FIRST DEAF MENNONITE CHURCH, INC

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November 15, 2015

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

Worship Leader - Mike Hurst Song Leader - Bobbi Caley Message - Chuck Snyder Interpreter - Nancy Snyder Greeter/Usher - Melvin King

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

FIRST DEAF

Interim Pastor: Chuck Snyder

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Church Chair: Debra Hoffer

Nov. 17 - First Deaf Inc. Board meeting at church - 6:30 pm.

Nov. 18 - Bible study at Elizabeth Rohrer's apt. 6:30 pm.

Nov. 22 - Several women will share about Deaf Women's Retreat in WVA.

Nov. 29 - Congregation will share what they are thankful for (God stories, verses. songs) Also special guest speaker, Shabani Mshana, from Tanzania.*

Dec. 6 - First Deaf Inc. Business meeting at 1:00 pm.

Dec. 13 - First Deaf in charge of Christmas program - WH, the breakfast.

*Note: Shabani Mshana is with the MCC-IVEP - International Volunteer Exchange Program. He will share testimony and/or experience as Albino African.

~First Deaf & Witmer Heights are invited to the fundraiser Amish meal at Stumptown at noon today. Please sign on the sign-up sheet or tell Dean Mast if you plan to go. He must know no later than 10:30.

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE - November 8

Offerings/General Fun	<u>.d</u>	Attendance/Worship
First Deaf	\$ 667.00	First Deaf - 30
Witmer Heights	\$2,002.00	Witmer Heights - 78
Sunday School Project	\$ 207.50* (Total - \$362.23)	

*A new S.S. project began Oct 4. The project will raise money for North Star Initiative. North Star Initiative is a nonprofit organization working to help women in Lancaster who have been or are in the sex-trafficking industry. The nonprofit is raising money for a group home called "The Harbor" where women who have been in the trafficking world can receive healing, therapy, and a safe place to live. (More details in Menno Bulletin Weekly). Mark your check or envelope - S.S. Project.

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Wit mer Heights Worship Service - 10:40 a.m.

Gathering/Praising

Prelude Call to worship and prayer Singing together

Hearing God s Voice

Children s time Scripture: Mark 13:1-8 Sermon: The Beginning of the End

Response

Response song Sharing and Prayer Offering/Offertory

Sending

Announcements Sending song Benediction .

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Offertory: Abigale Diffenbach and Tricia Stoltzfus **Song Leader:** Shelby Swartley **Children s time** - Eileen Ranck Worship Leader: Velma Magill Preacher: Randy Keener Offering Attendants: Paul & Mary Zehr Greeters: Jim & Phyllis Oswald

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Nov. 17 - First Deaf Inc. Board meeting - 6:30 pm.

Nov. 19 - Elder meeting - 6:00 pm.

Nov. 25- MYF Thanksgiving Eve. service at Mellinger 7-8 pm. All welcome.

Nov. 29 - Hymn sing at Stumptown Mennonite Church - 7:00 pm

Dec. 2 - Witmer Heights Community Night -all ages - 6:15 pm. meal

Dec. 6 - First Deaf, Inc. business meeting 1:00 pm. Dec. 13 - Christmas Breakfast (WH) and Program (FD)