



Towamencin Mennonite Church

Sunday, May 17, 2009

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

We Gather

Gathering Song

Call to Worship

Harold Mellott

We Praise God

Worship In Song

Rachael Clemmer

Sharing and Prayer

We Learn from God

Worship In Song

Scripture Reading: Acts 1: 15-17, 21-26

Sermon: “Am I Called?”

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

Tiffany Knechel

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 keep Rose Hackman and the entire Nussbaum family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of their father. Pray for traveling safety as the families gather in Ohio for the funeral service. Pray also that the planning and decision-making processes involved would go smoothly.

-Florence Knechel is currently residing at Pennsburg Manor while she gains strength from her recent hospital stay. Pray for God’s healing touch to be upon Florence and that Herb would also be granted God’s touch of strength and encouragement throughout this time.

-Continue to keep in your prayers those who are dealing with ongoing health issues. Pray especially for Mike Bergey as he continues as a patient at University of Penn, for Russ Detweiler as he recuperates from chemotherapy, and for Marlin Bergey as he seeks complete healing for his foot.

-Funeral services were held on Friday for Robert Freed. Please continue to hold up the Freed family and especially Dennis & Dawn Zucca as they mourn the loss of their father.

-Continue to keep our building program in your prayers as we work at the final inspections and details. Pray that God would guide and direct the process and that we would be open to God’s leading as we seek to embrace God’s purpose for ministry out of the new space.

Life With God Ministries

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

Website: www.life-with-god.org

Announcements

Today's Adult Sunday School Classes:

International Lesson	Joe Pearson	Auditorium
Way of the Master, ch. 6, pt. 3	Ron Delp	Room # 110
New Creations	Harold Mellott	Lobby
Young Adults	Pastor Mike	Room # 113

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

Rose Hackman and Ruth Ann Fly are working on the **host and hostess list for July 2009—June 2010**. The host or hostess is scheduled for a Sunday or two where they provide the Sunday meal (either at their home or a restaurant) for any guests or new persons in the congregation. If you would like to join this ministry, talk to Rose or Ruth Ann.

Russ and Ev Detweiler are spending this weekend at Millstream Country Inn in Lancaster County with their family. This is in celebration of **Russ and Ev's 60th wedding anniversary**, which is on May 21st. Their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren will be joining them for this celebration.

Christopher Dock Senior Presentations will take place on Tuesday-Thursday, June 2-4. You are all invited to come out and support Mike Betress on June 2 at 5:30 p.m., Marsha Bergey on June 2 at 9:00 p.m., and Hannah Clemmer on June 3 at 8:30 p.m.

Last Week's Numbers

Offerings		Attendance
Budget	\$ 4,949.95	Worship 156
Sunday School	\$ 5.25	SS 128
Deacon's Fund	\$ 20.00	
Building Fund	\$ 140.00	
Grand Total Offerings	\$ 5,115.20	

TODAY

Greeters:	Ken & Blanche Freed, Donna & Kyle Millner-Wall
Nursery:	Nicole Kulp, Chelsia Leatherman
SS Nursery:	Phyllis Leatherman
Library:	Natasha Bergey
Sound:	Marlin Bergey

THIS WEEK

Today, after SS, youth attending convention & their parents meeting
 Today, 2 p.m. MYF Couch Derby at Zion Mennonite Church
 Today, after church, JR MYF attending Iron Pigs game

NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters:	Marlin & Char Bergey Family
Nursery:	Galen Knechel, Audrey Delp
SS Nursery:	Arlene Delp
Library:	Renae Knechel
Sound:	Jason Knechel

LOOKING AHEAD

Next Sunday: "What Do We Remember" Pastor Mike
 June 7 (Sun) Communion & Foot washing
 June 22-26 (Mon-Fri) Bible School, 6:15-8:45 p.m.
 July 12 (Sun) Church Picnic at Upper Salford Park
 August 30 (Sun) Outdoor Baptism Service

MYF

June 13 (Sat) Iron Pigs game, 5 p.m.
 June 30-July 4 (Tues-Sat) Youth Convention in Columbus, Ohio
 Aug 21 (Fri) Pool Party @ John & Jen Vasey's
 Aug 23 (Sun) Hemlock Springs' water slide

JR MYF

July 19 (Sun) Picnic & Creek Walk



Franconia Conference News

The **MYF Couch Derby** will be held on Sunday, May 17 at Zion Mennonite Church. Couch showing begins at 1 p.m. and the race at 2 p.m.

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.

Mennonite Heritage Center hosts their **1st annual Croquet Tournament** on Saturday, May 30. Brochures are available on the foyer table.

Zion Mennonite Church will be hosting their **Annual Flea Market** on Friday and Saturday, June 12 and 13 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday will include a car show, strawberry sale, and food. Reserve a table for \$10 per day for yourself.

Men-O-Lan's Summerfest and Benefit Auction will be held on May 22 and 23. Come Friday night at 6:30 for fellowship, cook out and fun! On Saturday, the day begins with a Pancake Breakfast at 7:30 am, followed by carnival games, food, activities at the lake, and more! Auction offerings include fine dining, quilts, lawn equipment, one-of-a-kind artwork, certificates, and much more! Call 215.679.5144 for more information.

There will be a benefit concert for **We Care Prison Outreach Ministry** of Atmore, AL, on Saturday, May 23 at 6:30 p.m. at Perkiomenville Mennonite Church. Enjoy gospel music from Bruce Burgess & Friends and Dusty Aleman, 'The Singing Cowboy.' Alvin Landis, from We Care, will also be sharing.

The **Worm Project** is hosting its **2nd Annual FREE international meal** at Franconia Heritage on Wednesday, June 10 at 6 p.m. Donations will be accepted. Registration is required at 215-723-5513, ext. 136 by Friday, June 5.

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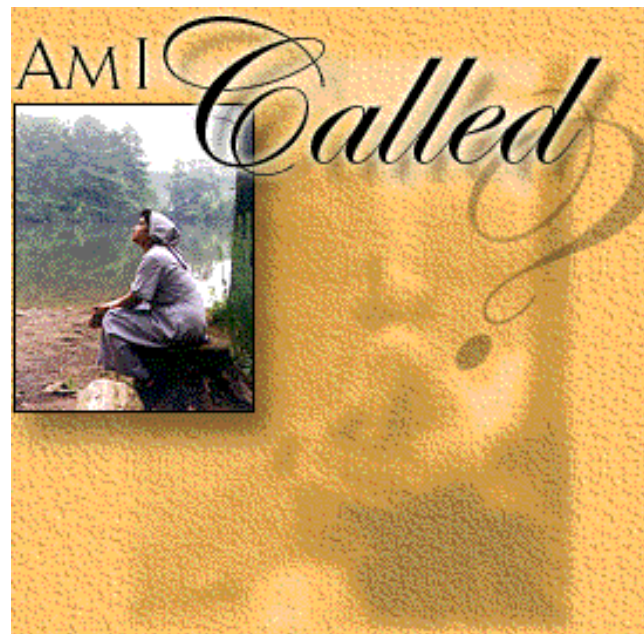
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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9 a.m.—1 p.m.

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