

FIRST DEAF  
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June 25, 2023

**First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.**

**Worship Leader** – Henry Deller  
**Song Leader** – Bobbi Caley  
**Message** – Steve Musselman  
**Interpreter** – TBD  
**Greeter/Usher** – Nelson Gehman

**First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar**

June 25 – Social Hour during SS hour at 10:45 am.  
June 28 – Bible study on Zoom (opens 6:30 pm. Bible study begins at 7 pm.)  
June 29 – First Deaf Leadership meeting at church at 4:30 pm.  
July 2 and 30 - Henry Deller will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.  
July 2, 16, and 30 – S.S. hour at 10:45 am.  
July 5, 12, 19, and 26 - Bible Study on Zoom (Open 6:30 pm. Study begins at 7:00)  
July 9 and 23 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.  
July 9 and 23 – Social hour during SS hour at 10:45 am.  
July 16 – Nancy Marshall will share/preach to FD congregation.

**FIRST DEAF NEWS**

~**NOTE:** Sunday sermons are uploaded to YouTube weekly. Go to the church website <https://firstdeafmc.wordpress.com/> for the link.

**WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS**

~**Summer Sunday morning schedule:**

June 25 - No Sunday school. Outdoor service at 9:30 am followed by fellowship time with donuts provided.  
July 9 - No fellowship meal.  
July 30 - No Sunday school. Outdoor service at 9:30 am, followed by potluck brunch. Bring savory and sweet or fruit. Ice cream provided.  
Aug. 13. - No fellowship meal.  
Aug. 27 - No Sunday school. Outdoor service at 9:30 am, followed by potluck brunch. Bring savory and sweet or fruit. Ice cream provided.

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – June 18**

**Offerings/General Fund**

First Deaf \$ 110.00  
Witmer Heights \$1,695.00

**Attendance/Worship**

First Deaf - 10  
Witmer Heights – 57

June 25, 2023

**Witmer Heights Worship – 9:30 a.m.**

**We Gather to Worship Outdoors**

Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Singing  
Sharing and Congregational prayer

**We Listen for God's Voice**

Children's message  
Blessing the offering\*  
Scripture – I Kings 19:1-16  
Sermon: "Encounter with God: Elijah in Discouragement"

**We Respond to God**

Singing together

**God Sends Us Out**

Benediction

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

**Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude:** Recorded music  
**Worship Leader:** Anna Kauffman  
**Song Leader:** Shelby Swartley, Cory and Becca Eavenson  
**Children's message:** Sophia Zook **Preacher:** Steve Musselman  
**Greeters:** Chris and Rose Kennel

**Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar**

June 27 - Prayer meeting at church in room next to the office. – 8:30-9:30  
July 9 – No fellowship meal.  
July 30 – No S.S.. Outdoor service at 9:30 followed by Potluck brunch.  
Sept. 22, 23, 24 – Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley Christian Retreat Center