

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Ginnie Tietjens & Brenda Madrill (1 st) Mel & Joy Cassel (2 nd service)	Jeff & Jina Reinford (1 st service) Mike & Sarah Scorzetti (2 nd service)
Nursery	Dianne Wise & Mindy Rahn (1 st service) Dee Dee Good & Tara Gilmore (2 nd)	Jana Scheetz & Nichele York (1 st ser) Lynn Swartley & Eleanor Wallace (2 nd)
Ushers	Larry & Dee Dee Good (1 st service) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd service)	Larry & Dee Dee Good (1 st service) Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd service)
Closing up	Tim & Mary Moyer (August)	Tim & Mary Moyer (August)

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 (month of August)
 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

New wing hallway: First room on left – Study of James – various leaders
 First room on right – Post High class led by Chad Landis
 Last room on right – Nursery facilities
 Second last room on right – Preschool – Melissa Carl & Rachel Kiefer

Gym: Second classroom – Men’s Class - “The People of God Set Priorities”
 Fourth classroom – Prayer Room for anyone with prayer needs

Sanctuary – “FaithWeaver NOW” led by Pastor Kris

Last Week’s Attendance
 First service – 112
 Second service – 106

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. Text Hailee at 301-988-4446 for info.
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 – Jared’s worship team practice
Wednesday, 7:00pm – Drescher’s small group at Paul Cassel’s
Wednesday, 7:15pm – Youth hang-out and Bible study at the upper campus
Thursday, 6:30-9:30pm – Volleyball for anyone over 18

Prayer Requests

Printed copies of last week’s prayer requests are available under the mailboxes.
Mennonite Mission Network – Alisha and Josh Garber, serving with MMN, foster community life in the residence halls at LCC International University in Lithuania. Pray for them as they build relationships with the 53 Russian students and 69 Ukrainian students on campus, helping them listen to each other and develop conflict resolution skills.

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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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 3, blue Bible 6, blue/green Bible 7)

Genesis 4:2-12

Sermon – “The Green-eyed Monster”

Pastor John

Children dismissed for Kids Kinection (1st service only – First room on left in new wing)

Sharing Time & Prayer

Elder in Charge

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor

All sermons are posted online at www.finlandmennonitechurch.org

and can be listened to if you miss a Sunday.

Our Mission Project for August is “**Keystone Opportunity Center**” and “**Open Link.**”

If you consider Finland to be your home church and would like to be included in the church directory, we invite you to fill out a purple “Church Directory Information” sheet below the mailboxes and place it in the secretary’s mailbox.

A new membership class will begin next Sunday, August 17th for those who wish to join Finland by transfer or confession of faith. If you would like to participate in this class, please sign your name on the sign-up sheet just outside the gym.

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

Our sympathy and prayers are with Andy and Jason Price in the passing of Andy's dad, Donald Price, on Monday night, August 4th. Funeral services were held Friday at Williams-Bergey-Koffel funeral home in Franconia. May God's peace and comfort be with the entire family in their loss.

Pastor Kris and Ginger are speaking at an Engagement Encounter this weekend. They will be on vacation in Massachusetts and attend a wedding there next week. Pastor Kris will be back in the office on Monday, August 18th.

We need volunteers to help set up Tuesday, August 26, 6:30pm in preparation for our guests from Interfaith Housing who will stay here for the month of September.

"The Well" is on the way to becoming a warm and inviting home for women who have been freed from human trafficking and who make "Worthwhile Wear" jewelry. Many churches and individuals have already donated hours of time and hard work, but work teams of skilled and unskilled workers are still needed to help finish renovations. If you would like to help with sanding, painting, ripping out flooring, installing carpet and cleaning up debris, please talk to Karen Kratz. She is setting up a Saturday to send a team from Finland. \$85,000 has been raised to date, but \$115,000 is still needed for their start-up budget to launch this program by the end of summer. Checks made out to "Worthwhile Wear" can be mailed to P.O. Box 660, Silverdale, PA 18962. (Write **"The Well"** on the memo line.) Basic training classes are scheduled for September 12 & 13 for anyone considering becoming a volunteer.

An Affirmation Ballot will be in the bulletin next Sunday for the following persons:

Library: Lauren Good, Sara Hansen, Louise Kreider, Mary Moyer, Hilary Pannepacker

Boys & Girls Club: Joe & Amy Reinford, Isaac & Rachel Kiefer

Jr. High: Justin & Shannon Derstine, Karlton Landis

Adult Sunday School Supt.: Alan Kratz (serving along with Mark Livezey)

Children's Sunday School Supt.: Sherry Frederick (with assistance from Dee Dee Good)

VBS: Lisa (Mrs. David) Landis and Rachel Kiefer

Please note: The Finland Church Picnic & Chicken BBQ scheduled for September 6th has been cancelled.

Crossroads Pregnancy Care, 256 Trumbauersville Rd, Quakertown, has an urgent need for baby formula, especially Similac. Please call 215-538-7003 before drop-off.

Mennonite Disaster Service is working on a house in NJ that is ready for studs and drywall beginning tomorrow. If you'd like to help, please contact Keith Reed at 215-272-9335 or Rick Kratz at 267-372-4637. Volunteers can go for a day or stay at the MDS work site in Staten Island, NY if you can spend a few days.

Women: You're invited to a "Living Proof" live simulcast with Beth Moore on Sat., Sept. 13, 9:30am-4:15pm at **Franconia Menn. Church**. The cost of \$25 includes lunch. To register or for more information go to www.franconiamennonite.org or call the Franconia Mennonite Church office at 215-723-3220.