

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Ed Griffin & Joe Souder (1 st service) Larry & Dee Dee Good (2 nd service)	Glenn & Jenn Ingram (1 st service) Wilson & DJ Swartley (2 nd service)
Nursery	Shannon Derstine & Rose L. (1 st ser) Jenn Ingram & Anita Livezey (2 nd ser)	Jina Reinford & Ginger Wint (1 st ser) Nichele York & Corrie Neff (2 nd ser)
Ushers	Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1 st service) Jon & Shirley Kiefer (2 nd service)	Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1 st service) Jon & Shirley Kiefer (2 nd service)
Closing up	Jim & Lynn Swartley (May)	Jim & Lynn Swartley (May)

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

Upstairs hallway: First classroom – 2nd & 3rd Grade - Mrs. Chad Landis & Anita Livezey
 Second classroom – K & 1st Grade–Jan Bannon, Caleb & Roni Kiefer
 Third classroom – 4th & 5th Grade – Sue Rice
 Fourth classroom – Jr. High Boys & Girls – Larry & Dee Dee Good
 Fifth classroom – High School – Mike Scorzetti & Justin Derstine
 Main floor hallway: Last room on left – Preschool – Melissa Carl & Rachel Kiefer
 Second last room on left – Nursery facilities
 Gym: Second classroom – Men’s Class - “Jesus’ Fulfillment of Scripture”
 Third classroom – Post High class led by Chad Landis
 Fourth classroom – Prayer Room for anyone with prayer needs
 Sanctuary – “Bless this Home” led by Mark Livezey (classes combined for May)

Last Week’s Attendance

First service – 168
 Second service – 70

This Week at Finland

Today, 5:30-7:00pm – Families Following Christ small group in the gym
Today, 6-8:00pm – Young Adult small group at AJ & Lauren Good’s
Tuesday, 9:15-11am – Women’s Bible Study on “*Gideon*” at the upper campus
Tuesday, 12-12:30pm – Participate in Finland’s “**Looking Up**” call-in prayer line.
 Dial (712) 432-1500 and enter access code 314597# when prompted to do so.
Tuesday, 7:15pm – Joy’s worship team practice
Wednesday, 6:30-8:00am – Free coffee drive-thru at the lower campus
Wednesday, 5:45pm – Family Night meal followed by activities from 6:45-8:00pm
Thursday, 6:30-9:30pm – Volleyball for anyone over 18
Thursday, 7:00pm – Leadership Council at the lower campus

Pastor Kris & Ginger are spending the weekend with “*Engaged Encounter*” where they are receiving training to become speakers at future weekend events. They will return home today.

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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May is “Family Month” at Finland.

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

Worship in Song - (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to)

Offering - (Please pass the attendance pads)

Scripture – (brown Bible 832, blue Bible 1829, blue/green Bible 2279) **Philippians 3:7-14**
“My Story” **Corey Guntz**

Children dismissed for Kids Kinection (1st service only) Children can practice sign language motions at home with Abby Rice by going to our web page and under “About Us” click “Signing for Our God Saves” at the bottom of the page.

Sharing Time & Prayer

Marvin Reinford – Elder in Charge

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor

Prayer Requests

Printed copies of last week’s prayer requests are available under the mailboxes.

Mennonite Mission Network – Annelise Goldschmidt serves as the logistics coordinator for Mission Inter Senegal, a MN partner and the largest national mission organization in the country. Pray for Annelise and MIS’s more than 60 national mission workers in agriculture, community development, evangelism, and health in this predominately Muslin region.

To Our Guests:

Welcome 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?

Finland Announcements

VBS volunteer forms for SonQuest Rainforest, July 21-25, must be given to Rachel Kiefer, Lisa (Mrs. Chad) Landis, or Amanda Landis **today**. If you forgot your form, there are extras available below the mailboxes.

May is “Family Month” at Finland. Meals will be served each Wednesday night from 5:45-6:30pm followed by activities for all ages from 6:45-8:00pm.

Congratulations to Kevin & Sarah Fry on the birth of Gracelyn Elizabeth on May 2, 8 lbs. 2 oz. We pray for God’s blessings as they begin the awesome responsibility of parenting. The proud and happy grandparents are Alan & Karen Kratz and Steve & Bonnie Fry.

Congratulations to Harry & Naomi Hawkins on the birth of Iris Arletta, 8 lbs. 6 oz. on May 12. We pray for God’s wisdom and blessing in their lives and on Eleanor as she welcomes her new baby sister into the family. Brenda Madrill is one of the happy grandparents.

Jon Reynard and Whitney Longacre recently announced their engagement and have chosen May 23, 2015 for their wedding date. Congratulations, Jon and Whitney, and may you follow the Lord's leading as you plan for a lifetime together.

Discipleship/Baptism Class – The pastors are beginning a class for persons who want to learn more about being a follower of Jesus, and for those who want to publicly commit your life to Jesus and baptism. Talk with one of the pastors or elders if you would like to attend this class beginning June 1st.

May 31st, 7:00pm - Coming to Finland Mennonite Church straight from Nashville, TN, is recording artist Tim Bergstrom (timbergstrom.com) for a night of praise and worship to benefit ***Make it Rain*** (helpmakeitrain.org). The concert will also feature our very own Martay (martaymusic.com)! This event will be a free-will offering with a suggested donation of \$10 per person.

June 8 – We hope all the graduates from high school, college, and seminary can be with us for “*Recognition of Graduates*” during fellowship time. Everyone is invited to share in this celebration in honor of Clay Anders, Micah Goshow, Kelly Ingram, Miranda Quintana, Laura Reinford, Zach Rice, Lauren Good, Josh Rice, and Kris Wint. If anyone has been missed, please let Martha Guntz know.

MAMA Project information is on the back table. Golfers, pick up a registration flyer for Friday, June 6, 2014. MAMA News from Christmas 2013 has information in it about the Micronutrient Powder Priscilla Benner showed us last Sunday. Another newsletter and card explains various ways to support MAMA Project. Please pick up any of this information. Also see the large poster displayed there and in the gym.