FIRST DEAF **Interim Pastor: Chuck Snyder Church Chair: Debra Hoffer** E-mail: firstdeaf2270@gmail.com website: www.firstdeafmc.wordpress.com

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WITMER HEIGHTS **Pastor: Randy Keener Church Chair: Neil Reinford** E-mail: whmcpastor@gmail.com website: www.whmchurch.org

May 20, 2018

Witmer Heights Worship - 10:40 a.m.

Gathering Prelude Welcome and Announcements Light the Peace Lamp Chime & Silence Call to Worship

Praising

Singing together

Hearing

Children's time John 20:19-23 "Receive Ye the Holy Spirit"

Responding

Song of Response Sharing time and Congregational prayer Offering

Sending

Closing Song Benediction

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Offertory: Jan Mast Song Leader: Shelby Swartley Worship Leader: Randy Keener Preacher: Paul Zehr Children's time: Joy Miller **Offering Attendants:** Don and Judy Stoltzfus Greeters: Chris and Rose Kennel

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

May 20 – Fellowship meal at noon. Bring hot and cold dishes of food to share. May 27 – Bible Memory by WH S.S. children. June 3 – Annual First Deaf Mennonite Church Inc. business meeting – 1:00 pm. Sept. 21-23 – Annual WH Church Retreat at Penn Valley. (Mark your calendar!) Oct. 15 – Volunteer day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am. – 3:00 pm. Nov. 3 - Women's Regional Gathering - Stumptown Mennonite Chch. 9-12:00.

May 20, 2018 First Deaf Worship - 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Jeff Hoffer

Song Leader – Debra Hoffer Message - Jeff Hoffer and First Deaf congregation Interpreter – TBA Greeters/Ushers - Veturia Osvath and Viorica Morgovan

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

May 20 – Jeff Hoffer and First Deaf cong. will share duiring First Deaf worship. May 27 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship. May 27 – Bible Memory by the WH S.S. children at end of worship time. May 31 – First Deaf Leadership meeting at church – 4:15 pm. June 3,10,17,24 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship. June 3 – Annual First Deaf Mennonite Church, Inc. business meeting at 1:00 pm.

WORDS OF PEACE FROM JESUS

"Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you." John 14:27 (Twice he said) "Peace be with you!" John 20:19 and 21 "As the Father has sent Me, so I send you." And having said this, He breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit." John 20:22.

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – May 13

Offerings/General Fund

Attendance/Worship First Deaf - 25

First Deaf \$ 460.00 Witmer Heights \$2.310.00 S.S. Offering \$ 22.00

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