

Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for March 25, 2018

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

March 25 – April 1 – Bring your coins (and dollars) for “My Coins Count” offering.

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

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

April 8 – Money due for MYF Fundraiser. (See details below.)

April 15 – Bishop installation service at Stumptown Mennonite Church – 6:30 pm.

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

	<u>Sunday, March 25</u>	<u>Sunday, April 1</u>
Message	Rance Darity	Randy Keener
Greeters	Mim Eberly and Becky Nolt	John and Mim Buckwalter

~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) Directions from WH: Drive 3.2 miles east on Old Philadelphia Pike to S. Weavertown Road, which is about a mile east of Bird-in-Hand. Turn right (south) on South Weavertown Road. Proceed 0.4 miles. Where road makes a sharp right, turn left onto our lane. A peach orchard will be on your left. Proceed 1/4 mile on our lane and follow parking signs as you approach the farmhouse.
- 4) 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
- 5) **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 2 Sundays left (March 25 and April 1) 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 18 is \$45.96. Paul and Mary Zehr matched to bring total to \$91.92.

This brings the Grand Total so far to: \$1,275.02. (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. Checks can be made out to Mellinger MYF. Put cash or check back into the M & M container and return to Randy by April 8. Or you may mail a check to Mellinger Mennonite Church MYF, 1916 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster, PA 17602

~Encouragement Link - Week of March 18-24 (extended to March 31)

Joshua Boyer –Ruth Ann/Merle Reinford	Johanna Hoffer –Lois/Marvin Weaver	*Madeline Mast –Mary/Paul Zehr
*Micah Boyer –Shelby/Dave Swartley	Allison Kachel – Tricia/Jon Stoltzfus	Mia Swartley – Sophia Zook
Cory Eavenson – Judy/Don Stoltzfus	Jansen Kachel – Cindy Witmer	Leslie Wang – Mim Wert

*Remember that 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.

~March 27 - Connections for women (and men if they are interested) meet at Mellinger Mennonite Church fellowship Tues. morning from 9:00–11:00. The topic for March 27 is “Kingdom Marriage” with Nina Harnish. Building a healthy marriage takes a mixture of effort and grace. This talk will focus on how to infuse both aspects into your marriage.

~April 4 - Our next Community Night. 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.

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~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

~Lancaster Mennonite High School Campus Chorale Spring Concerts

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

~April 15 – 6:30 pm. You are invited to attend the Bishop Installation service for Joe Miller and Rodney Martin at Stumptown Mennonite Church.

~April 21 - 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 or on Facebook at Ted and Company

~April 29 (afternoon) – CVCCS Walk and Ride From Hunger

- 12:15 - Praise and Worship – led by Stumptown Mennonite Church
- 12:45 – Registration - \$25 or register online at CVCCS.org. or Facebook.com/cvccs
- 1:00 – Walk
- 1:15 – Motorcycle ride
- At Conestoga Valley High School Track – 2110 Horeshoe Road, Lancaster, PA
- Need more details or food for thought?? Call 717-208-3711

~Friday May 4th. 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 4th from 3:30 – 6:30.** See Velma for tickets or sign up on the sheet provided at the back of the church sanctuary.