Menno Bulletín Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for July 15, 2018

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

July 15 – Baby Dedication for Sky Miller

July 22 – No Sunday school. Instead there will be fellowship and refreshments during S.S. hour. (Bring fruit and pastries)

Sept. 9 – Evening fellowship/worship at Lancaster County Park for all churches in the Lancaster, Lititz, Mellinger Districts.

Sept. 21-23 – Annual WH Church Retreat at Penn Valley Christian Retreat Center.

Oct. 15 – Volunteer Day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.

Nov. 3 – Women's Regional Gathering at Stumptown Mennonite Church. 9:00 – 12:00 noon.

Sunday, July 15 Sunday, July 22

Message Randy Keener Randy Keener

Greeters John H. Landis and Kathryn Landis Chris Kennel and Becky Nolt

- ~Congratulations to Cory, Becca (Swartley) and Ezra Eavenson, who welcomed Everett James into their family at 5:56 pm, July 9. He weighed 7 lb. 4 oz. and 19 ¾ in. long. We give thanks for this new life and Gods protection and health!
- ~Message from Don Ranck. Thursday morning, (July 12) at 8:20 I got to "ring the bell" celebrating the last of 44 radiation treatments at Ann Barshinger Cancer Center. I thank everyone who supported me through this journey. This week I also received the Everence matching grant to the very generous Witmer Heights/First Deaf contributions to help deal with the barn fire of April 11. The total more than tripled the Everence match! Some also contributed on-line to Heather Ranck's appeal following the fire. The barn is now being rebuilt, and we thank all those who are helping us in that huge project. We are blessed beyond words.
- **~School kits for MCC**: You will find the list of supplies in your mailboxes. Please note there are two additional items this year: 2 ballpoint pens and 1 metal pencil sharpener. You can pick up the bags from the bench in back of the sanctuary. Filled bags will be taken to MCC sometime in early September. See Ruth Ann Reinford if you have questions.
- ~The Sunday School Meditations 60th Anniversary Celebration and picnic will take place July 21 at 5:30 pm. at New Covenant Mennonite Fellowship, 529 E. Farmersville Rd, New Holland. The event is free but seating limited, so make reservations now by calling 717-492-4391, 717-569-3008, or email information@ssmed.org.
- ~Pastors and Christian formation teachers: Are you looking for new ways to connect the Mennonite story with the biblical narrative? Consider visiting the Mennonite Information Center for a free tour of the Biblical Tabernacle—the story of God's faithful love in action, as well as our movie "We Believe", a 17-minute presentation about Mennonite origins, faith, and relationship to the Amish. Come and discover resources for your teaching ministry, especially for membership classes. We are located by Tanger Outlet at 2209 Millstream Road, and can be reached at 717-299-0954. We are open from 9 through 5, Monday through Saturday.
- **~Volunteers Needed for Bookworm Frolic**—Looking for a fun and interesting volunteer activity for a group from your church or for yourself? The Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society is seeking assistance with its annual Bookworm Frolic from **August 15-18**. We need help with moving books in the days preceding the sale, with tasks during the sale, and with clean-up on the last day. Contact Jon Weaver-Kreider at (717) 393-9745 or <u>usedbooks@lmhs.org</u>
- ~Volunteers Needed for Voices of Conscience Exhibit—Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society is looking for volunteer docents for the exhibit "Voices of Conscience: Peace Witness in the Great War," hosted at Landis Homes August 19 to September 26, from 2 to 7 p.m. on weekends and 5 to 7 p.m. on weekdays. Docents would need to monitor the exhibit and answer simple questions based on material provided. Volunteers can sign up for as little as one day. For more information or to sign up, contact Deb Laws-Landis at (717 381-3550.
- **~Lancaster Mennonite School has several positions** open for the 2018-19 school year, such as Accounting Officer, Director of Marketing and Communication, Director of Annual Giving and Alumni Relations, Event Liaison, Spanish Immersion Teacher and others. See the LM website for a full listing and more information about each position: www.lancastermennonite.org/employment.

Persons of underrepresented racial/ethnic groups are encouraged to apply. Interested persons should download an application, then send the completed application and resume to Lorri Hengst at hengstlk@lancastermennonite.org.