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WITMER HEIGHTS

Pastor: Steve Musselman Church Chair: Neil Reinford E-mail: whmcpastor@gmail.com website: www.whmchurch.org

July 23, 2023

Witmer Heights Worship - 10:40 a.m.

We Gather to Worship

Prelude Welcome and Announcements Lighting Peace Lamp Chime and Silence Call to Worship Singing

We Listen for God's Voice

Blessing the Offering* Scripture – 2 Kings 4:1-7 Sermon: "God Works in Unexpected Ways"

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: Recorded Music Song Leaders: Tricia Stoltzfus & Madeline Kachel Worship Leader: Brennan Kauffman Preacher: Dale Stoltzfus Greeters: John and Mim Buckwalter

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

July 25 – Prayer meeting at church in room next to the office. – 8:30-9:30 July 30 – No S.S. Outdoor service at 9:30 followed by Potluck brunch. July 30 – Packing MCC School Kits. Sept. 22, 23, 24 – Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley Christian Retreat Center

July 23, 2023 First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

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

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

- July 23 Social hour during SS hour at 10:45 am.
- July 26 Bible Study on Zoom (Open 6:30 pm. Study begins at 7:00)
- July 30 Henry Deller will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.
- July 30 S.S. hour at 10:45 am.
- Aug. 2,9,16,23,30 Bible study on Zoom (Opens 6:30 pm. Study begins at 7:00.
- Aug. 6 Mick and Cathy Snader will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.
- Aug. 6 Fellowship meal at noon (details soon.)
- Aug. 6 and 20 S.S. hour at 10:45 am.
- Aug. 13 and 27 Social hour at 10:45 am.
- Aug. 13 Gabriel Love will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.
- Aug. 19–68th Annual Deaf Picnic at Grater Memorial Park,(Ephrata Memorial Park)
- Aug. 20 Chad Popham and Jordan will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.
- Aug. 27 Chuck Snyder will share/preach to First Deaf congregation.

WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS

~Sunday, July 30, as part of our outdooor service we will be packing MCC School Kits. The offering taken on July 16 for school kits amounted to **\$547.00.** Thanks for your generosity. (See Menno Bulletin for more details on July 30 worship time.)

~Summer Sunday morning schedule:

- 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 – July 16

Offerings/General Fund

 First Deaf
 \$1,243.00

 Witmer Heights
 \$1,850.00

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