# Menno Bulletin Weekly Bulletin Announcements for October 5, 2014

## Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Oct. 5 – MYF Soup & Salad Fundraiser at Mellinger

Oct. 5 – MYF Mentor/Mentee Kickoff at Mellinger

Oct. 8 – Family Night – Opening night – Meal at 6:00 pm

Oct. 15 – Elder Team – 7:00 pm.

Oct. 19 – Licensing and Installation of Randy Keener as Pastor

Oct. 19 – Fellowship meal at noon – Bring hot and cold dishes of food to share

Oct. 20 - MCC workday at the Resource Center -9:00 am -3:00 pm.

Oct. 22 – Family Night – Choosing Righteousness – group game

Oct. 29 – Worship Team – 7:00 pm.

Nov. 11 – Elder Team – 7:00 pm.

Nov. 12 – Worship Team – 7:00 pm.

Nov. 18 – First Deaf Mennonite Church, Inc. Board of Director's – 6:30 pm.

Sunday, October 5 Sunday, October 12

Message Randy Keener Randy Keener

**Greeters** Chris and Rose Kennel Karen Diffenbach and Wes Newswanger

~Email address for Randy Keener's pastoral work is: whmcpastor@gmail.com

- **~Family Night at Witmer Heights Mennonite Church** will have opening night on **Wednesday, October 8.** A meal will be served at 6:00 pm and the Family Night activities will be introduced. Call 396-0806 or email <a href="mailto:shelbyswar@verizon.net">shelbyswar@verizon.net</a> by October 5 and let Shelby Swartley know how many from your family plan to attend. If you did not receive a schedule and would like one, contact Shelby.
- **~Opportunity to support Family Night.** The Family Night group so much appreciated your help with meals and snacks last year! We invite you to join with us (again or for the first time) in sharing snacks and/or meals with the family night children and families. You are also welcome to spend the night with the children on the night you volunteer to bring food. Tricia and Shelby will provide the meal for our opening night on October 8. **Please see Shelby** about the sign up sheet showing dates where help is needed. Thanks.
- **~Anyone who would like a copy** of the game "How Well Do You Know Witmer Heights" that was played at Retreat, can request a copy from Lorrie Stoltzfus if you did not receive it by email.
- ~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 Habecker 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.
- **~This fall, the Adult Sunday school class is** reading and discussing the book, "*Sexuality: God's Gift.*" The class discussion will be facilitated by a variety of instructors. Hopefully you can prepare for the discussion by reading the book through Chapter 6 before Oct. 5. **Neil Reinford will lead the discussion on Oct. 5 on "The Gift of Singleness."** A schedule of dates, chapters and facilitators is available.
- ~One of The Parent & Preschool Center's creative fundraisers is Giant A+ School Rewards which earns CASH just from you shopping there and having them click on your bonus card. Watch for an insert in your bulletin this Sunday with simple instructions for signing up. If you have questions or need help, see Esther Mast. If you registered last year, you do not need to register again. Last year the Preschool Center received almost \$700 from this program.

#### NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

- ~Registration for Mennonite Church USA Convention opened January 15, 2014. If you plan to attend, go to <a href="http://convention.mennoniteusa.org/convention-411/">http://convention.mennoniteusa.org/convention-411/</a> and click on links for information about all aspects of KC2014 to be held June 30 to July 5, 2015, in Kansas City MO.
- ~Registration for Mennonite World Conference's Assembly, "Pennsylvania 2015," is now open. Go to <a href="https://www.mwc-cmm.org/pa2015registration">www.mwc-cmm.org/pa2015registration</a> to learn more and to register for this global gathering of worship and fellowship, to be held July 21-26, 2014, in Harrisburg, PA. This is a once-in-a-generation event!
- ~There are many events being promoted by Lancaster Conference that can be seen on their website instead of taking space in Menno Bulletin. Check weekly for any new events or updates at this link <a href="http://www.lancasterconference.org/events/calendar.php">http://www.lancasterconference.org/events/calendar.php</a>. Updated October 1.

#### **MUSIC EVENT**

## ~Lancaster Mennonite School and Hesston College to present musical documentary performance

Internationally acclaimed baritone Anthony Brown will present "I Go On Singing," an original tribute to the African American performer and civil rights activist Paul Robeson, at **7 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 18**, in the Fine Arts Center on the Lancaster Campus of Lancaster Mennonite School, 2176 Lincoln Highway, Lancaster.

Jointly sponsored and presented by Lancaster Mennonite School and Hesston (Kan.) College, Brown's tribute to Robeson is a 90-minute song-filled, multi-media presentation that reveals him as a towering figure in 20th century American history. **This is a highly significant event for Central Pennsylvania.** 

Tickets are \$15 for adults, and free for high school students and younger. Tickets can be reserved in advance by calling Lancaster Mennonite School at (717) 509-4459, ext. 703. Go to <a href="www.igoonsinging.com">www.igoonsinging.com</a> for more information about the performance.

### **VOLUNTEER AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

- **~VOLUNTEER The 1719 Hans Herr House and Museum**, located in Willow Street, needs volunteer tour guides and help in the gift shop. We are looking for help on weekdays and Saturdays. Please call 717-464-4438 to sign up to volunteer!
- ~JOB Plant (Facilities) Manager Wanted for Lancaster Mennonite School. This is a leadership and supervisory position (full-time, 12-month salaried with full benefits) that directs and manages all phases of maintenance to ensure safe and efficient operations for all LMS campuses. Position opens December 15, 2014. Persons of underrepresented racial/ethnic groups are encouraged to apply. For more information, contact Marlin Groff at groffmg@lancastermennonite.org or call (717) 509-4459, ext. 303.
- **~HOSTING Do you have space to host an international student this spring?** Lancaster Mennonite School is expecting several new international students for second semester. We can help match you with local agencies that provide support for host parents. If you have interest in serving as a host parent, please contact Christy Horst at 717-509-4459, ext. 312, or <a href="horstcl@lancastermennonite.org">horstcl@lancastermennonite.org</a>.
- **~Faith-Based Non-Profit Job Fair** On October 24th from 10am-2pm, various local faith-based non-profits will be joining together for the first "Deeper Meaning Job & Volunteer Fair" on the Campus of Lancaster Bible College in Lancaster (901 Eden Rd, Teague Learning Commons 4th Floor). This event is free and open to the public.