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### July 2, 2017\_

## Witmer Heights Worship – 10:40 a.m.

Gathering/Praising Prelude Welcome Announcements Light the Peace Lamp Chimes (calling us to worship) Silence (calming our spirits) Call to worship Singing

#### Hearing

Luke 14: 1, 7-14 "The God of Boundary Breaking"

#### Responding

Song of Response Sharing (God of Grace, hear our prayer) Offering

#### Sending

Closing song Benediction

#### **Worship Service Participants**

Prelude/Offertory: Adrianna Myers Worship Leader: Rance Darity Song Leader: Shelby Swartley Preacher: Randy Keener Offering Attendants: John H. and Kathryn Landis Greeters: Becky Nolt and Esther Mast

### July 2, 2017 First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Jeff Hoffer Song Leader – Deb Hoffer Message - Chuck Snyder Interpreter - Nancy Snyder Greeters/Ushers – Nelson Gehman

### First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar.

Today – Fellowship Meal at noon July 9, 16, 23, 30 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach to First Deaf congregation. July 26 – First Deaf and Witmer Heights Turkey Hill Ice Cream Social and games. August 19 – Annual Deaf Picnic at Ephrata Park. (Look for flyer soon.)

# FIRST DEAF & WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS

~Please take time to read the newsletter from Nancy Marshall that is posted on the East Hallway bulletin board. She explains the dilemma she is facing concerning Sulmi's education here in the U.S. Sulmi has been accepted at Lancaster Mennonite School providing finances can be arranged for a sign language interpreter. If you have any advice or counsel for Nancy, contact her at <u>nancvinbelize@vahoo.com</u>

**~First Deaf** – The following dates <u>will</u> have Sunday school this summer July 2, 16, 30 August 13, 27 (Social Hour all other Sundays.)
First Deaf will have prayer time on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday every month from 8:30 to 9:00 am. in East Hallway, Room 4

**~Witmer Heights** – The remaining Fellowship Sundays (instead of Sunday school) during the summer months are: July 16, Aug. 6.

#### **OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – June 25**

#### **Offerings/General Fund**

### Attendance/Worship

First Deaf\$ 296.00Witmer Heights\$ 2715.00S.S. Offering\$ 14.00

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~See more announcements in Menno Bulletin Weekly -

...either on the church website: www.whmchurch.org.

...or take a hard copy from the greeter podium in either hallway.

# Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

July 9 – Fellowship meal at noon. Bring hot and cold dishes to share. July 12 – Worship Team meeting – 7:00 pm. July 16/Aug. 6 – Fellowship Sunday (9:30-10:25) No Sunday school. July 16 – Memorial service for J. Lester Brubaker at Landis Home – 3:30 pm. July 26 – First Deaf and Witmer Heights Turkey Hill Ice Cream Social /games. August 16 – Elder Team meeting – 7:00 pm.