

	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Mary Carlson & Robert Hill (1st service) AJ and Hailee Longacre (2nd service)	Jeff & Jina Reinford (1st service) Ed Griffin & Gerald Souder (2nd service)
Nursery	Nichele York & Jana Scheetz (1st shift) Dee Dee Good & Anita Livezey (2nd)	Mindy Rahn & Jina Reinford (1st shift) Jan Bannon & Tara Gilmore (2nd shift)
Ushers	Alan Kratz & Stacey Kolb (1 st service) Kevin Bannon & Lon Hansen (2 nd ser.)	Alan Kratz & Stacey Kolb (1 st service) Kevin Bannon & Lon Hansen (2 nd ser.)
Closing up	Rich & Rose Longacre (November)	Rich & Rose Longacre (November)

Sunday School Class Locations and Topics

Nursery facilities - Last room on the right in the new wing
 Toddlers (2-3 year olds - Rachel Kiefer) - First room on right in new wing next to the Nursery
 Preschool (4-5 year olds - Ginger Wint & Melissa Albright) - Room 102 first floor hallway
 K & grade 1 (Jan Bannon & Amy Reinford) - Room 101 first floor hallway
 Grades 2 & 3 (Mrs. Chad Landis & Cindy Paul) - Room 201 second floor hallway
 Grades 4 & 5 (Shannon Derstine & Anita Livezey) - Room 203 second floor hallway
 Junior High (Larry & Dee Dee Good & John Koetteritz) - Room 204 second floor hallway
 High School (Justin Derstine, Mike Scorzetti, Corey Guntz) - Room 205 second floor hallway
 Post High (Chad Landis) - Classroom 3 behind coatrack
 Adult class studying "The Life of Joseph" (Genesis) - Classroom 2 behind coatrack
 Adult class on "Prayer" led by Alan Kratz - Classroom 1 on left in new hallway
 Men's Class - "Sustaining Hope" - Room G-3 in gym
 Prayer Room - Fourth room in gym for anyone with prayer needs

Last Week's Attendance

First service - 161
 Second service - 97

This Week at Finland

Today, 5:30-7pm – *Families Following Christ* small group in the gym
Today, 6:30pm - Marvin Reinford's small group
Monday, 7-8:30pm - Prayer Shawl Ministry at Rose Longacre's
Tuesday, 9:15-11am - "*The Family of Jesus*" Bible study at Betty Drescher's
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, 6:30-8:30pm - *Simcha* Dance Ministry practice in the gym
Tuesday, 7:15pm – Jared's worship team practice
Wednesday, 10am-noon - "**OWLS**" will celebrate **today** at Drescher Dell.
Wednesday, 7-8:30 pm - Drescher's small group at Paul Cassel's
Wednesday, 7-8:15pm - Boys & Girls Club (grades 2 thru 5) will pack shoe boxes.
Wednesday, 7-8:45pm - Jr. High at the church for grades 6 through 8.
Wednesday, 7:15-9:00pm - Youth Bible study for grades 9 through 12.
Wednesday, 7:15pm - Worship Vision Team meeting at upper campus
Thursday, 6:30-9:30pm – Volleyball for anyone over 18
Thursday, 7-8:30pm – Men's Bible Study - "*Fight*"
Friday-Sunday - Youth Group Spiritual Life Weekend

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 and Giving - (Please feel free to sit down during singing if you need to)

Scripture - (brown Bible 188, blue Bible 413, blue/green Bible 502)

Ruth 2

Sermon - "People of Refuge - PURSUE"

Pastor John

Time of Anointing

Sharing Time & Prayer

David Landis - Elder in Charge

(This time is meant to share praises and prayer requests with your caring brothers and sisters. If you have an announcement that needs to be made, please give it to the Elder before the service.)

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

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor

For Sunday school classroom locations, note the numbers on diagram insert.

In December our Missions Project will be **Gospel for Asia**. S.S. classes will hear more about this in the near future and will be encouraged to pick a Christmas Project they would like to support from their catalogue.

Prayer Requests

Mennonite Mission Network – Robin Gingerich teaches & serves in administrative roles at LCC International University in Lithuania through MMN. She requests prayer for LCC's 70 Ukrainian students who are preoccupied with their families' safety, their financial situations, and security in their hometowns.

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 prayer box at the back of the sanctuary as you leave today.

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 pray for you?

Finland Announcements and Upcoming Events

"OWLS" (Other Women who are Lonely) will meet for tea and one-anothering this Wednesday from 10am to noon at Betty's "Drescher Dell". Bring handwork, favorite game or puzzle. Make **today** your favorite day. *Psalm 118:24 - "This is the day the Lord has made; Let us rejoice and be glad in it."* We plan to meet the 2nd Wed. of each month.

This Wednesday - Boys & Girls Club will pack shoe boxes for "Operation Christmas Child" with toys, hygiene and school items, etc. that will be provided. They will pack a box for a child that is the same age and sex as they are. Parents please send \$7 with your child to cover the shipping costs. Also remember to sign up by the gym if you wish to order a 2015 "God's Creation" calendar. See the sample there.

Those who signed up to hear the Newsboys this Friday night meet at the church at 5:30pm to carpool since the youth are using the bus for their Spiritual Life Weekend.

Franconia Conference Assembly, Nov. 14 & 15 at Penn View Christian School. All are invited to hear Bob Stevenson, missionary to Mexico, speak at the 7pm Friday worship service. Leadership training seminars are open to all Saturday 1:30-3pm and include prayer ministries, youth ministries, intercultural competencies, human trafficking, congregational vitality, community development ministries, and skills for difficult conversations. See more information at assembly.franconiaconference.org.

This Saturday, Nov. 15, 4:00pm, you are invited to Christopher Dock to come see a free, unforgettable show put on by the **SOAR Dunk team** from Liberty University. Soar. Spin. Twist. Turn. Flip. SLAM! For those who love basketball and other sports.

November 23, 4:30pm - Thanksgiving Dinner followed by a service at 6:00pm. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the gym by **next Sunday**.

Caleb and Roni Kiefer are part of our faith family serving at a school for the deaf in Jamaica for a year. A calendar is posted on the back auditorium door for you to sign up for a specific day to encourage them in their mission assignment by a phone call to 876-565-8676, email, snail mail or texting via iPhone. Other phones can text but it is rather expensive. Email: calebkiefer@outlook.com and ronikiefer@outlook.com. Pray for them especially on the day you sign up. To keep up with what is happening in their lives and see interesting pictures, go to: oneheartjamaica.blogspot.com.

During November share non-perishable food items, toiletries, cleaning supplies, diapers, formula and paper products with families in need through *Open Link* for Montgomery County and *FISH* for Bucks County. Items may be placed on the back table in the section designated for the county of your choice.

Bethany Birches Camp in Plymouth, Vermont is in need of volunteers to help with the construction of its new pavilion. Both skilled and unskilled labor is needed over the next several months (Oct-Dec) and beyond. Donations of materials and money are also needed. For more information, please contact Brandon Bergey (Executive Director) at 802-672-5220 or camp@bethanybirches.org.