

Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for December 4, 2016

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Dec. 7 – Community Night – 6:15 meal and service project at the church.

Dec. 11 – Combined First Deaf and Witmer Heights. Christmas Breakfast – 8:30 (signup sheets at church) Program – 10:00

Dec. 14 – Elder Team – 7:00 pm.

Dec. 18 – Christmas Caroling – meet at church at 6:45. Bring fruit and cookies to share

	<u>Sunday, December 4</u>	<u>Sunday, December 11</u>
Message	Randy Keener	Christmas Program
Greeters	Jim and Phyllis Oswald	John and Mim Buckwalter

~**Mennonite Children's Choir** of Lancaster has one remaining concert in their Christmas Concert Series with Guest Artist Irish Blessing Band and Friends. Plan to attend and be inspired this afternoon.

Sunday, December 4 – 4:00 pm – Highland Presbyterian Church, Lancaster.

~**Franconia-Lancaster Choral Singers & Orchestra**, singing Mendelssohn-Hymn of Praise and Handel-Messiah – Part 1. Sunday, Dec. 4, 3:00 pm at Lititz Church of the Brethren, 100 W. Orange St. Lititz. **See Steve Stoltzfus for tickets.**

~**Need for Community Night – Dec. 7.** - Tricia Stoltzfus would like old Christmas cards. The kids will be making small boxes with Christmas cards. If you have any old Christmas cards you don't want anymore, please put them near her mailbox at church this Sunday, Dec. 4. She will be using them on Wed., Dec. 7 at Community Night. ~Thanks so much!

~**For Witmer Heights and First Deaf Congregations:** This Christmas season, we will again be sponsoring, through Conestoga Valley Christian Community Services, (CVCCS) a family (with four children) in need. Please look for our "Giving Tree" this coming Sunday. Ornaments labeled with wish list items from each child will be available for you to choose from. Gift cards for the parents to Walmart, Target, Giant, Sharp Shopper, etc. are also an option. Please place your **wrapped or unwrapped** gift in the corresponding gift bags under the tree **on or before Sunday, December 11th.** Contact either Lisa or Madeline Kachel at 717-371-9518 with any further questions. Thank you for your ongoing support of CVCCS.

~**Remember to bring to WH, donations for the CVCCS Food Bank.** Boxes are provided in the East hallway. There continues to be a need. The following items (**with unexpired dates**) are suggestions: rice, pancake mix, syrup, oatmeal, jam/jelly, canned fruit, detergent (laundry or dish), toothpaste, bath soap. Your donations are appreciated. Thank you.

~**Starting Jan. 1, 2017**, an intergenerational Sunday school class "Share, Prayer, and Fellowship" will begin. The sessions will include sharing about our personal lives, current events, and where we see God at work in our midst. The class will meet at the end of the fellowship hall where the couches are located. (Room 5) and meet at the same time (9:30) as the other adult class, which meets in Room 12 to continue their study of the Fall quarter uniform series Sunday school lessons.

~**Church Directory Updates:** Please add the following to your Church Directory:

Joy Miller – Email - pearljoygehman@gmail.com
Shane Miller – Email - shaneandrewmiller@gmail.com
Bruce Plourde – Email - bruce@imprintsofacity.com

~**NOTICE:** An updated Church Directory will be coming out in January. Please give attention to the form in your mailbox.

~**Save the date: February 1** will be the date when our congregation will assemble care packages for the 8 college students.

Job Opportunity - Administrative Assistant, Superintendent's Office -- LM Lancaster Campus Lancaster Mennonite School is seeking an administrative assistant for the superintendent beginning January 2017. This position will assist the superintendent and assistant superintendent in carrying out the work of the system office. The administrative assistant must have good organizational, writing and computer skills. Candidates must also be able to work well with details and deadlines, have good people skills and a willingness to work collaboratively for the benefit of the school. This position requires a high level of confidentiality. Persons of underrepresented racial/ethnic groups are encouraged to apply. Contact Lorri Wagner for more information at wagnerlk@lancastermennonite.org or call (717) 509-4459, ext. 722.

~**Connections at Mellinger – Tuesday, Dec. 6 – 9:00-11:00 am** – "Angels in my Hand" Karl Miller will inspire and encourage you through his journey of serving God through blessing others through giving. Come and hear his amazing story.

~**Continue to keep these persons in your prayers** as they deal with health concerns. Pray for healing and hope.
Les/Lois Brubaker * Angie C. * Ed Martin * Becky Nolt * Jim O. * Don Ranck * Steve Stoltzfus * Dave Swartley