#### FIRST DEAF MENNONITE CHURCH, INC.

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WITMER HEIGHTS
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September 5, 2021

# First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Nelson Gehman Song Leader – Debra Hoffer Message –Chuck Snyder Interpreter – Nancy Snyder Greeter/Usher – Mike & Gwen Hurst

#### First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept. 5, 19, 26 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share in First Deaf worship.

Sept. 12 – Henry Deller will preach/share in First Deaf worship.

Sept. 12, 19, 26 – Sunday school at 10:45.

Sept. 15 – Bible study on Zoom (Wed.)

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**Interim Pastor: Chuck Snyder** 

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Church Chair: Debra Hoffer

Sept. 19 – First Deaf Business meeting after S.S. (bring own lunch)

#### NOTE FOR FIRST DEAF

~Thank you for the beautiful flowers!! Catherine Dieffenbach

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WITMER HEIGHTS

- **~Pastor Steve's office hours** this week will be Wednesday, and Friday. Feel free to call Tuesday and Thursday as well as evenings if you need to talk or arrange a visit. Phone: 610-463-6218.
- **Next Sunday, September 12** the focus of the sermon will be from Matthew 25:1-13 with the parable of the ten virgins.. You are invited to reflect on this scripture in preparation for next Sunday's worship time.
- ~Pastor Steve would like to begin to meet this fall with individuals interested in baptism exploration. Please contact him with your interest.
- ~Prayer requests are listed in Menno Bulletin.

# **OFFERINGS AND ATTENDANCE – August 29**

# Offerings/General Fund First Deaf \$ 870.00 First Deaf -23

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#### September 5, 2021

# Witmer Heights Worship - 10:45 a.m.

#### **Gathering**

Prelude
Welcome/Announcements
Offering\*
Light the Peace Lamp
Chimes and Silence
Call to Worship

#### **Praising and Hearing**

Singing
Children's Time
Scripture – Matthew 25:14-30
Sermon – "Faithful With God's Gifts"

**Key verse**: <sup>29</sup> For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing even what they have will be taken away.

### **Responding and Sending**

Song of Response Sharing and Prayer Closing Song Benediction

\*Place offerings in the box marked Witmer Heights at rear of sanctuary

# **Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude:** Donovan Stoltzfus **Song Leader:** Dean Mast **Worship Leader:** Neil Reinford **Children's Time:** Sophia Zook

**Preaches –** Steve Musselman **Greeters:** Esther Mast and Gladys Landis

# Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Today – Church Retreat Registration Form due to Sophia Zook

Sept. 7 – Prayer meeting in church fellowship hall – 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Sept. 15 – Elder Team meeting – 6:30 pm.

Sept. 18 – Workday at Muensterman's house on Millstream Road.

Sept. 24-26 – Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley. Oct. 18 – Volunteer Day at MCC Resource Center.