## **Doylestown Mennonite Church**

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# Welcome to all who are worshipping with us today!

**Tithes & Offerings** may be placed in the basket or given online; see our homepage at <a href="DoylestownMC.org">DoylestownMC.org</a>.

## **As We Gather Today:**

<u>Trustee of the Month:</u> Garry Landis <u>Greeters:</u> Jeff Buckwalter, Jr., Mike Ryan

<u>Worship Leader:</u> Steve Landes <u>Music Leader:</u> Wendy Schettig <u>Preacher:</u> Sandy Landes

**Prayer Ushers:** Mary Leatherman, Don Heckler

Intercessor: Kathy Heckler

No livestream this week; previous service videos can be viewed at <a href="YouTube.com/@doylestownmc">YouTube.com/@doylestownmc</a>.

\*\* Regular Sunday School sessions are not held during July & August, but watch the bulletin board and bulletin for special gatherings. \*\*

## This Week @DMC:

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

| Aug 4 | Karen's Place outdoor c | oncert 7:00 pm   |
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| Aug 5 | Prayer by Zoom          | 9:00 am          |
| Aug 5 | Care Team meeting       | 7:00 pm          |
| Aug 8 | Prayer by Zoom          | 9:00 am          |
| Aug 9 | Soccer Camp             | 9:00 am-12:00 pm |

## **DMC Notes:**

#### Coming up in the next few weeks:

- \* Next Sunday, August 10 Dave Lamb, Dean of the Faculty and the MacRae Professor of Old Testament at Missio Seminary, will bring us the message.
- \* Sunday, August 17 & 24 Shannon Lamb, consultant, Assistant Regional Director at InterVarsity Christian Fellowship and Adjunct Professor at Missio Seminary, will bring us the message.
- \* Sunday, August 17 a Prayer Gathering for the Pastoral Search Process will meet during the Sunday School hour.
- \* Sunday, August 31 5th Sunday Day of Service

**DMC's Summer Soccer Camp** will be holding its second session on Saturday, August 9 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Boys and girls ages 7-14 of all skill levels are welcome to attend this free session, that will also include time for scripture lessons and lunch. Email <a href="mailto:dmcsoccercamp@gmail.com">dmcsoccercamp@gmail.com</a> or call Kendrick Garrido at 267-221-6026 if you have questions.

**2025 Mission Budget Update:** As a follow-up to our 2025 Budget Meeting earlier this year, the leadership team has finalized the proposed mission budget. Following our service next Sunday, August 10, Kendrick will present the proposed budget to the congregation and we will hold a vote for acceptance.

The 2025-2026 school year will begin soon and our students need your prayers. Please sign up on the sheet in the pavilion today or at DMC the next two Sundays to be a prayer partner for a DMC student in K—college. Reminders will be sent and two meetup breakfasts will be planned throughout the school year.

#### Matthew 7:24-29

<sup>24</sup>"Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. <sup>25</sup>The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. <sup>26</sup>But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. <sup>27</sup>The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash." <sup>28</sup>When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, <sup>29</sup>because he taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law.

#### Isaiah 26:3-4

<sup>3</sup>You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you. <sup>4</sup>Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD, the LORD, is the Rock eternal.

## **Prayer Guide:**

**Monday** - Give thanks for the firm foundation we have in Jesus, our Rock. Pray for an opportunity to share your faith in God with someone today.

**Tuesday** - Pray for mercy for those suffering in Gaza and Ukraine. Pray for leaders to make decisions based on the well-being of all people.

Wednesday - Pray for the Pastoral Search Team, Gary Garges, Joyce Zuzack, Mark Reiff and Susan Bartels, as they continue their work together and discern God's leading.

Thursday - Where do you notice God's amazing creativity today? Praise God for all the ways God continues to bring beauty into our world.

**Friday** - Pray for the soccer camp tomorrow at DMC. Ask God to open the hearts of the children and for strength and love for the coaches.

**Saturday** - Pray for David Lamb as he plans to preach at DMC tomorrow.

### **August Prayer Practice:**

Matthew 7:24

<sup>24</sup> "Therefore, everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock."

August 3-9: Ask God to help you clearly hear the words of Jesus so you can put them into practice.

## **Community Groups @ DMC**

LAA (7 pm - basement)

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

Alanon (7 pm - basement)

Wednesday

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

**Thursday** 

Support Group (7 pm - Rm 201)

**Sandy Ridge Community Garden** 

Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday work hours

July 27

Attendance: 38

Offering (7/25-8/1): \$2,405