

Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for June 10, 2018

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

June 24 – No Sunday school. Fellowship Sunday during S.S. hour.

July 1 – WH - Communion Sunday.

July 8 – Fellowship meal at noon.

July 8 – EMM Commissioning service, 6:30 pm, at Black Rock Retreat Center. Johanna Hoffer will be commissioned.

July 15 – Baby Dedication for Sky Miller

July 22 – No Sunday school. Fellowship Sunday during S.S. hour.

Sept. 9 – Worship service will be held at Lancaster County Park for all churches in the Lancaster, Lititz, Mellinger Districts.

Sept. 21-23 – Annual WH Church Retreat at Penn Valley Christian Retreat Center.

Oct. 15 – Volunteer Day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.

Nov. 3 – Women's Regional Gathering at Stumptown Mennonite Church. 9:00 – 12:00 noon.

	<u>Sunday, June 10</u>	<u>Sunday, June 17</u>
Message	Alain Epp Weaver	Randy Keener
Greeters	Wes Newswanger and Becky Rutt	Chris Kennel and Mary Zehr

~**We are privileged to have** Alain Epp Weaver sharing with us this Sunday. Alain is Director for Strategic Planning at Mennonite Central Committee and will be sharing about the witness of the church in Syria. He will share about how MCC is supporting the Syrian church as it reaches out beyond itself to meet the basic human needs of people displaced by war multiple times. He will be framing stories about how the Syrian church witnesses to God's reign amidst war and mass dispossession within a reflection on Christ's lordship over the powers of sin and death.

~**Johanna Hoffer will be** serving through EMM this summer, working with youth groups and going to School District of Lancaster's summer program in the afternoon to work with the students there by planning activities and playing games with the students. **Nelson Okanya, EMM President**, sent a letter of invitation for Witmer Heights and First Deaf to attend the commissioning service for Johanna Hoffer on July 8 at 6:30 pm. at the Oakwood Chapel at Black Rock Retreat. Randy Friesen, executive director of MB Mission, will be the speaker. An ice cream social will follow.

~**Mark your calendars.** The Lancaster County Park pavilion has been reserved for Sunday, **September 9th** to host the churches in the Lancaster, Lititz, and Mellinger districts. This event is an invitation for the congregations of these three districts to gather for a time of worship, fellowship, and food. **Details and time to be announced at a later date.**

~Rodney Martin, Bishop - Lancaster, Lititz, Mellinger Districts

~**CVCCS Information and News.** **The Clothing Center is collecting** new packaged underwear and socks for the "SEATS AND FEETS" collection. All sizes are needed for **men, women and children**. Socks should be crew or no-show. Drop your donation in the basket in the east hall. Thank you!

~ **Student internships** are available at Conestoga Valley Christian Community Services. This is a great opportunity for someone interested in learning more about the human services/non-profit field. An online application is available on the CVCCS website at www.cvccs.org. For more information, contact Jacqueline at 717-208-3711.

~ **Volunteer opportunities** are available at Conestoga Valley Christian Community Services. For more information, contact Deb at 717-208-3711. To sign up go to www.cvccs.org and click on the volunteer application link.

~**Music in the Orchard**—Outdoor summer concerts begin on June 9 at 6 p.m. at the 1719 Herr House & Museum with a performance by Joy Ike and an opening by Alex Brubaker. Concerts continue rain or shine **every other** Saturday through August 4.

~**The Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster**

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

~**Celebrate summer with international culture and flavor** at EMM's biggest event of the year! Global Fair is happening **Saturday, July 7, 11 a.m.–3 p.m.**, at the Hans Herr House in Willow Street, Pa. This open-air missions and culture festival represents the vast scope of EMM's global presence. Meet the world through cultural activities, international food, mission stories, fun for kids, and more! Suggested donation of \$1. Questions? Contact Jessica Fellenger at jessicaf@emm.org or 717 898-2251 ext. 235, or visit emm.org/globalfair.