - *If you need to sit down during the singing, please feel free to do so.*
Offering Amanda, Ryan, Roni and Jared - Offertory
Sharing Time – Elder in Charge
(Please pass the attendance pads located under the seat by the center aisle.)
Pastoral Prayer
Scripture Reading Matthew 5:1-6
Message – "How to Be Really Well Off" Pastor John
Closing Blessing

Next Sunday is part 2 of "How to Be Really Well Off" and the scripture is Matthew 5:7-12.

To Our Guests:

We welcome you to our fellowship. We would like to get to know you better. Please tell us about yourself by filling out the form below and placing it in the offering basket.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I am attending for the first time.

I would like information about your church.

I would like a call from the Pastor.

How can we minister to you?

This Week at Finland

Monday, 7-8:30 pm – Prayer Shawl Ministry at Longacre's

Tuesday, 9:30-11:00 am – Prayer Shawl Ministry at Betty's

Tuesday, 7:00 pm – Ministry Director's Meeting

Tuesday, 7:15 pm – Jeff's Worship Team practice

Wednesday, 9:30-11 am – "Mom's Group" at Ginger's. See note below.

Wednesday, 7-8:30 pm – Boys & Girls Club Bible study at church

Wednesday, 7:15 pm – Youth group hang-out

Wednesday, 7:30 pm – Hospitality Committee Meeting at Hess's

Thursday, 7:00 pm – Men's Bible study at church - "*The Man in the Mirror*".

Announcements.

A "Haiti Hat" will be on the table at the front of the sanctuary Jan. 31 & Feb. 7.

Anyone wishing to contribute toward the devastation in Haiti may bring a money gift and place it in the hat while the offering is being lifted.

Moms and their children are invited to Ginger's home this Wednesday from 9:30-11 am for a planning meeting for the "Mom's Group" that is just beginning.

Reminder to Tim's small group – We will meet Feb. 12 instead of this week.

A VBS Curriculum Presentation will be held at Souderton Mennonite Church this Saturday from 9:00 am to noon. If anyone is interested in attending, please contact Karen K, Anita, or Ginger.

We will have another Parent/Child Dedication on Feb. 21 in the 2nd service. If you would like to participate in that service, please talk to Pastor John.

Nursery volunteers are needed for the second service each Sunday. Please let Yvonne Drescher know if you can help.

Help Wanted! We are looking for people who are willing to volunteer to help with painting at the new church building. Let Jeff Reinford know if you can help.

Men's Bible Study begins this Thursday, 7:00 pm, and meets every other week. Please note - The Saturday Bible Study will **not** meet on Feb. 6 because plans have not yet been finalized. Watch for more details soon.

Remember to mark March 6th on your calendar for the Youth Auction.

If the passion of your heart is to work with children, please talk with Lisa. We are looking for a dedicated person who loves kids to help with Kids Kinnection.