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August 25, 2019

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader – Nelson Gehman
Song Leader – Debra Hoffer
Message – Chuck Snyder
Interpreter – Nancy Snyder
Greeter/Usher – Mike Hurst

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept. 1 - After SS Hour, will go to Funck's for fellowship meal. (RSVP to Veturia)
Sept. 8 – 2nd Annual 3-District Fall Picnic for Lancaster/Lititz/Mellinger Districts.
Sept. 20 - Deaf Game Night at church 5:30 pm - 10:30 pm (bring finger foods)
Sept. 23 – First Deaf Leadership meeting at the church. 4:15 pm.
Oct. 6 – World Communion Sunday. Combined service with Witmer Heights.
Nov. 1-2 – Save this date for workshop by Deaf Bible Society. (Details later)

First Deaf Summer Sunday school hour schedule:

Sunday school – August 25

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – August 18

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$ 615.00
Witmer Heights \$2,377.10
S.S. Offering* \$ 31.01

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf - 30
Witmer Heights - 73

***REMINDER.** – This year the Sunday school offerings are going toward raising money for a scholarship for the theological college in Nyabange, Tanzania. (The church and college station are called Bukiroba, which is within the village of Nyabange.) One year of school costs \$600. This education will equip someone to pastor a church. (To date \$615.93 has been given. Can we aim for two?) If adults wish to contribute, along with the children, mark your check or envelope “S.S. offering for theological college” and put it in the church offering basket.

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Witmer Heights Worship - 10:40 a.m.

We Gather to Worship

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

We Listen for God’s Voice

Scripture – Ruth 3
“Gleanings from Ruth: Daring to Act”

We Respond to God

Song of Response
Sharing time and Prayer
Offering/Offertory

God Sends Us Out

Closing song
Benediction

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Offertory: Alana Stoltzfus and Sophia Zook
Worship Leader: Sophia Zook **Song Leader:** Dean Mast
Preacher: Randy Keener
Offering Attendants: Clair and Anna Kauffman Family
Greeters: Jim and Phyllis Oswald

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept. 8 – 2nd Annual 3-District Fall Picnic. (Details in your mailbox)
Sept. 20, 21, 22 – Annual Church Retreat at Penn Valley.
Sept. 29 – Fundraiser meal at Stumptown for Jon/Tricia Stoltzfus family.
Oct. 6 – World Communion Sunday. Combined service with First Deaf.
Oct. 13 – Fellowship meal at noon.
Oct. 21 – WH Volunteer day at MCC Material Resource Center – 9-3:00.