Announcements:

Hey Kids/Youth – Do you sing or play an instrument? We are putting together a team to lead worship on Fusion Nights. If you are interested, please see Japheth or Rachel Rittenhouse.

Care & Share - Friday, December 29th and Saturday, December 30th are Finland's days to volunteer at the Care & Share. Please see Brenda Madrill if you are able to help.

You are invited to the Christmas Market Show & Sale at the Mennonite Heritage Center, Harleysville from December 2-30 with fine crafts and art for purchasing. For hours and info: www.mhep.org

Dec.-Feb. Our Daily Bread devotionals are here! Pick up your copy on the table as you exit the Sanctuary.

Outreach mission - Finland will be the *Mac and Cheese* church for The Open Link pantry for the 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 pastorkriswint@comcast.net

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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 8:30 am - Second Service 11:00am Sunday School 9:45-10:30am Fellowship and refreshments 10:30-11:00am

Nursery care is provided for children 3 years and under during both services & Sunday school, with a break for fellowship time.

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 page 1088)	Luke 1: 39-56
Sermon – "Love"	Pastor Kris
Sharing Time & Prayer	Alan Kratz
Benediction and Blessing	Pastor Kris

Next Sunday: "Living with Advent Urgency" - Rev. 22: 6-21

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This Week at Finland

Tuesday, 7:15pm – Alabama worship team practice Friday & Saturday – Volunteering at Care & Share

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Marvin & Rachel Reinford (1st svc) Grace Benner & Grace Ingalls (2 nd svc)	Collin & Kelly Ingram (1 st svc) Darryl & Eleanor Wallace (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Ginger Wint & Naomi Hawkins (1 st ss) Lydia Clemmer & Rose Longacre (2 nd)	Hayley Wyble & Mary Kirkpatrick (1 st ss) Rache Kiefer & Tara Gilmore (2 nd)
Ushers	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Rand Zeigler (2nd service)	Jim & Ruth Delp (1st svc) Rand Zeigler (2nd service)
Closing	David & Lisa Landis - December	David & Lisa Landis - December

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 Post High - Classroom 3 behind coatroom Adult Classes: "The Benefits of Belief" D6 Curriculum- Classroom 1 (office hallway) "Gospel" by J.D. Greear – Classroom 2 (behind the mailboxes) Men's Class – "Faith in Action" G-2 in the gym Women's class – "1 John" - G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance

1st Service - 150 2nd Service - 78

*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.

**12% of our general offering this month will be given to the following mission: International Justice Mission