

FIRST DEAF
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WITMER HEIGHTS
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September 1, 2019
First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader –Mike Hurst
Song Leader – Henry Deller
Message – Chuck Snyder
Interpreter – Nancy Snyder
Greeters/Ushers – Veturia Osvath and Viorica Morgovan

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

Sept. 1 - After SS Hour, will go to Funck's for fellowship meal. (RSVP to Veturia)
Sept. 4 – Bible study at Elizabeth Rohrer's apartment – 6:00 pm.
Sept. 8 – Either Nancy Marshall or Henry Deller will share/preach to FD cong.
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)

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OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – August 25

<u>Offerings/General Fund</u>		<u>Attendance/Worship</u>
First Deaf	\$ 325.00	First Deaf - 22
Witmer Heights	\$2,418.75	Witmer Heights - 81
S.S. Offering*	\$ 12.00	
* Plus flower pot project	\$ 108.00	

NOTICE – The Sunday school offerings for 2019-20 will continue going toward raising money for scholarships 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. **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.**

September 1, 2019
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 4
“Gleanings from Ruth: Redemption Through Generosity”

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: Gladys Landis
Worship Leader: Shelby Swartley **Song Leader:** Steve Stoltzfus
Preacher: Randy Keener
Offering Attendants: Merle and Ruth Ann Reinford
Greeters: Wes Newswanger and Esther Mast

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.
Nov. 9 – Guess Who's Coming to Dinner event. (Info. in mailboxes)
Nov. 10 – Fellowship meal at noon.