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FIRST DEAF MENNONITE CHURCH, INC.
WITMER HEIGHTS
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March 1, 2020

First Deaf Worship – 9:30 a.m.

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

First Deaf Church Life Activities Calendar

March 1 – Fellowship meal at noon. Bring hot & cold covered dishes. Meat provided.
March 4 – Bible study at Elizabeth’s apt. – 6:00 pm.
March 6-8 – MADMR weekend. (If interested, see Mike Hurst for flyer.)
March 8, 15, 29 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach in First Deaf worship.
March 18 – Bible study at Elizabeth’s apt. – 6:00 pm. (Weather permitting.)
March 20 – Deaf Game Night at church – 5:30 –10:30 pm.
March 22 – Henry Deller will preach/share in First Deaf worship.
March 29 – Church family meeting during Sunday school hour.
April 5 – Chuck Snyder will share/preach in First Deaf worship.*
* (Communion at end of worship. Feet washing during the S.S. hour.)

FIRST DEAF NEWS

~**May 3** – First Deaf will have a 75th Church Anniversary during 10:30 am worship followed by a fellowship meal. Witmer Heights congregation is invited to join First Deaf in this 75th celebration during worship and meal. Flyer with details coming later.

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE – February 23

Offerings/General Fund

First Deaf \$ 355.00
Witmer Heights \$3,361.00
S.S. Offering \$ 5.50
My Coins Count \$ 52.57 (matched = \$105.14)
Grand total to date \$ 889.34

Attendance/Worship

First Deaf - 21
Witmer Heights – 76

March 1, 2020

Witmer Heights Worship –10:40 a.m.

Lenten Theme: Show Us

Focus statement: God’s boundaries are wise and protective. When we push through them, surrendering to temptation, our vulnerabilities are exposed. Show us, Jesus, through fasting and Scripture how we can grow stronger through temptation and remain true to the calling of God in our lives.

Gathering/Praising

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Light the Peace Lamp
Mission Trip Sharing
Chimes & Silence
Call to Worship
Singing together
Confession and Words of Assurance

Hearing

Children’s Time
Offering/My Coins Count
Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11
Sermon: “Show us Your Hiding Place in the Thick of Temptation”

Responding and Sending

Ritual of Response
Sending Song
Benediction

Worship Service Participants

Prelude/Offertory: Tricia Stoltzfus and Family **Song Leader:** Dean Mast
Missions Trip Sharing: Jon/Tricia & Family **Children’s Time:** Jan Mast
Worship Leader: Shelby Swartley **Preacher:** Randy Keener
Offering Attendants: Don and Judy Stoltzfus
Greeters: Esther Mast and Mary Zehr

Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

March 15 – Bishop Rodney Martin will preach at Witmer Heights on this date.
April 6 – Volunteer at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.
April 9 – Maundy Thursday meal and service – 6:30-8:00 pm.
April 12 – Easter Sunrise service and breakfast (more details to come.)
April 12 – Easter worship service and baptisms.