	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Bob & Judy Ingram (1st service)	Doug & Elaine Burns (1st service)
	Louise Kreider & Edna Fithen (2nd ser)	Kevin & Jan Bannon (2nd service)
Nursery	Ginnie Tietjens & Corinne Guntz (1st )	
	Sue Rice & Bev Ehst (2nd shift)	
Ushers	Byron & Bernice Bealer (1st service)	Byron & Bernice Bealer (1st service)
	Jim & Diane Dougherty (2nd service)	Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 <sup>nd</sup> service)
Closing up	Jim & Lynn Swartley - May	Jim & Lynn Swartley - May

#### **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 - Melissa Albright, Corinne G. & Lynn S.)- 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 coat rack
Adult class studying the book of Esther led by Mark Livezey - Classroom 2 behind coat rack
Adult class on marriage "You & Me Forever" led by Alan Kratz - Classroom 1 on left-new hallway
Men's Class - "The Spirit Comes" (Mark, John, Acts, 1,2,3 John) - Room G-3 in gym
Prayer Room - Fourth room in gym for anyone with prayer needs

Last Week's Attendance First service - 138 Second service - 85

#### This Week at Finland

Today, 5:30-7pm - Families Following Christ small group at Wint's

Monday, 7:00pm - VBS informational and work night

Tuesday, 5:30-7:30pm - Simcha Dance Ministry Practice in Community Room

Tuesday, 7:15pm - Worship team practice

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00am - Coffee drive-thru at the upper campus

Wednesday, 7-8:45pm - Jr. High for grades 6 through 8

Wednesday, 7-9:00pm - Youth Hang Out and Bible Study for grades 9 through 12

Wednesday, 7-8:30pm - Men's Bible study on the book of James

Wednesday, 7:30pm - Book Club will discuss "Ghost Boy" by Martin Pistorius

Thursday, 6:30-9:30pm - Volleyball for anyone over 18

Friday - Please note that there will be no "Hoops Night" this week.

### **Prayer Requests**

**Mennonite Mission Network -** Adam & Jeanette Strode of MMN continue to develop cultural and language competency in Thailand. Pray with them for the ability to conduct a Bible study and share the gospel in a way that would be intellectually and spiritually significant to their Thai neighbors.

# Finland Mennonite Church

## Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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**Elders** – David Landis, Jeff Janton, Marvin Reinford, Jim Dougherty, Chad Landis, Jason Scheetz **Visitation & Care Team** – Marvin and Rachel Reinford, Arlin Benner, Shirley Kiefer

# 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 668, blue Bible 1469, blue/green Bible 1849)

Haggai 2:1-14

Sermon - "Consider His Glory"

Colin Ingram

Sharing Time & Prayer

Marvin Reinford - Elder in Charge

(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

All sermons are posted online at www.finlandmennonitechurch.org

#### **Announcements**

Pastor Kris and Ginger are away this weekend presenting at Engaged Encounter.

**Pastor John** officiated at the wedding of Ray Kevin Landis and Jennifer Weinholz yesterday at Huntington, PA, and is spending the weekend in that area.

From the VBS Committee: Tomorrow is our first work night at 7pm. We will share information about the theme, hear the music, and share our vision for VBS in 2015. We encourage everyone who will be involved with VBS to join us. Teachers and leaders of each station will have opportunity to share ways that we as a VBS committee can support them and also make requests for items they would like to have created on future work nights. Anyone is invited to come to work nights on June 1, 15, 22, and 29 at 7pm, whether you can help with VBS the week of July 6-10 or not. Your help would be appreciated very much.

#### 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?

**Graduation Celebration, June 7 -** If you or someone you know from Finland is graduating either from high school or college in 2015, please contact Rachel Kolb.

All adults are invited to join a study in the book of Esther in classroom #2 behind the coat rack, or a discussion on the book <u>You and Me Forever</u> in classroom #1 on the left in the new hallway for a study of marriage in light of eternity.

We are looking for people who would have an interest in subbing for the church secretary. Please contact Lynn Swartley or Tara Gilmore if you have a desire or interest in helping out with Martha's activities while she is away on vacations. This is a position that you would be called upon 2-3 times a year for a week at a time, or possible emergencies. We will be collecting names for the next few weeks. If you have any questions, please let us know. Email Tara Gilmore: atgilmor@verizon.net or Lynn Swartley: Swartley53@verizon.net.

**May 29 & 30**, the 5th Friday and Saturday, is Finland's day to work at Care and Share Thrift Shop. If you can volunteer a few hours, please contact Brenda Madrill.

**June 13, 9:00am-6:30pm -** Bus trip to Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant for lunch and to see the show "Josiah for President". See Janet Gane for tickets at \$49 per person which includes everything. Please sign up on bulletin board outside kitchen.

The weekly "Looking Up" call-in prayer line has been discontinued for now. It will still be available for special occasions, and you will be notified if it used for special prayer support for mission trips, etc.

#### Dear Church Family,

Joe and I are very grateful for the prayer support from the church and encouragement from individuals since Joe's surgery in February. Thank you for following the Spirit's leading and anonymously blessing us in a variety of ways; each of you knows how you loved and helped our family! You made a possibly stressful time manageable, and we pray the blessings will return to you! Joe is back to work much earlier than his doctor projected. Praise the Lord and thank you for praying for his recovery! Sincerely, Joe, Amy, Emily, Leandra, Lana and Larson Reinford

### **Community Events**

**May 18, 9:30am-7:30pm** - Comforter Blitz at the MCC Material Resource Center. Come a few hours or all day to help replenish MCC's supply of comforters.

May 20, 7:00pm - Come enjoy an evening of inspirational music in classical, folk, and contemporary styles at Christopher Dock Mennonite High School by Dock Strings, Concert Band, Chorale, and Touring Choir.

**May 29 & 30 -** Whack & Roll Croquet Tournament at the Mennonite Heritage Center. For more info, tickets, or to register, visit www.mhep.org or call 215-256-3020.

**May 31, 2-7pm (Sunday) -** Spruce Lake Spring Fest Open House featuring music, food and fun for all ages - all FREE. Prizes, tandem zip line, kayak, swim, mini-golf, hike and chicken barbecue. Rain date is June 7. RSVP required at 800-822-7505 or email openhouse2015@sprucelake.org.