

FIRST DEAF  
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**July 15, 2018**

**First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.**

**Worship Leader** – Mike Hurst  
**Song Leader** – Jan Hoffer  
**Special Song** – Jeff Hoffer  
**Message** – Joe Miller  
**Interpreter** – Rose Burkhart – FD Worship  
**Interpreter** – Laura Schupp – WH Worship  
**Greeters/Ushers** –TBA

**First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar**

July 22 – Henry Deller will share/preach during First Deaf worship.  
July 29 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship.  
July 29 – Communion at end of First Deaf worship service.  
Aug. 5, 12, 19, 26 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach during First Deaf worship.  
Aug. 18 – The 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Deaf Picnic at Ephrata Park. (Look for flyers soon.)  
Aug. 26 – WH children’s Bible memory  
Sept. 9 –Evening fellowship and worship for all District churches will be held at Lancaster County Community Park. More information later.

**FIRST DEAF NEWS**

~On the following dates there will be no S.S for FD. We will have social hour instead. July 22 August 5 and 19

~Note - Add to First Deaf church directory – Louise Fabbio 752 Sherry Lane, Lancaster, PA. 17601 Vp: 636-487-0051

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – July 8**

**Offerings/General Fund**

First Deaf \$ 337.00  
Witmer Heights \$2,776.00  
S.S. Offering \$ 9.00

**Attendance/Worship**

First Deaf - 16  
Witmer Heights - 80

~Submit items for the Church Bulletin and Menno Bulletin Weekly by Wed. pm. to [mennobulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mennobulletin@gmail.com) or call the editor, Esther Mast, at 717-394-2199.

**July 15, 2018**

**Witmer Heights Worship - 10:40 a.m.**

**Focus Statement:** A posture of gratitude orients us toward Jesus and the transformation he works in our lives.

**Gathering**

Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements  
Light the Peace Lamp  
Chime & Silence  
Call to Worship

**Praising**

Congregational Singing

**Hearing**

Luke 17:11-19  
“Gratitude: Giving Thanks.”

**Responding**

Song of Response  
Baby Dedication for Sky Miller  
Sharing time  
Congregational prayer  
Offering

**Sending**

Closing Song  
Benediction

**Worship Service Participants**

**Prelude/Offertory:** Tricia Stoltzfus & Family **Song Leader:** Shelby Swartley  
**Worship Leader:** Chris Kennel **Preacher:** Randy Keener  
**Offering Attendants:** Rance and Marilyn Darity  
**Greeters:** John H. and Kathryn Landis

**Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar**

July 15 – Baby Dedication for Sky Miller.  
July 22 – No Sunday school. Fellowship time for all ages during S.S. hour.  
Aug. 26 – Children’s Bible memory.  
Sept. 9 – Evening event for District churches held at Lancaster County Park.  
Sept. 21-23 – Annual WH Church Retreat at Penn Valley. (Mark your calendar!)  
Oct. 15 – Volunteer day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am. – 3:00 pm.