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WITMER HEIGHTS
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December 5, 2021

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader –Mike Hurst
Song Leader – Bobbi Caley
Message –Chuck Snyder
Interpreter – Nancy Snyder
Greeter/Usher –Mike and Gwen Hurst

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Dec. 5, 19 – S.S. hour at 10:45 am.
Dec. 5 – First Deaf, Inc. business meeting at noon after WH worship.
Dec. 12 – Combined Christmas service with Witmer Heights at 10:00 a.m.
(No breakfast this year.)
Dec. 15 – Bible study on zoom at 7:00 pm. Zoom will open at 6:30.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WITMER HEIGHTS

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Today – First Deaf, Inc. business meeting at noon after WH worship.
Dec. 7 – Prayer meeting in church fellowship hall – 8:30-9:30 am.
Dec. 8 – Elder Team meeting at church – 6:30 pm.
Dec. 12 – Combined Christmas service with First Deaf. (No breakfast this year.)
Dec. 19 – Jr. Youth will meet. Details later.
Jan. 7-9 – Jr. Youth Retreat at Camp Hebron.

-See other **important announcements** and prayer requests in Menno Bulletin.

GOOD NEWS - Report from Daniel Zook: Praise God that temporary and permanent housing for the refugee family has been finalized! CWS is hoping to have them in their permanent housing by January.

OFFERINGS AND ATTENDANCE – November 28

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$1,305.00
Witmer Heights \$1,216.00
Jr. Youth Fundraiser 907.40

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf –18
Witmer Heights – 68

December 5, 2021

Witmer Heights Worship - 10:45 a.m.

Advent Theme: Dare to Imagine! God's Embrace
Focus Statement: Imagine the wideness of God's embrace of all creatures and creation! It will widen our hearts to do the things that make for peace.

Gathering

Prelude
Welcome/Announcements/Call to Worship
Confession and Assurance
Candle lighting
Theme Song: "He Came Down" #31 STJ

Praising and Hearing

Singing together
Children's Time
Scripture – Luke 3:1-6 and Philippians 1:3-11
Sermon – "Dare to Imagine: God's Embrace"

Responding and Sending

Response song
Blessing our Offerings*
Sharing/Prayer
Sending Song
Benediction

*Put offerings in box on table at rear of sanctuary

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Song Leader: Praise and Worship Team
Worship Leader: Anna Kauffman **Children's Time:** Eileen Ranck
Preacher: Steve Musselman
Greeters: John and Mim Buckwalter