



Towamencin Mennonite Church

Sunday, May 3, 2009

*“Empowered by the Holy Spirit,
we are called to extend God’s healing, hope and
forgiveness to all.”*

We Gather

Gathering Songs

Loren Parmer & Worship Team

Call to Worship

Harold Mellott

We Praise God

Worship In Song

Sharing and Prayer

Children’s Time

We Learn from God

Worship In Song

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28: 18-20

Sermon: “On a Mission”

Pastor Mike

We Respond

Song of Response

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

*If you are a guest with us today, please fill out a guest card
and place it in the offering plate.*

Offertory

Jessica Leatherman

Transfer of Membership – Harold Miller

We Are Sent

Benediction

Sending Song

Child care is provided during the worship service. The nursery is located above the foyer. The Ushers/Greeters will be happy to assist you or answer any questions you may have.

Everyone is welcome to a fellowship time downstairs following the morning service. Sunday School, for all ages, will begin at 10:30 a.m. We are glad you joined us today!

Prayer Points

-Please be in prayer for those struggling with ongoing health issues. Pray especially for Russ Detweiler, Mike Bergey, Robert Freed, and Rebecca Wilson (Justin Wilson’s mother). Pray for God’s touch of healing and wholeness to come upon them in a special way.

-Pray for the yard sale that will be taking place this Saturday. Pray that this may be a good time of connecting with those in the community and that many would find this to be a very welcoming place.

-Please keep Charles Martin in your prayers as he recovers from a several day stay in the hospital this week having a pacemaker put in.

-Praise God for the safe return of Neal Frederick from his mission work in Haiti. Pray that God will continue to bring blessing into Neal’s life as the seeds he has planted in Haiti grow through God’s nourishment and that he personally would also experience steady growth in his walk with the Lord.

A note of thanks!

Lois and I would to thank you, the people of TMC for your love offering. We can feel it truly came from the heart. Words can’t express our gratitude towards you the people. We have felt your prayers, love and concerns over the last year. I guess that’s why they call it a “Love Offering.” May the Lord richly bless you! Lowell and Lois Ehst

Life With God Ministries

Listen on Sundays at 7:30 a.m. on WNPV-AM 1440

May 3 - “Spiritual Preparedness”

May 10 - “The Shunning of the Christ”

Website: www.life-with-god.org

Announcements

Today's Adult Sunday School Classes:

International Lesson	Curt Stoudt	Auditorium
"The Way of the Master"	Will Schirmer	Room # 110
New Creations	Mark Fly	Lobby
Young Adults	Pastor Mike	Room # 113

You are invited to attend the **Senior Project Expo North Montco Technical Career Center** on Tuesday, May 5. **Amber Knechel** will have her senior project on display in the Cosmetology Department. Display times are 9-11 a.m., 12-2 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.

Today, **Zion Mennonite Church** will host the **annual Couch Derby**. All are invited to watch. **Our very own youth group** will be entering their modified and decorated couch in this obstacle course race with other Franconia Conference and Eastern District youth groups. Couch showing begins at 1 p.m. and the races begin at 2 p.m. **Along with this race, the youth are collecting non-perishable food items to donate to a local food bank.**



Youth attending youth convention in Columbus **and their parents** should plan to attend an informational meeting on Sunday, May 17, immediately following Sunday School in the front of the sanctuary.

Do you enjoy greeting and meeting people? The greeter list is being scheduled for June - December 2009. If you would be willing to volunteer to come early on a Sunday morning and greet people as they come to church and **have not been** on the greeter schedule recently, let Rose Hackman or Pastor Mike know.



ATTENTION LADIES AND GIRLS:

Plan to attend our Mother/Daughter/Friend Banquet on Thursday, May 14, at 6:15 p.m. Our guest speaker will be Eva Kratz, who will be sharing about encouragement. Please register on the sign-up sheet on the mail cart by May 7th.

Last Week's Numbers

Offerings		Attendance
Budget	\$ 3,584.00	Worship 127
Sunday School	\$ 1.29	SS 95
Building Fund	\$ 179.00	
Grand Total Offerings	\$ 3,764.29	

HELP NEEDED!

Please sign up to help with the yard sale on Saturday, May 9th! We need people to help set-up at 6 a.m. and then clean-up after the sale. Also, we need parking attendants for two-hour shifts. Sign-up on the mail cart today!!! Thanks!

TODAY

Greeters: Ernie & Nancy Kolb, Renita Myers
 Nursery: Neil Bergey, Renae Knechel
 SS Nursery: Jen Vasey
 Library: Lacey Knechel
 Sound: Marlin Bergey
 Host Family: Open

THIS WEEK

Today, 2 p.m. MYF Couch Derby, couch showing at 1 p.m. at Zion MC
 Monday, 7 p.m. Elders and Deaconesses meet @ Clemmer's
 Saturday, 8 a.m.- 2 p.m. Annual Spring Yard Sale

NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters: Brian & Diane Keeler Family
 Nursery: Natasha Bergey, Natilya Parmer
 SS Nursery: Gladys Knechel
 Library: Kiersta Leatherman
 Sound: Marlin Bergey

LOOKING AHEAD

Next Sunday: "Tell Me the Story" Acts 8: 26-40 Pastor Mike
 May 12 (Tues) Sewing Circle, bring sandwiches
 May 12 (Tues) Church Council, 7 p.m.
 May 14 (Thurs) Mother/Daughter/Friend Banquet, 6:15 p.m.
 June 7 (Sun) Communion & Foot washing
 June 22-26 (Mon-Fri) Bible School, 6:15-8:45 p.m.

MYF

May 3 (Sun) Couch Derby at Zion Mennonite Church
 June 13 (Sat) Iron Pigs game, 5 p.m.
 June 30-July 4 (Tues-Sat) Youth Convention in Columbus, Ohio

JR MYF

May 17 (Sun) Iron Pigs game
 July 19 (Sun) Picnic & Creek Walk

Franconia Conference News

FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) Fundraiser Night. Enjoy a meal out while supporting a local ministry, **Monday, May 4th** from 5-8 p.m. at the Main Street Java at 117 Main Street in Souderton. 20% of all food and beverages sales will be donated to our local FCA. www.mainstjava.com

“**Meet the Peacebuilders**” and “**Three Cups of Tea**” will be held at Souderton Mennonite Church on Saturday, May 16, 7-8:30 p.m. RSVP by May 11 to myersmk@emu.edu. See flyer on bulletin board downstairs.

The **Christopher Dock Touring Choir** will perform a sacred concert on **Sunday, May 17**, at 7 p.m. at Zion Mennonite Church. A variety of music will be featured by this select choir.

Mark your calendars: **Indian Creek Foundation’s Roll & Stroll** on Saturday, June 20. For more information, check out www.rollandstroll.com.

The **Bel Canto Singers of Hesston College** under the direction of Bradley Kauffman, along with the Souderton Mennonite Church Choir, will perform a concert at Souderton Mennonite Church at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 7th.

Quakertown Christian School will host its **50th Annual Country Auction and Fair** on Friday and Saturday, May 8 and 9th. For a schedule, see www.quakertownchristian.org.

Bowling Green State University’s A Cappella Choir will be performing a variety of quality sacred, spiritual and secular works from throughout music history on Saturday, May 9 at 7:30 p.m. at Zion Mennonite Church.

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9 a.m.—1 p.m.

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That all peoples may know Him

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