

***** Last Week's Stats *****

Attendance	Offering	
First Service – 89	General Offering	\$ 5,594.00
Second Service – ?	Building Fund	\$ 400.00
	Total	\$ 5,994.00

***** This Week At Finland *****

Monday	7:00 pm	Congregational Meeting
Monday	8:15 pm	WSPC Meeting (after Cong. Mtg.)
Tuesday	7:15 pm	Joy's Worship Team practice
Wednesday	7:15 pm	Youth Hang-out
Friday	evening	Youth to Dorney Park

***** Coming Events *****

Sept. 28	11:00 am (2 nd service)	Baptism/reception of new members
Sept. 28	4:00-6:30 pm	Jr. High hot dog roast at Jeff-Jina's
Oct. 11	7:00 pm	Game night here at the church
Nov. 8	6:30-10 pm	Volleyball for all at Penn View

***** Volunteer Schedule *****

Greeters:	Today	Nell Hecker & DJ Swartley (1 st service)
		Monica & Veronica Janton (2 nd service)
	Next Week	John & Betty Drescher (1 st service)
		John & Sue Rice (2 nd service)
Nursery:	Today	Betty Drescher (1 st service)
		Veronica Janton (2 nd service)
	Next Week	Karen Kratz (1 st service)
		Jina & Laura Reinford (2 nd service)
Ushers:	September	Jeff Reinford (1 st service)
		Mary Snyder (2 nd service)
Closing church building	September	– Jim & Lynn Swartley

***** Announcements *****

“Discerning Our Gifts” form must be returned TODAY. Please place your form in the box on the table at the rear of the sanctuary. There are some extra copies available (green paper) right beside the box in case you’ve forgotten to bring yours along. All teens and adults who attend Finland, whether you are a member or not, are invited to fill out this form.

Pictorial Directory: It’s been a number of years since we’ve made a pictorial directory at Finland, so we are really looking forward to having one done in the near future. Lisa Landis will begin taking pictures next Sunday, Sept. 28 through Saturday, Oct. 4th. If you haven’t already heard from Kathy Mease, she will be calling to schedule an appointment time for you. We would like to have everyone’s picture in the directory!

Finland Mennonite Church

Looking up, Moving forward, Reaching out

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Pastor Robert Nolt

Pastor’s email: pastorbobnolt@comcast.net

Pastor’s office hours this week: Tues. & Thurs. 8:30-12:00, Wed. 1:00-3:30

Church office – 215-679-8980

Church email: finlandmennonitechurch@comcast.net

Elders – Stacey Kolb 215-541-0392, Larry Good 215-721-1229

Greg Ingram 215-529-9852, Alan Kratz 215-679-3311

Visitation & Care Team – Marvin & Rachel Reinford 215-679-8598

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Pre-service Prayer Meeting 8:10 - 8:20 am

First service 8:30 am – Second service 11:00 am

Sunday School 9:45 to 10:30 am

Praise, Worship & Welcome

(If you need to sit down at any time during the singing, please feel free to do so.)

Second Service Offering Offertory – Lisa Landis

Message – “A Jealous God” Exodus 20:2-6 Pastor Bob

First Service Offering Offertory – Lisa Landis

Kid’s Kinecton downstairs (ages 2 and up)

Sharing time Alan Kratz- Elder in charge

Please pass the attendance pads

Pastoral prayer

Closing blessing

Nursery facilities are available during Worship Service.

Announcements

Beginning today through Oct. 5th, John Drescher will teach a Sunday school class in the sanctuary on the subject of Prayer. The men’s class will not be meeting this Sunday, so men are encouraged to join the class in the sanctuary. Other adult classes will be meeting, but anyone is invited to attend the sessions on Prayer.

Tomorrow evening, Sept. 22, 7:00 pm – Come to the congregational meeting for a time of open discussion regarding the proposals shared by the Building and Finance Committees. A vote on the proposals will be taken at the end of the evening. Please be in prayer as together we seek God’s will for the future of our church.

Scripture for next Sunday: Romans 6:1-11.

To Our Guests:

We welcome you to our fellowship.

We would like to get to know you better.

Please tell us about yourself by filling out

the form below and placing it in the

offering basket.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I am attending for the first time.

I would like information about your church.

I would like a call from the Pastor.

How can we minister to you?

Worship Service Planning Committee will meet tomorrow evening following the congregational meeting.

This Tuesday evening, 7:00-8:15 pm, come to a prayer gathering at Upper Perk High School Auditorium to pray for the schools. This gathering is the night before “See You at the Pole” at 7 am.

Wednesday, October 8, 7-8:30 pm, “Fields of Faith” on the football field of Souderton High School. One Day, One Message, One Stand. Youth, bring your friends and hear students share testimonies, challenge others to read the Word, and take a stand for Christ. See pamphlet on bulletin board for more information.

Jr. High – Please note that the hot dog roast at Jeff and Jina Reinford’s has been rescheduled for next Sunday, September 28, 4:00-6:30 pm.

Next Sunday, Sept. 28, the following persons will be received as members of our congregation during the **second service**: Yvonne Drescher by confession of faith, Marty Rogers and Shannon McCool by baptism, and David and Mary Carlson by letter of transfer. Please join us for a **POTLUCK LUNCH** following the second service to celebrate the baptisms and acceptance of new members into our church family.

A Reminder: Please return church library DVD’s and books if you’ve had them out for more than 3 weeks so that others may also enjoy them.

Attention parents of Jr. & Sr. High Youth: Wed., Nov. 5th, there will be a free presentation at Franconia Mennonite Church Fellowship Hall at 7 pm by youth expert Walt Mueller. See poster on bulletin board.

Salford Mennonite Church invites you to hear Sister Helen Prejean on Saturday, October 11 at 7 pm. She is the author of Dead Man Walking and is a strong Christian advocate for alternatives to the death penalty. See poster and press release on bulletin board.

Eastern Mennonite University’s Admissions Office invites Juniors and Seniors to come see for yourself why EMU is an exceptional Christian university. Special visit dates are Oct. 24 and Nov. 21. Please call EMU at (800) 368-2665 to set up your visit or register on our website at www.emu.edu. See poster on side entrance door.

See Newsletter on bulletin board from the Krupp Family.