	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Doug & Elaine Burns (1st service)	Betty Drescher & Rose Longacre (1st ser)
	Louise Kreider & Edna Fithen (2nd ser)	Glenn & Jenn Ingram (2nd service)
Nursery	Lauren Hendricks & Jana Scheetz (1st)	Nichele York & Jina Reinford (1st service)
	Rose Longacre & Mary Moyer (2nd ser)	Eleanor Wallace & Jan Bannon (2nd ser)
Ushers	Larry & Dee Dee Good (1st service)	Hal & Norma Linck (1st service)
	Ryan & Melissa Albright (2nd service)	Ryan & Melissa Albright (2nd service)
Closing	Jeff & Jina Reinford - September	Jeff & Jina Reinford - September

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

Nursery facilities - Last room on the right in the new wing Toddlers (2-3 year olds - Rachel Kiefer) - First room on right in new wing next to the Nursery Preschool (4-5 year olds - Melissa Albright, Corinne G. & Lynn S.)- Room 1 in new hallway K & grade 1 (Jan Bannon & Amy Reinford) - Room 2 in coatroom hallway Grades 2 & 3 (Mrs. Chad Landis & Cindy Paul) -Room G1 in the gym Grades 4 & 5 (Shannon Derstine & Anita Livezey) - Room G2 in the gym Junior High (Amy Reinford & John Koetteritz as sub) - Room G3 in the gym High School (Justin Derstine, Mike Scorzetti, Corey Guntz) - Room 205 second floor hallway Post High (Chad Landis) - Classroom 3 behind coat rack Adult men - "Kingdom Men" led by Keith Wyble - for Sept meet in one corner of the gym Adult women - "Kingdom Women" led by Diane Dougherty - for Sept meet in a corner of the gym Adult class - "Living by the Book" (Kris Wint & Ken Paul) - for Sept meet in the library Men's Class - "The Christian Community Comes Alive" (Acts) - for Sept. meet in the office Worship Team members & sound team will all meet together in the sanctuary for Sept. and Oct. Prayer Room - Fourth room in gym for anyone with prayer needs

> **Last Week's Attendance** First service - 137 Second service - 65

This Week at Finland

Today, 5:30-7pm - Families Following Christ small group

Tuesday, 7:15pm - Worship team practice

Wednesday, 7-8:30pm - Boys & Girls Club for grades 2 through 5

Wednesday, 7-8:45pm - Jr. High for grades 6, 7, and 8

Wednesday, 7-8:30pm - Dougherty's small group at Paul Cassel's

Wednesday, 7:15pm - Worship Vision Team meeting

Thursday, 9:00am-noon - Homeschoolers meet in Community Room

Prayer Requests

Mennonite Mission Network - Today is Peace Sunday. Pray that materials created by MMN's Peace and Justice Support Network will help Mennonite congregations speak out against the violence of racism with the church and in our societies throughout the coming year.

John Lapinski, a former member now living in Denver, PA, had surgery Sept. 11 for a ruptured appendix. Please pray for healing for John & strength for his family.

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Elders - David Landis, Jeff Janton, Marvin Reinford, Jim Dougherty, Chad Landis, Jason Scheetz Visitation & Care Team – Marvin and Rachel Reinford, Arlin Benner, Shirley Kiefer

The family that prays together stays together

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Pre-service Prayer Meeting 8:10-8:20 am in the Prayer Room

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 years and under.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Pre-service Reflections: A time to consider God's glory and prepare your heart for worship. Worship in Song and Giving - (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to.) Scripture - (brown Bible 797, blue Bible 1750, blue/green Bible 2189) Romans 3:21-25 & Hosea Sermon - "Redemption" Pastor John Accepting Dan and Monigue Diehl as new members (see their faith stories on insert) Sharing Time and Prayer Marvin Reinford - Elder in Charge (If you have an announcement that needs to be made, please give it to the Elder before the service.) Children dismissed for Kids Kinection (1st service only – First room on left in new wing) Benediction and Blessing Pastor

Announcements

Today is the deadline to sign up for the *Hope Christian Center* fundraising banguet being held here October 3, 5:00pm. A free meal will be followed by an opportunity to learn about & share in this ministry to men in the Bronx who struggle with addictions. Hope Christian Center will be part of our Mission Project in October. Please sign up on the bulletin board by the kitchen. See John or Sue Rice if you have questions.

Our Mission Projects for September are *Cru* and *DiscipleMakers*.

October 4 - Communion and Baptism. Diana Berrios and Harry Hawkins will be baptized in the Unami Creek immediately following the 2nd service. All are invited to come witness this step of obedience to Jesus Christ in their lives.

To Our Guests:

Welcome to our fellowship! We would like to get to know you better. Please tell us about vourself by filling out the form below and placing it in the prayer box at the back of the sanctuary as you leave today.

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 pray for you?		

October 8 - "Casting Crowns" will be in concert at Stabler Arena in Bethlehem at 7:00pm. Tickets are \$28 per person. The bus will leave the church at 5:45pm. Anyone is invited, but you must sign up by the kitchen if you plan to go.

October 17, 8am-1pm - Blood drive at Red Hill Fire Co. Social Hall, to replace blood used for Tom and Justin Frederick. Schedule an appointment online at www.GIVEaPINT.org or call 800-223-6667 and use Sponsor Code 7687.

Christopher Dock's summer issue of the "Lamplighter" is on the table between the mailboxes. Rather than put one in each mailbox, we have chosen to make copies available this way. Those who are interested should please pick up a copy.

Community

- **Sept. 22, 11am-2pm -** This Tuesday Indian Creek Foundation is hosting a Job Fair with the opportunity to interview on the spot with the department of your choice. See poster on the bulletin board for list of openings.
- **Sept. 26, 7-11am -** You're invited to a pancake & sausage breakfast and bake sale fundraising event at Perkiomenville Mennonite Church. Donations will benefit a mission trip this fall to the village of Jilotzingo, Mexico, to visit a church plant of Monte Maria in Mexico City where Pastor Bob and Bonnie Stevenson minister.
- **Oct. 3, 9:30am-4:00pm -** Annual Apple Butter Frolic at the Menn. Heritage Center, 565 Yoder Road, Harleysville. Breakfast served from 7:30-10:30am. For information on the event, parking and admission, go to mhep.org under the events tab.
- Oct. 3 Annual Woodcutting Day at Spruce Lake. See poster on the bulletin board.
- **Oct. 3 -** Also a Woodcutting Day at Men-O-Lan for helpers age 12 and over. Bring chainsaws and wood splitters. See flyer on the bulletin board.
- Oct. 10, 10am-1pm Join "Walk for Life" at Quakertown Memorial Park to benefit Crossroads Pregnancy Care. Call Kim Kenney at 215-538-7003 ext. 207 for info.
- **Oct. 10, 7-11:00am -** Bally Mennonite Church pancake breakfast on donation basis to provide funds for a program in Nepal which helps underprivileged children.
- **Oct. 15, 6:30pm -** Spruce Lake's Fall Association Banquet at Christopher Dock. Please RSVP by calling 800-822-7505 or emailing: fmca2015@sprucelake.org.
- **Oct. 17, 3-7pm -** Enjoy Camp Men-O-Lan's Harvestfest with free activities for all. Delicious food for a nominal fee. See flyer in your mailbox today.
- Nov. 13 & 14 Joint Franconia/Eastern District Conference Assembly at Penn View.
- **Liberty Ministries** has a pen pal program to send biblical encouragement to men and women while incarcerated, using a church address to remain confidential and anonymous. Both men and women are needed. If you like to write letters and encourage others, access forms at www.libertyministries.us then click on "Pen Pal Volunteer". For more info, contact Patty Fleming or Steve Poloway at Liberty Ministries 610-287-5481.