

FIRST DEAF
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WITMER HEIGHTS
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February 19, 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

Feb 19, 26 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share during FD worship.
Feb. 19, 26 – S.S. hour at 10:45 am.
Feb. 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.
Feb. 22 – Bible study on Zoom at 7 pm. (Open 6:30) Get link from Henry D.
March 1,8,15,22,29 – Bible study on Zoom at 7 pm. (open 6:30). See Henry for link.
March 5,12,19,26 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share during FD worship.
March 5,12,19,26 – S.S. class at 10:45 am.
March 5 – Fellowship meal at noon.for potato & salad bar. (See Phyllis to sign up.)
March 17 – Deaf Game Night at church 6:00-9:30 pm. Bring green food item to share.
March 30 – First Deaf Leadership meeting at church – 4:15 pm.

WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS

-**If you were not present** to sign our covenant on January 29, it is still available on the library desk for you to sign.

-**On Ash Wednesday, February 22**, here at Witmer Heights there will be a “drop-in” time of worship from 7-8 pm with reflective music, scriptures, and prayers in preparation for the Lenten season.

-**My Coins Count collection begins this Sunday** for MCC education projects! We will have collection jugs through March 26. If you would like to match a single Sunday or the total, sign-up sheet is at church on the offering table, or email Sophia Zook-- sophia.m.mast@gmail.com. Parents, mark your calendar for March 26, when children are invited to stay after church to help count coins!

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – February 12

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$ 920.00
Witmer Heights \$3,876.00

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf - 21
Witmer Heights - 75

February 19, 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

Children’s Time
Blessing Offering*
Scripture: Matthew 17:1-9
Sermon: “Formed by Scripture”

We Respond to God

Song of Response
Sharing and Prayer

God Sends Us Out

Closing Song
Benediction

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

Worship Service Participants

Prelude: Gladys Landis **Song Leaders:** Tricia Stoltzfus and Sophia Zook
Worship Leader: Jan Mast **Children’s Time:** Sophia Zook
Preacher: Steve Musselman
Greeters: Velma Magill and Gladys Landis

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

February 21 – Prayer meeting at church in room next to the office. – 8:30-9:30
February 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.
February 22 – Ash Wednesday “drop-in” time of worship – 7:00 - 8:00 pm.
March 12 – Fellowship meal. Bring hot and cold dishes of food to share.
April 3 – Volunteer workday at the MCC Material Resource Center – 9:00 –3:00.
April 6 – Maundy Thursday service.
Sept. 22, 23, 24 – Mark your calendar for the annual Church Retreat.