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September 3, 2023

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader –Debra Hoffer
Song Leader – Jan Hoffer
Message – Nancy Marshall
Interpreter –TBD
Greeter/Usher –Mike Hurst

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept 3, 10, 17, and 24 - SS hour at 10:45 am.
Sept. 3 – Fellowship meal at noon. (Sign up list for Taco Salad) See Nancy M.
Sept. 6 – AED defibrillator trainint at church 7 pm.
Let Henry Deller know if interested.
Sept. 6, 13, 20, 27 – Bible Study on Zoom (Opens 6:30 pm. Study begins at 7:00).
Sept 10,17, and 24 - Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship .

FIRST DEAF NEWS

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

~Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 PM, the Sons of Norway members who meet at St. Thomas Episcopal Church will present 10 copies of *The Jøssing Affair* to members of First Deaf Mennonite Church at a dessert reception with the author speaking by Zoom. Please let Nancy Snyder know if you plan to attend.

WITMER HEIGHTS NEWS

~NOTICE: Registration forms and fee for the Church Retreat are due to Don/Judy today, September 3. The room assignment chart will be available today.

~Witmer Heights gave a total of 239 school kits toward the August challenge of 10,000 kits. Thank you for support in the project!

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – August 27

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$ 103.00
Witmer Heights \$ 966,00

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf – 20
Witmer Heights – 50

September 3, 2023

Witmer Heights Worship – 10:40 a.m.

We Gather to Worship

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Light Peace Lamp
Chime and Silence
Call to Worship
Singing Together
Blessing the Offering*

We Listen for God’s Voice

Scripture –Acts 26:2-23
“Encounter With Jesus: Paul is Brought to His Knees.”

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

Worship Service Participants

Prelude: Jan Mast **Song Leader:** Dean Mast
Worship Leader: Donna Reinford **Preacher:** Steve Musselman
Greeters: Don and Judy Stoltzfus

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept. 3 – Retreat registration forms and fee due to Don/Judy Stoltzfus today.
Sept. 5 – Prayer meeting at church in room next to the office. – 8:30-9:30
Sept. 6 – AED orientation for both First Deaf and Witmer Heights. See sign-up sheet on offering table.
Sept. 22, 23, 24 – Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley Christian Retreat Center