



Towamencin Mennonite Church

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

October 30, 2011 - Music Sunday

Gathering Songs Esther Delp, Steve Delp, Mike Clemmer

Opening Song: *Come We That Love the Lord*, WHM # 525

Welcome, Prayer, and Greeting One Another Paris Hagen

Confession and Sharing & Prayer

Song: *The Blood Will Never Lose its Power* WHM # 243

Scripture Reading: Psalm 32: 1-7

Congregational Prayer

Children’s Time

Worship In Song Aaron Leatherman & Worship Team

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings &
Collection of Affirmation Ballots**

Reading of the Apostles Creed Mike Clemmer

Worship In Song

Closing Announcements

Sending Song

We are glad you joined us today! Child care is available during the worship service; it is provided in our nursery, located above the foyer. The Greeters will be happy to assist you or answer any questions you may have.

Everyone is welcome to a fellowship time in the Fellowship Hall following the morning service.

Sunday School, for all ages, will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Jubilee Verse for the Week:

Psalm 100: 1-3

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

*Worship the Lord with gladness;
come before him with joyful songs.*

Know that the Lord is God.

*It is he who made us, and we are his,
we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.*

Prayer Points

-Please be in prayer for our Fall Family Nights, beginning this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Pray that our fellowship will be unifying and that our study time will be enlightening and enriching.

-Pray for those who continue to deal with health issues and are in the need of our prayers. Pray specifically for:

- *Russ Detweiler as he waits on the Lord to take him home.*
- *Florence Landes as she settles in at Gwynned Square (see her new address and phone in the directory).*
- *Michele Delp as she continues to discern treatment options.*
- *Peter Zucca as the family seeks God’s direction for the possibility of leg lengthening surgery.*

-Continue to pray for those who are dealing with employment issues. Pray for God to open doors to gainful employment for them and for God’s sustaining hand to be upon them during the interim.

-Pray for our young adults who are currently serving God in a variety of ways. Pray for Brent Frederick in Cambodia, Aaron Clemmer in San Francisco, and Cara Ehst as she prepares for service in Ghana.

Announcements

This Wednesday begins our series of three **Fall Family Nights**. A meal will be served at 6:30 p.m. Following the meal, the adults will meet with Pastor Mike for a Bible study on worship. Youth are invited to share their thoughts about worship as well. Children, 6th grade and under, will have activities planned by Phyllis Leatherman.

Please return your **Advent boxes** to the Christian Ed office downstairs so they can be filled with new goodies for this Advent season. These should be returned by the beginning of November.

The **Leadership Team (LT)** has called upon **Harold Mellott to chair** the LT this year. This needs to be affirmed by the congregation by a vote of affirmation that will take place today.

Last Sunday the **Basement Renovation Committee** presented their proposal for the renovations. A vote will be taken on Sunday, November 6. Copies of the proposal are available in the mailbox along with absentee ballots.

MYF: On Saturday, November 11, we will meet at TMC at 6 p.m. to **make meals** for Meals of Love then go to **Rock N Glow** from 11:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. A sign-up sheet will be passed around the youth SS class for the food items needed to make the meal. Youth will need to bring a food item for the meals and \$12 for bowling.

Thank you for the cards and expressions of appreciation towards April and I this month. We are humbled by your love and thankful for the opportunity to serve here at TMC.

--Pastor Mike and April Clemmer

Last Week's Numbers

Offering		Attendance
Budget	\$ 3,770.45	Worship 136
Designated Gifts	\$ 605.00	SS 108
Building Fund	\$ 5,044.00	
Total	\$ 9,419.45	

Calendar

TODAY

Greeters:	Paris & Mel Hagen Family
Nursery:	Azariah Parmer, Amber Delp
SS Nursery:	Jen Vasey
Sound:	Marlin Bergey
Hostess/Host:	Jen & John Vasey

THIS WEEK

Today, 6:30 p.m. Old-fashioned Hymn Sing at Line Lexington
 Tuesday, 7 p.m. AWAKE prayer gathering
 Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Fall Family Night & Bible Study
 Wednesday, 7 p.m. Women's Bible Study

NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters:	Chris & Laura Moyer family
Nursery:	Audrey Delp, Natilya Parmer
SS Nursery:	Jolene Weaver
Sound:	Norm Detweiler
Hostess/Host:	Jolene & Wendell Weaver

LOOKING AHEAD

Next Sunday: "Broken Barriers Lead to Wholeness"
 Mark 5: 21-46 Pastor Mike

Nov 8 (Tues) Sewing Circle
 Nov 8 (Tues) Church Council
 Nov 9, 16 (Wed) Family Nights & Bible Studies
 Dec 16-17 (Fri-Sat) Live Nativity, Hot Chocolate & Cookies, 7-9 p.m.

MYF

Nov 11 (Sat) Meal Preparation & Rock N Glow, 6 p.m.

Life With God Ministries

*Listen on Saturdays at 8 p.m. on WBYN-FM 107.5 and
 Sundays at 7:30 a.m. on WNPV-AM 1440*

Oct 30 - "Salt and Light" Nov 6 - "Law Fulfilled"

Website: www.life-with-god.org

Conference & Community Events

Souderton Mennonite Home hosts the 2011 Annual Holiday Bazaar on Friday (9 a.m. - 6 p.m.) and Saturday (9 a.m. - 3 p.m.), November 11 and 12. The bazaar features crafters and baked goods. Our famous Oyster Stew will be served in the Apple Orchard Café.

David King, E.M.U. Director of Athletics, will be sharing on **“Examining Our Sports-Obsessed Culture: Regaining Control of the Family Schedule”** for all parents and youth workers on Tuesday, November 1st at 7 p.m. at Franconia Mennonite Meetinghouse.

It’s almost turkey time! If you have **unwanted turkey rewards** with Landis Supermarket, you can donate them to **Keystone Opportunity Center** so they can be changed into gift cards for Keystone’s food pantry and housing programs. You must have at least 300 points to donate them. See more information at www.landismarket.com.

“Getting Ready for the Harvest” by **Joey Perez** will be presented on Friday, Nov. 11, 7 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 12, 6:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Franconia Heritage Banquet Room. More info on the bulletin board.

Healing Quest: Robert Stevenson, pastor of the Monte Maria Church in Mexico City, will speak at Perkiomenville Mennonite Church, Nov. 4-6. Friday, 7 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, 6 p.m.

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

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*Sunday, October 30, 2011
Music Sunday*