Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for December 6, 2020

<u>Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar</u>
December 6 – Sister Care survey due to Jan today.
December 12 – Live nativity at Barefoot Acres (Kauffman farm)   5-7 p.m. (For both WH and FD)
                                                (Details below)
December 13– Canceled – Annual Christmas breakfast and program.

	<u>Sunday, December 6</u>	<u>Sunday, December 13</u>
Worship Leader	Clair Kauffman	Anna Kauffman
Message	Wayne Speigle	Wayne Speigle

~Pastor Wayne's upcoming office hours and contact information for week of December 7 -12
          In the office…   Tuesday and Wednesday.   December 8 and 9 – 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
                                        Otherwise he is available by phone, text, or email.
          Cell/Text – 215-896-9052 Email: waynespeigle@gmail.com.

~Pray for next Pastoral Search Committee meeting: December 15.
~Pray for Leadership Team as they make decisions regarding our church activities.
~Pray for healing and hope for those dealing with health issues and loneliness.

~Christmas Gift Card Project.   Thank you so much for your overwhelming generosity during the recent fundraising effort to purchase gift cards for CV families in need! Our church raised $1250 resulting in 25-$50 gift cards to Wal-Mart. I was honored to deliver the cards on behalf of our congregation to Katie Reiff (daughter of Merv and June Landis for those of you who remember them), who is the CV district social worker and home school visitor. Despite these unprecedented times, your kindness has conveyed a Christmas message of hope and caring to our community.   ~Lisa King-Kachel

~Cookies are needed for the Nativity event December 12. If you are willing to make 2 dozen cookies and package them - 2 cookies per zip lock bag, contact Deb Hoffer dhoffer76@aol.com or text 717-341-3189 to let her know what kind of cookies you will make. Thanks!

~Greetings Witmer Heights and First Deaf!   (Your RSVP is needed!)
Come celebrate the birth of Jesus by enjoying a live nativity. There will be singing, cookies, and warm beverages*
          <u>When:</u> **Saturday, December 12th** at **5:00 pm**. (Rain date December 13th.)
          <u>Where:</u> Clair and Anna Kauffman's farm. Their address is **53-A S. Weavertown Rd. Ronks, PA.**
Parking will be on level gravel and there will be handicap accessible portable restrooms on the property.
We kindly ask that you wear a mask and maintain social distancing.
Please bring your chairs and *a mug for your warm drink. (There will be paper "to go" cups if you forget.)
          RSVP to Joy Miller was due Sunday, November 29. Here is her contact information if you have questions:
          Email Pearljoygehman@gmail.com   Text or call 717-471-4503

~To Witmer Heights Church family.
    We thank you all for your continued patience during this time of COVID and how we navigate through it as it relates to church functions. Each month the Leadership Team will continue to discuss the CDC guidelines and safety measures for our church. If you have concerns please pass them on to the Elder team. See updates below:

1. Please wear your mask on Sunday mornings for the entire time you are on the church property.
2. Please continue to sing softly during congregational singing. We are asking song leaders to wear a mask as they lead singing, when possible.
3. Please continue to socialize outside after church as weather permits.
4. SS is not planned through the end of the 2020 year. We are considering a Zoom Adult SS class for Jan/Feb.
5. It was determined that the traditional Christmas Program/Breakfast will not be planned for this year. But we have an exciting alternate activity in the planning process! See details above.

    The Pastoral Search Committee continues to work at reviewing interview questions, updating advertising opportunities, reviewing applications, and interviewing candidates. We appreciate your continued prayers. Please continue to spread the word about the job opening. If you have any ideas for potential candidates please contact a committee member:
    Vanessa King Boyer, Clair Kauffman, Joe Miller, Joy Miller, Merle Reinford, Shelby Swartley,.
                                                              ~Thank you,   Vanessa King Boyer, Elder Chair