# Menno Bulletin Weekly

# **Bulletin Announcements for March 18, 2018**

#### Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

March 18 – April 1 – Bring your coins (and dollars) for "My Coins Count" offering.

March 18 – WH Game Night at the church – 5:30 – 8:00. Bring your favorite game and a finger food to share at 5:30.

March 29 – Maundy Thursday Service – 6:00 pm. (details below)

April 1 – WH Sunrise Service and Breakfast (details below). Worship service at the church at 10:00 am.

April 23 – WH Volunteer day at MCC Resource Center. (9:00 am - 3:00 pm)

Sunday, March 18 Sunday, March 25

Message Randy Keener Rance Darity

Greeters Chris and Rose Kennel Mim Eberly and Becky Nolt

#### ~Holy Week Events...

1) Maundy Thursday, **March 29** – 6:00 pm. Foot washing/handwashing, light meal, communion, songs and scripture around the passion story. All food provided.

- 2) Easter Sunrise Service **April 1** at 7:00 AM at Barefoot Acres Farm. (address and details below)
  Come early to see the sunrise if desired. (Sunrise at 6:49 AM) Join us for singing and reading the Easter story in the beautiful outdoors (the farm of Clair and Anna Kauffman 53 A South Weavertown Rd Ronks, PA 17572) Please bring your own lawn chair.
- 3) There will be a "HOBO breakfast by the fire" following the sunrise service. Please see the sign up sheet *on Sunday* on the back table to sign up for food and also sign up if you have mountain pie makers that you can bring. If you have questions, see Anna Kauffman or Eileen Ranck
- 4) **April 1**, Easter Worship Service (**10:00 am**) at the church. First Deaf congregation will worship with us. No Sunday school. Note the time change
- ~There are 3 Sundays left to contribute to "My Coins Count" for MCC. Money will be taken to the MCC Relief Sale on April 6. Bring your coins (and paper money) each Sunday. Also persons are needed to choose a Sunday to match the coins collected that Sunday and possibly a grand total match. Contact Becca or Cory Eavenson if you are willing to match on any given Sunday.

The total for March 11 is \$73.89. Dean and Jan Mast matched to make it \$147.78. This brings the Grand Total so far to: \$1,183.10. (Last year's final grand total taken to MCC was \$2,041.10)

**The MYF summer youth mission trip** this year is working with EMM Kingdom teams, getting to know and assisting newly settled refugees in Lancaster, PA. To help with costs, instead of soup and salad fundraisers, you will find M & M candy in a plastic container in your church mailbox. Enjoy the candy, and then please consider giving a donation toward the MYF Mission Trip. (Put cash or check back in container and return to Randy.) Checks can be made out to Mellinger MYF.

## **Encouragement Link - Week of March 18-24**

- \*Your contact with Micah and Madeline will need to be by email only since they are in Guatemala.
- ~Thanks for your continued prayer support for our college students as they study at home and abroad
- **~Our next Community Night is April 4.** There will be a meal at 6:15. Bring hot and cold dishes of food to share. After the meal, there will be a "Resurrection lesson" for the children and the adults will have an activity related to Photography and Art, led by Jonathan Stoltzfus and others.
- ~Save the date: Friday May 4<sup>th.</sup> The Parent & Preschool Center will be having a Chicken Bar-B-Que Fundraiser with Peters' Barbecue. Tickets are now available through Velma Magill, our church rep. They are \$10 for a meal. All money raised through the Bar-B-Que will go to the Tuition Assistance Fund. Financial Donations will also be accepted. Chicken meals will be available at Mellinger Mennonite Church on May 4<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 6:30. See Velma for tickets or sign up on the sheet provided at the back of the church sanctuary.
- ~Connections for women (and men if they are interested) meets at Mellinger Mennonite Church fellowship hall, Tues. mornings from 9:00–11:00. The topic for March 20 will be on the topic: "Dangerous Food" Is your supermarket killing you? You can watch a short clip about the topic at <a href="http://lifetreecafe.com/">http://lifetreecafe.com/</a> and plan to come Tuesday to join the discussion.
- ~See page 2 for several 2018 Spring Concert schedules and Drama information...

## **Lancaster Mennonite High School Campus Chorale Spring Concerts**

Sunday, March 18 – 4:00 pm – Akron Mennonite Church

Thursday, March 22 – 8:25 am – New Danville Mennonite School

Sunday, April 15 – 10:30 am – Conestoga Mennonite Church

Sunday, April 22 – 9:30 am – Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster

Sunday, May 13 – 9:00 am – Elizabethtown Mennonite Church

Sunday, May 20 – 6:00 pm – Stumptown Mennonite Church

### The Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster

Sunday, April 8 – 4:00 pm – Strasburg Mennonite Church - Strasburg

Sunday, April 22 – 4:00 pm – First Presbyterian Church – Lancaster

Saturday, April 28 – 7:00 pm – St. Peter's Lutheran Church – Lancaster

Sunday, April 29 – 4:00 pm – Forest Hills Mennonite Church – Leola

Sunday, June 10 – 7:00 pm – Mt. Gretna Tabernacle – Mt. Gretna

# ~Discover Doctrine of Discovery with performance by Ted and Company.

- "Discovery: A Comic Lament" will be performed at 6 p.m. on **Saturday**, **April 21**, at Forest Hills Mennonite Church. There is no cost for admission.
- Play examines the relationship between European settlers and Native Americans, and how the justifications used to claim land still impact us today.

More details on bulletin board in east hallway.