

Doylestown Mennonite Church

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Taking Risks With
and For Christ

Welcome to all who are
worshipping with us today!

Tithes & Offerings may be placed in the basket on the table at the front of the sanctuary or given online; see our homepage at DoylestownMC.org.

Serving Today:

Trustee of the Month: Jeff Buckwalter, Jr.

Greeters: Louise Beyer, Dave Chittick

Worship Leader: Steve Landes

Pre-Service Music/Music Leaders: Lois & Freida Myers

Preacher: Sandy Landes

Nursery (worship): Janice Wyble

Prayer Ushers: Judy Garrido, Kendrick Garrido

Intercessor: Kathy Heckler

Watch live on our YouTube channel - [YouTube.com/@doylestownmc](https://www.youtube.com/@doylestownmc) (begins at 9:50 am; video remains available to view at any time)

** See the foyer bulletin board for Sunday School options for today and the coming weeks. **

This Week @DMC:

Tuesday & Friday, 9:00 am - Zoom Prayer; anyone is welcome to join these weekly prayer groups! [CLICK HERE](#) or use meeting ID: 982 3566 8858, passcode: 805803. To join by phone, call 1-929-205-6099.

May 5	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am
May 6	The Sharing Table	6:00 pm
May 8	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am

DMC Notes:

We welcome Gideon, Karen, Madison and Macy Youssef as members today in a transfer of membership from Franconia Mennonite Church. Copies of the DMC membership covenant are available on the table next to the prayer room.

The Sharing Table will take place on Wednesday, May 6 at 6:00 pm. Please find sign-up sheets for food contributions, as well as for attendance on the table by the mailboxes. Thank you so much for your participation.

Coming up in the next few weeks:

- * **Sunday, May 10** - Rob Arner will bring us the morning message, continuing our series in Isaiah.
- * **Sunday, May 17** - We welcome John Chaffee back to DMC to bring us the morning message.

Meals for Don and Judy Derstine are appreciated. Sign up for a date [by clicking here](#). Thank you for your care!

Update from the Pastoral Search Team: We have moved on from the candidates that we had, and we continue to search. With hearts full of prayer, PST asks the congregation to continue to walk with us on this journey.

Sharing Grace photos: Take a photo of yourself in a place where you share God's grace and send it to Kristine. She will print and post our photos around our theme so we can be encouraged to see how God is sending us out.

Duane Bishop, former pastor here at DMC, passed away this week. Pray for his wife Pat, children Jenny and Loren, and grandchildren as they grieve his passing and prepare to celebrate his life.

If you're able to **provide flowers** for worship for a Sunday (or two ... or more!) over the next several months, please sign up on the bulletin board near the mailboxes.

Matthew 5:33-37, 2 Corinthians 1:12-22

NOTES:

DMC participants to pray for:

Pray for Ray Swartley, Sally and John Landis and their family as they grieve the passing of Marge.

Pray for Judy and Don Derstine as both await healing for a broken/fractured wrist. Give thanks for Judy's positive doctor report this week that no surgery is needed.

Prayer Guide:

Monday - "Let your yes be yes and your no be no" (Matthew 5:37). Ask God to help you live a life of integrity with God, others and yourself.

Tuesday - Pray for the EMM workers in Southeast Asia we support to be able to serve from a place of God's abundant grace and kindness for the people they meet.

Wednesday - Give thanks for the people, the food and the fellowship as the Sharing Table meets tonight. Pray that each person will experience God's love.

Thursday - Pray for Streamsong Church which meets in the Central Bucks Senior Center as they grow in being disciples of Jesus.

Friday - How will God want to speak to you today? Ask for an open heart to hear and follow.

Saturday - Praise God for his abundant grace and overflowing mercies. Pray for us at DMC to grow in the awareness of God's grace and to live with his joy.

DMC 2026 Crafted Prayer:

Dear Heavenly Father, Thank you for your abundant, overflowing grace which you pour out on us without limits. Your grace is enough and it sustains our life. We gratefully receive your forgiveness and are eager to share it with others. May your Holy Spirit guide us to bring others to you for their salvation and your glory. In Jesus' precious name, Amen

Community Groups @ DMC

Sunday

LAA (7 pm - basement)

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German Chat (2 pm - basement)
County Line Quilters (6 pm - basement)

Tuesday

Alanon (7 pm - basement, Rm 201)

Wednesday

AA (12 pm - basement)
Naranon (6 pm - Rm 101)
Bucks Co. Writers (7 pm - basement)

Thursday

Support Group (7 pm - Rm 201)
Mullaney Tennis Foundation (3rd Thurs, 4 pm
- Rm 101)

Sandy Ridge Community Garden

Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday work hours

April 26

Attendance: 54

Offering (4/24-5/1):
\$5,276