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.

Fall Gen2Gen's and Club/Youth Nights start Wednesday September 11 at 6:45pm with a Club/Youth Night.

The Keystone Quilters 2019 Quilt Show "Beauty and the Batik" is being held at Finland October 11 from 10am-6pm and October 12 from 10am-5pm. The Quilters are offering eight free tickets to Finland congregants. If interested, please contact Colin.

August has a 5th Friday and Saturday (30th & 31st) for Finland's volunteering in the Care & Share clothing shop. Please talk to Brenda Madrill for more info.

With Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University, you CAN take control of your money, get out of debt, and create a plan for your future. Corey and Corinne Guntz are offering it here at Finland from September 3 through October 29. It will be held Tuesdays from 6:00-7:30pm. If you're interested in joining, sign-up in the community room and order your digital access to course materials online for \$109 at

www.financialpeace.com/groups/1091670?c=ccf

A thanks from MAMA Project for Finland's June Mission Support: Thanks so much for the missions donation you sent MAMA for the month of June. We have been so hard at work and growing every week. Our filtration system is now in seven schools, over 700 children who have clean water to drink. We took 1,000 pairs of glasses to Tanzania, which was a great need at Shirati Hospital. Thanks again. –Jon Delp, MAMA coordinator

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 Teacher Needed for Fall Children's Class -

There's a need for a teacher for the *Toddlers (2's & 3's)* class, 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.

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.

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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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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 1207 & 948)	Romans 15:7 & Daniel 9:23
Sermon – Accepted & Highly Esteemed	Colin Ingram
Sharing Time & Prayer	Alan Kratz
Benediction and Blessing	Colin Ingram

Next Sunday: "Mistaken Identities" series: Loved (communion)

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This Week at Finland

Monday, 7:00pm – Prayer shawl at the Longacre's Tuesday, 7:15pm – Worship team practice Thursday, 5:30am – Elder's meeting Saturday – Puerto Rico Team 1 returns (please pray for them)

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Jim & Ruth Delp (1 st svc) Alan & Karen Kratz (2 nd svc)	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1 st svc) Kevin & Jan Bannon (2 nd svc)
Nursery	Diane Dougherty & Jalecia Reichart (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc	DeeDee Good & Mary Kirkpatrick (1 st svc) Not staffed during 2 nd svc
Ushers	Robert Hill & Mary Carlson (1st svc) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd svc)	Harry & Naomi Hawkins (1st svc) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd svc)
Closing	Rich & Rose Longacre	Rich & Rose Longacre

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: Mission Sharing: Nathaniel & Spring Davis (Belize) — 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 – 120 2^{nd} Service – 62