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September 25, 2016

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Jan Hoffer
Song Leader – Gwen Hurst
Message – Chuck Snyder
Interpreter – Nancy Snyder
Greeter/Usher – Mike Hurst

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Today – Fellowship meal at noon – Details later.
Oct. 2 – Nathanael Davis will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.
Oct. 30 – First Deaf Business meeting at church – 1:00 pm.
Nov. 4-6 – 7th Mid-Atlantic Deaf Women’s Retreat.

FIRST DEAF NEWS

~**Today the Witmer Heights** congregation is away at their annual church retreat. There will be no Sunday school classes or worship services.

~ **Registration deadline is Oct. 25** for the 7th Mid-Atlantic Deaf Women’s Retreat which will be held November 4-6. If you have questions, get in touch with either Phyllis Gehman or Debra Hoffer.

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – September 18

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$ 188.00
Witmer Heights \$2,894.00
S.S. Offering \$ 6.50

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf – 18
Witmer Heights – 63

~**Submit** bulletin items to: mennobulletin@gmail.com or call the editor. Editor for Oct. 2 will be Esther Mast. Submit items for the bulletin by Wednesday eve.

~**Additional announcements** appear every week in Menno Bulletin Weekly. If you are unable to access it on the church website www.whmchurch.org there are always hard copies on the greeter podiums at the entrances. Please help yourself.

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Witmer Heights Worship - 9:30 a.m.

Annual Retreat at Penn Valley Retreat Center

We Gather to Worship

Prelude
Call to Worship
Singing

We Listen For God’s Voice

Message: “Grounded and Growing”
Based on Mark 4:26-28

We Respond to God

A time for Sharing
Prayer
Offering Our Gifts / Offertory

God Sends Us Out

Sending Song
Benediction

Worship Service Participants

Worship Leader: Randy Keener **Song Leader:** Steve Stoltzfus
Preachers: Janet Breneman and Wes Newswanger
Offering Attendants: Rance and Marilyn Darity
Greeters: Everyone!!

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Oct. 2,9,16,23 –Discussion/listening meetings on “The Discernment Format for Healthy Church Process” 9:15-10:15 am.
Oct. 5 – Community Night. Potluck meal at 6:15. Activity – 7-8 pm.
Oct. 12 – Worship Team meeting – 7:00 pm.
Oct. 17 – WH Volunteer day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.
Nov. 2 – Community Night
Nov. 13 – Fellowship meal at noon.