

Menno Bulletin Weekly

Bulletin Announcements for December 1, 2019

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

- Dec. 1 – First Deaf Inc. Budget Business meeting right after WH worship – 11:30 am.
Dec. 1 – First Deaf will practice their program after lunch in the sanctuary.
Dec. 8 – Christmas Breakfast in charge of Witmer Heights. **8:00*** Christmas Program in charge of First Deaf **9:30***
Dec. 11 – Witmer Heights Sister Care Tea – 6:15 pm. in church fellowship hall.
Dec. 29 – Advent Giving items for CVCCS items are due at church on this date.
Dec. 29 – Community Hymn Sing at Stumptown Mennonite Church – 7:00 pm.

Sunday, December 1

Message Randy Keener
Greeter Karen and Abe Diffenbach

Sunday, December 8

Christmas Program – in charge of First Deaf
John and Kathryn Landis

~**Advent Giving for CVCCS** – Beginning today (Dec. 1), and each day in December (up until Dec. 24) put an item into a basket, box, bag, or whatever container you would like. In addition to food items, paper supplies, bars of soap, dish detergent, etc. are also welcome. Bring your donations to church on December 29 and they will be taken to CVCCS later that week.

~**A sign-up sheet for food for the December 8 Christmas breakfast** is on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Please sign up for two items. (Or a double amount of one item.) Bring food no later than 7:45 so the meal can begin promptly at 8:00.

~**Ladies, reserve the date**, Wednesday, December 11, 6:15 pm. for the annual Sister Care Tea in the Fellowship Hall at church. All women are welcome, regardless of participation in a 2019 Sister Care Group. Please bring a finger food to share.

~**Mennonite Children's Choir Christmas Concert Series** (Joined by Guest Artist Sherrie Strange-Pratt, NYC Soprano)
Thursday, December 5 – 7:00 pm. – St. Peter Lutheran Church, Lancaster.
Saturday, December 7 – 4:00 pm. – Forest Hills Mennonite Church, Leola.
Sunday, December 8 – 4:00 pm. – Highland Presbyterian Church, Lancaster.

~**College Students Encouragement Link for December.** Kindly send a note of encouragement to these college students during the month of December:

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CVCCS ANNOUNCEMENTS....

~**ADVENT GIVING** (See note above.)

~**WEEKEND BLESSINGS** is for local children who face food insecurity. For the items needed, check the paper that was put in your mailbox. (Or see copy posted above the donation box in East hallway.) The need is still great. Consider being a blessing! In addition... **CHRISTMAS EXTRAS** are being collected for the "Weekend Blessings" bags. We will be collecting FUZZY SOCKS. Please bring them to church by December 8.

~**December 3 – Connections. 9:00-11:10 in Mellinger Fellowship Hall.** Activity: "Family Sign Workshop." Local artist, Aimee Weaver, will help you create a beautiful family sign in this workshop. Use it in your home or as a gift for a friend!

~**The Parent & Preschool Center is happy to announce** that we are selling Highland Car Wash tickets just in time for the winter season! Stock up on car wash tickets for yourself and don't forget to purchase some for stocking stuffers and holiday gifts. Car wash tickets are great gifts for neighbors, employees, family, friends, and teachers. Make sure to see your church Preschool rep. (Velma Magill) to order your tickets or contact the preschool at 717 397 5717. **Tickets will be on sale through December 10 and will be available for pick up at church on December 15.** Thank you for supporting this ministry!