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WITMER HEIGHTS Interim Pastor: Wayne Speigle Church Chair: Vanessa Boyer E-mail: whmcpastor@gmail.com website: www.whmchurch.org

November 15, 2020 First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Mike Hurst Song Leader – Jan Hoffer Message – Chuck Snyder Interpreter – Nancy Snyder Greeters/Ushers – Mike and Gwen Hurst

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

November 17 – First Deaf Mennonite Church Inc. Board meeting – 6:30 pm. November 22 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share to First Deaf congregation November 29 – Henry Deller will preach/share to First Deaf congregation. December 12 – Canceled – Annual Christmas breakfast and program. December 12 – Live Nativity at Barefoot Acres (Kauffman farm) – 5-7 pm. **NOTE**: Bible study every Wed. on Zoom. 7 pm. No game night till further notice.

FIRST DEAF AND WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS

~ Sympathy and care are extended to Viorica Morgovan (First Deaf) whose father passed away in Romania November 9.

~Conestoga River District of LMC: The Mellinger, Lancaster, and Lititz Districts have decided tobecome one new district, called the Conestoga River District. After several years of working together the pastors and the 13 congregations of the Mellinger, Lancaster, and Lititz Districts have "officially" joined together into one new district. If you are interested in more background, a one-page summary of the history and reasons for choosing Conestoga River District is available. It is posted on the east bulletin board. ~ Bishops Rodney Martin and Joe Miller.

~Also posted on the bulletin board is the email note about the opportunity to give to a Christmas Project for needy families in the CV school district.

OFFERINGS AND ATTENDANCE – November 8

Offerings/General FundFirst Deaf\$ 750.00Witmer Heights\$2,451.49

Attendance/Worship First Deaf –18 church, 9 zoom Witmer Heights – 62

November 15, 2020

Witmer Heights Worship 10:40 a.m.

Gathering/Praising Prelude Welcome and Announcements Light the Peace Lamp Chimes and Silence Call to Worship Worship in song

Hearing

Children's Time Testimonial Scripture: Jonah 1:1-3 Sermon: "The Worm Turns."

Responding and Sending

Song of Response Sharing /Prayer/Offering* (*Place offering in container provided on stand.) Closing Song Benediction

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Song Leader/Offertory: Shelby SwartleyWorship Leader: Chris KennelChildren's Time: Sophia ZookMessage: Wayne SpeigleTestimonial: Janet Breneman

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

November 17 – First Deaf Mennonite Church Inc. – Board meeting – 6:30 pm.

- November 21 Pastoral Search Committee meeting.
- November 22 Final day for Christmas giving project. (Details on bulletin bd.)
- December 12 Canceled Annual Christmas breakfast and program.

December 12 – Live Nativity at Barefood Acres (Kauffman farm) – 5-7 pm.

Save the dates: April 5, 2021 – Volunteer Day at MCC Material Resource. September 25-27, 2021 – Annual Church Retreat.