

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

Attendance	Offering	
First service – 94	General Offering	\$ 4,626.00
Second service - 68	Building Fund	\$ 20.00
	Table Fund	\$ 100.00
	Adult Retreat	\$ 165.00
	Total	\$ 4,911.00

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

Greeters:	Today	John & Betty Drescher (1 st service)
		Alan & Tara Gilmore (2 nd service)
	Next Week	Gerald & Marian Souder (1 st service)
		Tim & Mary Moyer (2 nd service)
Nursery:	Today	Jina & Laura Reinford (1 st service)
		Betty Drescher (during S.S.)
		Sue Rice & Tina Butcher (2 nd service)
	Next Week	Donna Benner & Shirley Kiefer (1 st service)
		Karen Kratz & Dianne Wise (during S.S.)
		Tara Gilmore & Dee Dee Good (2 nd service)
Ushers:	July	Larry Good (1 st service)
		Cheryl Ingram (2 nd service)

Closing church building in July: John & Sue Rice

***** Sunday School Class Locations and Topics *****

Upstairs hallway: First classroom – Jr. High Girls
 Second classroom – Kindergarten through 2nd Grade
 Third classroom – 3rd through 5th Grade
 Fourth classroom – Jr. High Boys
 Fifth classroom – High School

Main floor hallway: Last room on left – Preschool
 Second last room on left – Nursery facilities

In gymnasium: First classroom – Prayer room and Library
 Second classroom – Study of I Peter led by Alan Kratz
 Third classroom – Post High - “Respect for God, Yourself & Others”
 Fourth classroom – Men - “Christian Commitment in Today’s World”
 Far corner of gym – “Preparing for Baptism Class”

Sanctuary: “The Character of Jesus” led by Rich Longacre & Darryl Wallace

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

Pray for Pastor John, the Elder Team, Ministry Directors, and AJ Longacre.

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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The family that prays together, stays together.

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 care is provided during all morning services for children 3 yrs. and under.

FIRST SERVICE

Worship in Song - *If you need to sit down during the singing, please feel free to do so.*

Scripture Reading Daniel 1:1-8

Message – “Honoring God in a Fallen World” Pastor John

Offering
(Please pass the attendance pads located under the seat by the center aisle.)

Children dismissed for Kids Kinection Meet in the gym

Call 2 Fall Prayer & Sharing Time Stacey Kolb – Elder in charge

Pastoral Prayer

Closing Blessing

SECOND SERVICE

Worship in Song - *If you need to sit down during the singing, please feel free to do so.*

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Pastoral Prayer

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Closing Blessing

Thousands of churches across America are participating in this “Call 2 Fall” day of prayer. On this day of celebrating our “Independence”, we also want to express our “Dependence” upon the Lord by getting on our knees in repentant prayer for God to reshape our lives and renew our land.

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

Today – Post High to Ocean City, NJ

Tuesday, 7:15 pm – Martha’s Worship Team practice

Wednesday, 7:15 pm – Youth hang-out at the new church

Wednesday, 7:15 pm – Post High Bible Study at Arlin and Donna’s

Upcoming Events

July 11-17 – Youth service project (Christian Endeavor in West Virginia)

July 18 - The youth will share about Christian Endeavor in both services

July 21, 6:30-8:00 am – Drive-thru coffee at the old church

July 21, 10-11:30 am – Mom’s Group at the new church

July 21, 7:30 pm – Book Club to discuss “Same Kind of Different As Me”

August 22, 4:15 pm – church bus leaves for Iron Pigs ball game

Sept. 11 (Saturday) – Church picnic. A-L bring a dessert, M-Z bring a salad.

Announcements

Next Sunday’s sermon title – “Only God Is Good” from Daniel 2.

If you have a garden with extra produce this summer, share it with those in need. See information about **The Vegetable Basket Program** on the bulletin board with drop-off locations and dates beginning July 12.

Please claim any items that belong to you on the shelf of the coat rack closest to the gym. There are containers, pie plate, hat, new Bible with no name etc.

Mom’s Group is in need of people who are willing to care for the children for the summer sessions of July 21, August 4 and 18. It is on Wednesday morning from 10-11:30 am.

UPPEN is sponsoring “Worship in the Park” at Green Lane Park, Sunday, Aug 22. Worship service at 10 am, picnic at 12 noon, & family fun games in the afternoon.

Can you imagine trying to sleep in a garbage can? Ray doesn’t have to imagine, he remembers. “I Crawled Out of a Garbage Can” will air this Saturday, July 10, on **“Shaping Families”** radio program on WBYN, 1160 AM, at 10 am or WBYN, 107.5 FM, at 8:30 pm. Listen to Ray’s hopeful story of his struggle with bipolar illness and homelessness.

Interested in learning more about the Worm Project? Come to the International Meal at the Family Heritage at 6 pm on Wed. July 14. See poster on bulletin board and contact Claude Good by this Friday, July 9th.

You’re invited to Sunday School Meditations’ annual Chicken BBQ & “Garment of Praise”, Saturday, July 31, 4-6:30 pm at Tel-Hai Camp, Honey Brook, PA. See poster on bulletin board for details.

Looking for employment? See job opportunities at Souderton Mennonite Home and Dock Woods & Meadows posted on the bulletin board.