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June 3, 2018

**First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.**

**Worship Leader** – Mike Hurst  
**Song Leader** – Debra Hoffer  
**Message** – Chuck Snyder  
**Interpreter** – Nancy Snyder  
**Greeters/Ushers** – Veturia Osvath and Viorica Morgovan

**First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar**

June 3 – Annual First Deaf Mennonite Church, Inc. business meeting at 12:00 noon.  
June 10 – Henry Deller will share/preach during First Deaf worship.  
June 17, 24 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship.  
July 8 – EMM Commissioning service 6:30 pm for Johanna Hoffer at Black Rock.  
Sept. 9 – Worship service for all District churches will be held at Lancaster County Community Park. More information later.

**THOUGHTS ON SABBATH**

The busyness of things obscures our concentration on God ... Never let a hurried lifestyle disturb the relationship of abiding in Him. This is an easy thing to allow, but we must guard against it.  
—Oswald Chambers

The rhythm of work and rest seems to help us function more purposefully and energetically, living in the responsive obedience to the pattern God designed for us.  
—Lynne M. Baab

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – May 27**

<b><u>Offerings/General Fund</u></b>	<b><u>Attendance/Worship</u></b>
First Deaf \$ 496.00	First Deaf - 25
Witmer Heights \$2,712.00	Witmer Heights - 77
S.S. Offering \$ 8.75	
Fire Recovery \$1,880.00 (+\$1,050 May 20, + Everance \$1,000 matching)	

~Submit items for the Church Bulletin and Menno Bulletin Weekly by Wed. pm. to [mennobulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mennobulletin@gmail.com) or call the editor, Esther Mast, at 717-394-2199.

~Additional announcements appear every week in Menno Bulletin Weekly. If you are unable to access it on the church website [www.whmchurch.org](http://www.whmchurch.org) there are always hard copies on the greeter podiums at the entrances. Please help yourself.

June 3, 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**  
Mark 2:23 – 3:6  
“A Surprisingly Subversive Sabbath”

**Responding**  
Song of Response  
Sharing time and Congregational prayer  
Offering

**Sending**  
Closing Song  
Benediction

**Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude/Offertory:** Donovan & Tricia Stoltzfus **Song Leader:** Steve Stoltzfus  
**Worship Leader:** Merle Reinford **Preacher:** Randy Keener  
**Offering Attendants:** Chris and Rose Kennel  
**Greeters:** Karen and Abe Diffenbach

**Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar**

June 3 – Annual First Deaf Mennonite Chch Inc. business meeting – 12:00 noon.  
July 1 – Communion Sunday.  
July 8 – EMM Commissioning 6:30 pm for Johanna Hoffer at Black Rock.  
July 22 – Micah Boyer & Madeline Mast will share about semester in Guatemala.  
Sept. 9 – Worship service for District churches held at Lancaster County Park.  
Sept. 21-23 – Annual WH Church Retreat at Penn Valley. (Mark your calendar!)

**Church Directory update:** Nathan Ayers' new address:  
545 E Strawberry St, Lancaster PA 17602