

NOTES  
~ DECEMBER 30, 2018 ~

**Next Sunday**

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**Message:** Chuck Jantzi  
**Librarian:** Kellie Halteman  
**Church Nursery:** Bonita King  
**Kidz for Christ:** Louise Longenecker & Dustin Sauder

**Attendance and Offering**

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Attendance last Sunday: 75  
Tithes & offerings received last Sunday: \$1,884

**Upcoming Dates of Note**

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January 8      AC Meeting      7:00pm      Chapel

**Marietta Community Chapel**

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May the God of hope  
fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him,  
so that you may overflow with hope  
by the power of the Holy Spirit.  
Romans 15:13

**Mission Statement**

*We follow Jesus,  
addressing the needs of those around us  
so that together we may experience the living God  
and become channels of compassion and hope to a hurting world.*



**Marietta  
Community  
~ Chapel ~**

**December 30, 2018**

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**Searching for Jesus  
Luke 2:41-52**

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<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>	LaRie Miller
<b>Praise &amp; Worship in Song</b>	
<b>Responding with Tithes and Offerings</b>	
<b>Message</b>	Dave Harnish
<b>Sending Prayer</b>	LaRie Miller

**Sonrise Café      9:00 – 9:30am**  
**Worship Service      9:30 – 11:00am**

## WELCOME GUESTS

We are delighted you have come to worship with us. If you did not check-in at the Welcome Desk in the Lobby upon your arrival, we would appreciate if you would stop by and sign the Guest Book. We hope to see you again!

**Nursery Care** for infants through age two provided 9:30 – 11:00am

### **Kidz for Christ Classes:**

- ♦ **Age: 3 year olds to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, 10:30 – 11:00am, Rooms 3 & 4**

There is no **Part 2** today

### **Serving Today**

**Greeters:** Ruth Martin & Phyllis Oberholtzer

**Librarian:** Dorothy Beachy

**Church Nursery:** Deb Sauder & Allison Sauder

**Kidz for Christ:** Marilyn Nissley & Joey Sauder

**Trustee:** Fred Oberholtzer

### **This Week's Chapel Activities**

December 31	New Year's Eve Party	8:00pm	Chapel
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## Announcements

❖ **PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are in racks on the benches. If you wish to submit a request, print it on a card and place it in the offering plate.

❖ **HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES** are available upon request. Please check with the technician at the sound booth for assistance.

❖ **GROCERY GIFT CARDS** is an ongoing fundraiser for the youth. Gift cards are purchased from Giant and Weis at a discount and sold at face value for a 5% profit. Check with Zane Harnish if you would like to purchase cards this morning.

❖ **OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2019** are on the table in the Fellowship Hall. Be sure to sign your name and envelope number on the sign-up sheet.

❖ **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE – TODAY**, December 30, there will be no Part 2 and Kidz for Christ will be shortened to end at 11:00am.

❖ **MISSIONS OFFERING** will be received TODAY, December 30 and will be divided as follows: FitzGerald Family (Thailand/Burma) – \$2,000; Alan & Carol Wert (Wales) – \$1,500; Chris Newswanger (Cowboys With a Mission) – \$800. Of the remaining amount: East Donegal/Conoy Christian Food Bank – 50%; Susquehanna Valley Pregnancy Services – 20%; African Association of Bible Schools – 15%; Mennonite Disaster Service – 15%.

❖ **THANKS** to all who served in the many aspects of our Advent and Christmas Sunday services. From planning to preparation and participation – it was a group effort! If you have any stories from participating in the “Advent Acts” that you would like to share, write me a note, text message or email. Depending on the response, I will compile an anonymous written list of your experiences to share with the congregation.

❖ **NEW YEARS EVE 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL BUGGY DROP** will be TOMORROW, December 31, 8:00pm at the Chapel. Come one, come all and invite your family and friends! Come for a time of fellowship and fun to bring in the New Year! Please bring a drink and snack to share and also games to play. Sign-up sheet is on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

❖ **INVITATION TO PRAY** - Chestnut Hill Mennonite Church is offering its building to anyone who would like to spend time in prayer on New Year's Day, 8:00am - 8:00pm. You are invited to spend time praying for God's will to be done in our lives, our churches and our communities. If you have questions you can email the church at [chestnuthillmc@gmail.com](mailto:chestnuthillmc@gmail.com).

❖ **FOOD BANK** – The Chapel is scheduled to serve Wednesday, January 9, 2019, 1:45-4:15pm. Four volunteers are needed. If you are able to serve, please see LaRie Miller.

❖ **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** will begin the video study, “Missing Pieces-Real Hope When Life Doesn't Make Sense” by Jennifer Rothschild on Wednesday, January 16, 10:00am. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall if you would like to join us the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month for 7 sessions. For more information, please see Geri Heilman or Phyllis Oberholtzer.

❖ **FRIENDS LIFE CARE AND LANDIS COMMUNITIES** invites you to an informational seminar on “care coordination and financial benefits needed to help insure older adults have the resources and support they need to remain in their own communities as they age.” This seminar will be Thursday, January 24, 2019 10:00am – 12:00noon at Mount Joy Mennonite Church. For registration information, please see the poster on the bulletin board.

❖ **WOMEN'S RETREAT** at Camp Hebron is February 22-24, 2019. This year's theme is “Pursuing God to Find Our Calling.” Along with teaching sessions, the weekend offers lots of activities and opportunities to make new friends and enjoy God's creation. It would be so much fun to get a group from church to go! If you have interest or would like additional information, please see LaRie Miller.

❖ **TOBYMAC** is coming to Hershey Sunday, March 3, 2019! The Chapel currently has 2 tickets available at \$60 each. Please see LaRie Miller if you or someone you know would like them.

## Bulletin Board Items

Take a moment to check the bulletin board for information on the following and other items:

- ❖ **Camp Hebron's** Scrapbooking Retreat and Women's Retreat weekends
- ❖ **Mennonite Disaster Service** Employment Opportunities
- ❖ **Lancaster Mennonite Schools** Employment Opportunities