

WELCOME GUESTS

We are delighted you have come to worship with us. If you did not receive a guest packet upon your arrival, please pick up one at the welcome desk in the lobby. We would appreciate if you would also sign the guest book there. We hope to see you again!

Nursery Care for infants through age two provided 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Kidz for Christ Classes:

- ♦ Age: 3 year olds to 5th Grade, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m., Room 3 & 4

Part 2 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Youth

- ♦ 6th- 8th Grades, Room #6
- ♦ 9th-12th Grades, Room # 7 & 8

Adults

- ♦ **International Bible Lesson**- Conference Room
- ♦ **Catalyst Groups**
 - Connections- Overflow Room #9, Section 1
 - Adults- Fellowship Hall, Overflow Room #9, Section 2

Serving Today

Greeters: Harry & Lynne Diffenderfer

Librarian: Closed

Church Nursery: Twila Jantzi

This Week's Chapel Activities

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| Sun | 6:30 p.m. | Small Group Study | Newswanger Home |
| Sun | 6:30 p.m. | Small Group Study | Sangree Home |
| Tue | 6:30 p.m. | AC/MCT Meeting | The Chapel |
| Wed | 10:00 a.m. | Women's Bible Study | The Chapel |

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** – An ongoing fundraiser for the youth. Gift cards are purchased from Darrenkamps, 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.

❖ **STEWARDSHIP UNIVERSITY**, a partnership between Everence and our local faith community, is coming to Lancaster on Saturday, April 8. Many people are dealing with growing debt and little or no emergency savings. Beryl Jantzi of Everence will lead a seminar about how to prioritize between the financial challenges of paying down debt vs. building up emergency savings. For registration information, contact Mary Lou Hershey at (717) 285-7682 or cmhershey@centurylink.net.

❖ **MULCHMADNESS** – It's that time of year again! The mulch and yard sale will be held on May 6. You can support the youth group by buying mulch or volunteering to help! See Deb Sauder with questions.

❖ **CHAPEL LIBRARY** – Please be patient as the Library is being set up in its new location at the front of the fellowship hall and reorganized over the next few weeks. Our chapel Librarian, Dixie Becker asks that we wait to use the library again till she lets you know that the library is reorganized and ready for use.

❖ **CHAPEL DIRECTORY UPDATE** –It's time to update the chapel directory! If you have a new name, address, phone or would like to have an updated directory picture, please indicate the change on the sheet in the lobby. If you have a new directory photo to update, please email the photo to: mariettachapel@gmail.com by March 26.

❖ **CHRISTINE BAER FROM CHURCH WORLD SERVICES** will be sharing the morning message on March 26. Christine works as the Congregational Resource Developer in the Lancaster Immigration and Refugee Office. She will also be having a follow up Q & A time during Part 2 of our service. This will be an opportunity for us to learn more about the refugee situation here in our area as we explore how to respond to the needs of refugees in our community.

BULLETIN BOARD ITEMS– Additional announcements to note...

- **PA RELIEF SALE CRAFT STAND** - The Craft Stand coordinators are in need of volunteers to help set up, sell, and/or tear down at the PA Relief Sale March 31-April 1, 2017. Come and enjoy the sale but donate an hour or two of your time at our stand. Please call or email us if you think you can help us. Remember: all proceeds benefit MCC. Janet Runion Patton: 717-272-1708, cjpatton99@aol.com; Ruth Runion Slear: 717-533-9423, singchorale@hotmail.com.
- **CELEBRATION OF CHURCH LIFE 2017** - You won't want to miss the stories that God is writing on the hearts of those throughout the Lancaster Mennonite Conference! *Stories* like "Why am I a Mennonite?" and "Walking with the Leprous". Did you know that more than 10,000 people turn age 65 every day? How do we minister to these folks in our communities? These and many other *stories* will be part of the *Celebration of Church Life* that is taking place on Friday - Saturday, March 17-18, 2017 at Weaverland Mennonite Church, 210 Weaverland Valley Road in East Earl, PA.
- **THE DONEGAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Senior Breakfast** will be held on Friday, May 5 at 8:30 a.m. Doors open at 8:00 a.m. There is no charge for this event but reservations are required. Please contact Stephanie Manuel, 492-1302 or email Stephanie.manuel@donegalsd.org to reserve your spot by Friday, April 21.

YOUTH

- **"ST&"** ... will meet TONIGHT @ 7:00 p.m. at the Chapel for worship and Bible study. All 9th – 12th graders are welcome to attend.
- **JR HIGH YOUTH** will meet March 26 at 7:00 p.m. at the Chapel for worship and Bible study. All 6th – 8th graders are welcome to attend.