	Today	Next Week
Greeters	Doug & Elaine Burns (1st service)	Marvin & Rachel Reinford (1st service)
	Kevin & Jan Bannon (2nd service)	Don & Kathy Mease (2nd service)
Nursery		Jana Scheetz & Ginger Wint (1st service) Brenda Madrill & Rachel Reinford (2nd service)
Ushers	Byron & Bernice Bealer (1st service)	Byron & Bernice Bealer (1st service)
	Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd service)	Jim & Diane Dougherty (2 nd 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 – 127 Second service – 71

This Week at Finland

Today, 5:30-7pm - Families Following Christ small group at Wint's
Tuesday, 5:30-7:30pm - Simcha Dance Ministry Practice in Community Room
Tuesday, 7:15pm - Worship team practice
Wednesday, 7-8:15pm - Boys and Girls Club
Wednesday, 7-8:45pm - Jr. High for grades 6 through 8
Wednesday, 7-8:30pm - Dougherty's Small Group at Paul Cassel's
Wednesday, 7-9:00pm - Youth Hang Out and Bible Study for grades 9 through 12
Thursday, 6:30-9:30pm - Volleyball for anyone over 18
Friday & Saturday - Finland's day to work at Care and Share Thrift Shop. Contact
Brenda Madrill if you can help.
Friday, 8-10pm - Hoops Night

Announcements

From the VBS Committee: 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.

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out www.finlandmennonitechurch.org Lead Pastor - Kris Wint; Associate - John Ehst Pastor Kris' email: pastorkriswint@comcast.net Pastor Kris' office hours: Mon., Tues. & Wed. 9-4, Thurs. 10am-2pm Pastor John's office hours: Wed. 12-4pm, Thurs. 10am-2pm, Fri. 9am-4pm Pastor John's email: pastorjohnehst@comcast.net Church office – 215-679-8980 Church email: finlandmennonitechurch@comcast.net 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 2:15-23Sermon - "Consider From This Day On"Pastor JohnWorship in SongSong

(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

All sermons are posted online at www.finlandmennonitechurch.org

Prayer Requests

Mennonite Mission Network - Nancy Frey and Bruce Yoder requests prayer for Mennonite Church members in Sidi, Burkina Faso, where village leaders withhold land to punish Christians. Pray for resolution and that Christians would be able to grow food for their families on the land.

Jim and Paula Hanes - Amanda, she is in her last few weeks before she moves to the US to continue school. Pray that she would have good contact with her friends, have good memories, and have a good closure time here before she leaves. Also please pray for MIS. They need to finalize their strategic plan for 2015-2020 and they need to find a director for the hospital.

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 - We will be honoring our high school/college graduates during the worship service.

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.

Mennonite World Conference Assembly, an international celebration and time of renewal, is here in PA this year. More than three times as many of our sisters and brothers from Asia and Africa are coming. If you are interested in attending, talk to Pastor Kris.

Community Events

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.

May 31 at 6:30 pm (Sunday) - Andrew Lapp from Sarasota, FL. will present a concert of sacred, classical, and popular favorites at Franconia Mennonite Church. Andrew has been selected as a "Steinway Young Artist," and has appeared with the Gaithers on occasion. His concerts include many of his own arrangements of hymns and contemporary Christian music, a ragtime piece or two, and selections by Debussy and Chopin. A freewill offering will be received.