FIRST DEAF MENNONITE CHURCH, INC.

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WITMER HEIGHTS **Pastor: Steve Musselman** Church Chair: Ionathan Stoltzfus E-mail: whmcpastor@gmail.com website: www.whmchurch.org

October 29, 2023

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

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

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Oct. 29 – SS hour in Room 12 at 10:45 am.

FIRST DEAF

Interim Pastor: Chuck Snyder

E-mail: firstdeaf2270@gmail.com

website: www.firstdeafmc.wordpress.com

Church Chair: Henry Deller

Nov. 1,8,15,22,29 – Bible study on Zoom- 7 pm. (Will open at 6:30.)

Nov. 5,12,19,26 – Chuck Snyder will preach/share in First Deaf service.

Nov. 5,12,29,26 – S.S. in Room 12 at 10:45 am.

Nov. 5 – Fellowship meal at noon.(see Bobbi and/or Audrey what to bring?)

Nov. 17- Deaf Game Night – 5:30 pm at church (Catered Thanksgiving meal.) See Nancy Marshall for details.

Nov. 19 – First Deaf Leadershp meeting after S.S.

Nov. 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.

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

- ~Hello ministerium family: We at CVCCS are in DESPERATE need of gently used or new kids clothing donations and gently used or new kids shoes donations. Our clothing # requests have more than doubled due to an influx of large refugee families. The need is GREAT but our commnity is GREATER.
 - Girls Clothes: (all types) 24 mo.-2T, plus sizes 3,4,5,6,7,8,and 10/12.
 - Boys clothes (all types) 2T, 3T, 4T, also sizes 5,6,7.
 - Shoes: Girls and boys, all sizes.

Donations may be dropped off at our facility: 2420 Gehman Ln, Lancaster 17602 Tuesday-Thursdays anytime from 8:30 am – 3:30 pm. (no appointment necessary) Or please visit CVCCS.org. and click on our Wish Lists for food and clothing. Thank you, Rev. Jon Barrett, Executive Director.

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE - October 22

Offerings/General Fund First Deaf \$ 360.00 Witmer Heights \$3,591.00

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf – 17

Witmer Heights – 53

October 29, 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 Blessing the Offering*

We Listen for God's Voice

Scripture: Matthew 18:23-35 Sermon: "The Power of Forgiveness"

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: Recorded music Song Leader: Merle Reinford Worship Leader: Donna Reinford Preacher: John Wambura Greeters: John and Mim Buckwalter

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

October 31 – Prayer meeting at church in room next to the office. – 8:30-9:30 November 12 – Youth Group fundraiser meal instead of regular fellowship meal. Plan to support this effort.

November 21 – First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church – 6:30 pm.

December 10 – Christmas Breakfast and Program.