

Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for June 16, 2019

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

June 22 – 6:00 pm. Box Social at Intercourse Community Park. (Details below)

June 30 – No Sunday school. Fellowship hour from 9:30-10:30 am.

July 7 – EMM Commissioning service at Black Rock.- 6:30 -8:30 pm. – Speakers: Jimm & Kaylene Dirksen

July 13 – EMM Global Fair at Hans Herr House - 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.

July 14 – Fellowship meal at noon.

Sept. 20, 21, 22 – Church Retreat at Penn Valley Retreat Center

Oct. 21 – WH Volunteer day at MCC Material Resource Center – 9-3:00.

	<u>Sunday, June 16</u>	<u>Sunday, June 23</u>
Message	Mia Swartley	Michael Howes
Greeters	Chris Kennel and Mary Zehr	Wes Newswanger and Mim Eberly

~**June 22 – 6:00 pm. Box Social.** If you signed up to participate in this interactive meal and evening of socializing at Intercourse Community Park, refer to the original handout for instructions concerning the boxed meal you are to bring (one per person in your household who signed up to participate.) If you have questions, contact Jan Mast, Care Team Leader.

~**Congratulations to Kristin Schneck and Todd Stoltzfus** who were married May 15 in a simple ceremony. A larger celebration will be held in August. Change your Church Directory information to:

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~**PLEASE NOTE: At the June 2 congregational meeting** there was unanimous affirmation given for the persons who agreed to serve congregational life beginning September, 2019. (Refer to the paper you received in your mailbox and keep these persons in your prayers.) The following updates were also shared:

- Beginning this fall there will be monthly Sunday fellowship meals. No Wednesday eve. Community Nights.
- Junior youth will gather monthly on a Sunday eve. as an in-house youth group as they move to the H.S. years.
- Students who are in H.S. this fall will continue with the youth groups with whom they have developed relationships; but will also meet 4 times a year as WH youth.
- Care Team will continue to organize some community building events.
- Everyone will be invited 4-5 times a year for an informal gathering at a designated location.

~**New and reappointed mission workers** will receive EMM's send-off and blessing while surrounded by family, friends, and the broader community at the Oakwood Chapel at Black Rock Retreat. The celebration, July 7, 6:30-8:30, features worship, guest speakers, and a time to introduce and pray for each worker or family preparing to be sent. Jim and Kaylene Derksen, who have served with EMM for the majority of their adult lives, will be the featured speakers. They will be sharing on the theme, "Walking the path together," based on Proverbs 4:18. "The path of the righteous is like the morning sun, shining ever brighter till the full light of day." After the service, workers and guests will have time to enjoy fellowship and ice cream. Join us for this special time.

~**Volunteers needed**—Are you looking for a fun summer volunteer activity for your small group, youth group, or family? The Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society is in need of groups and individuals to help on Tuesday, August 13, with displaying books for its annual Bookworm Frolic which begins the following day. We also need help with clean up on Saturday, August 17. Contact Jon Weaver-Kreider at usedbooks@lmhs.org

~**Music in the Orchard**—Outdoor summer concerts continue at the 1719 Herr House & Museum at 6 p.m. on June 28 with an acoustic performance by singer-songwriter Dennison Witmer. Matt Wheeler will open. Tickets cost \$8, complimentary for children under 12. Concerts continue rain or shine every other Saturday through August 3.