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January 29, 2023

**First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.**

**Worship Leader** – Nelson Gehman  
**Song Leader** – Phyllis Gehman  
**Message** – Chuck Snyder  
**Interpreter** – Nancy Snyder  
**Greeter/Usher** – Mike Hurst

**First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar**

Jan. 29 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share during FD worship.  
Jan. 29 – Sunday school hour at 10:45 am.  
Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22 – Bible study on Zoom at 7 pm. (Open 6:30) Get link from Henry D.  
Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share during FD worship.  
Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26 – S.S. hour at 10:45 am.  
Feb. 5 – Fellowship meal at noon (details later.)  
Feb. 9 – First Deaf Leadership Team meeting at church 4:30 pm.  
(Pizza will be provided. Bring own drink.)  
Feb. 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.

**WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS**

~**NOTICE:** It is time to update the Church Directory. If you have any changes to your information PLEASE notify me no later than January 31. New Directory will be available and emailed to you by February 5. If you wish to have a hard copy please let me know Thank you. ~Esther Mast [mennobulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mennobulletin@gmail.com).

**Today, January 29,** is covenant renewal Sunday when individuals will have the opportunity to reaffirm their commitment to the people and ministry that God has formed together at Witmer Heights.

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – January 22**

**Offerings/General Fund**

First Deaf \$ 855.00  
Witmer Heights \$3,281.00

**Attendance/Worship**

First Deaf – 29  
Witmer Heights - 60

January 29, 2023

**Witmer Heights Worship – 10:40 a.m.**

**We Gather to Worship**

Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements  
Light the Peace Lamp  
Chimes and Silence  
Call to Worship  
Singing together

**We Listen for God’s Voice**

Offering Blessing\*  
Scripture: Psalm 146:5-10, Colossians 3:12-17  
Congregational Sharing

**We Respond to God**

Covenant signing  
Responsive Reading  
Song of Response

**God Sends Us Out**

Sending Song  
Benediction

\*Place offerings in box on table in back of sanctuary.

**Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude:** Tricia Stoltzfus **Song Leaders:** Tricia Stoltzfus and Sophia Zook  
**Worship Leader:** Merle Reinford **Preacher:** Worship Team  
**Greeters:** Chris and Rose Kennel

**Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar**

Today – Covenant renewal Sunday.  
January 31 – Prayer meeting in church fellowship hall – 8:30-9:30 am.  
February 12 – Fellowship meal. Bring hot and cold dishes of food to share.  
February 19 – Children’s Bible memory Sunday.  
February 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.  
April 3 – Volunteer workday at the MCC Material Resource Cntr – 9:00 – 3:00.  
Sept. 22, 23, 24 – Mark your 2023 calendar for the annual Church Retreat.