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**September 21, 2014**

**First Deaf Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.**

Worship Leader - Debra Hoffer  
Song Leader - Phyllis Gehman  
Message - Chuck Snyder  
Interpreter - Nancy Snyder  
Greeters/Ushers - Mike Hurst

**First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar**

Sept. 24 - Bible study at 6:30 pm (See Phyllis Gehman for location.)  
Sept. 28 - Jay Hess will preach to First Deaf congregation.  
Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - Bible study at 6:30 pm (See Phyllis Gehman for location.)  
Oct. 5 - Fellowship meal at noon (Bring hot and cold covered dishes.)  
Oct. 12 - Paul Zehr will preach to First Deaf congregation  
Oct. 19, 26 - Chuck Snyder will preach to First Deaf congregation.  
Oct. 19 - First Deaf Business meeting at church - 1:00 pm.  
Nov. 18 - First Deaf Mennonite Church Inc. Board of Directors - 6:30 pm.

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE - September 14**

**Offerings/General Fund**

First Deaf \$ 535.00  
Witmer Heights \$1,828.00  
Sunday School \$ 4.50 (Qrter Total - \$9.00)

**Attendance/Worship**

First Deaf - 30  
Witmer Heights - 64

~**This quarter's Sunday School Project** will be supporting six Karen refugee children with choir tuition for singing in The Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster. These children represent three different family units. The refugees are from Burma (Myanmar) and struggle to meet their daily needs. Extra activities require added support. The families are regular attendees at Habeckers Mennonite Church where they do receive lots of support. If wanting to contribute to this project, please mark your envelope or check memo line for the S.S. Project.

~**Submit items** for the Church Bulletin and Men no Bulletin Weekly to Esther Mast by Wednesday evening at [mennobulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mennobulletin@gmail.com) or call her at 717-394-2199.

**September 21, 2014**

**Witmer Heights Worship Service - 10:45 a.m.**

**Gathering to Worship**  
Prelude  
Call to worship and prayer  
Songs of praise

**Hearing God's Voice**

Children's time  
Colossians 3:15  
Learning to Let (Go)

**Responding**

Response Song  
Congregational sharing and prayer  
Offering/Offertory

**Sending**

Announcements  
Sending Song  
Benediction

**Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude/Offertory:** Jan Mast

**Worship Leader:** Chris Kennel **Song Leader:** Shelby Swartley

**Children's Story -** Becky Nolt **Preacher:** Randy Keener

**Offering Attendants:** Mary Zehr and friends

**Greeters:** John H. and Kathryn Landis

**Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar**

Sept. 25 - Elder Team - 7:00 pm.  
Sept. 26, 27, 28 - Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley Retreat Center.  
Oct. 5 - MYF Soup & Salad Fundraiser at Mellinger Fellowship Hall  
Oct. 5 - MYF Mentor/Mentee Kickoff at Mellinger  
Oct. 15 - Elder Team - 7:00 pm  
Oct. 20 - MCC workday at the Resource Center - 9:00 am - 3:00 pm.  
Nov. 18 - First Deaf Menn. Church Inc. Board of Directors - 6:30 pm