Announcements:

The weekend of Labor Day no Sunday School Classes will be held. That's Sunday September 1. There will be extended fellowship time. Both services are on as normal.

If you are interested in exploring becoming a member of Finland Mennonite Church, membership classes will be held in September (15th and 22nd) during the Sunday School hour. Please let Pastor Kris or Pastor Gerry know if you are interested in being a part of these classes.

Sunday School Teachers Needed for Fall Children's Classes -

There's a need for teachers for the *Toddlers (2's & 3's)* and *Kindergarten-1st* classes beginning in September. If you have interest in exploring possibly teaching this class in the Fall, please contact Sherry Frederick.

Leaders Needed for Jr. and Sr. Youth Groups and Boys/Girls Club -

Please pray with us concerning the current need for leaders to join the Boys/Girls Clubs and the Jr./Sr. High teams for this coming Fall. If you have interest in inquiring about being a part of one of these teams please contact Pastor Gerry. As a congregation, continue to keep our children and youth and this need for leaders in your prayers.

Looking for a way to fulfill God's call to be a minister to the world? Grand View Health Hospice is looking for caring people willing to share their time to help meet the needs of terminally ill patients and their families. Take the seven-week training course this Fall held Tuesdays from 3:30pm-5:30pm in the Gathering Room of the Hospice Office on Grand View Health campus. Please contact Carlene Meyers at 215-453-4149 for additional information.

Spruce Lake Women's Retreat is coming up in September from the 13th—15th. *Please register through Spruce Lake as soon as possible* if you are interested in going. The Speaker is Shaunti Feldhahn. The retreat is two nights lodging & six meals. Packages at Spruce Lodge are \$197- \$217/person (triple occupancy). Register by calling Dawn at Spruce Lake at 800.822.7505 to put a 50% deposit down. Once you've registered, please e-mail Hayley that you have at hayley.wyble@gmail.com. There are limited rooms left.

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.

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Elders: Greg Ingram, Alan Kratz, Ken Paul, Arlin Benner & Jeff Janton

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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 8:30am - 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 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 page 1228) | 2 nd Corinthians 5:21 |
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| Sermon – The Righteousness of God | Pastor Gerry |
| Sharing Time & Prayer | Ken Paul |
| Benediction and Blessing | Pastor Gerry |

Next Sunday: "Mistaken Identities" series: More than Conquerors

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This Week at Finland Tuesday, 7:15pm – Worship team practice

| | Today | Next Week |
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| Greeters | John & Sue Rice (1 st svc) Tara Gilmore (2 nd svc) | Marv & Rachel Reinford (1 st svc) Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 nd svc) |
| Nursery | Jalecia Reichart & Lydia Clemmer (1st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc | Ginger Wint & Brenda Madrill (1st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc |
| Ushers | Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Alan Gilmore (2 nd svc) | Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Alan Gilmore (2 nd svc) |
| Closing | Dave & Lisa Landis | Dave & Lisa Landis |

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: 2^{nd} Kings/ 2^{nd} Chronicles (D6) — Sanctuary You and Me Forever (Francis & Lisa Chan) — Classroom 1 (office hallway) Men's Class — *"Living in Covenant with God" - G-2* in the gym Women's Class — *"The Life of Mother Teresa" -* G-1 in the gym

Last Week's Attendance

 1^{st} Service - 136 2^{nd} Service - 71

*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: We Care/Liberty Ministries