

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;*

Serving Today:

Trustee of the Month: Garry Landis

Greeters: Glenn & Janice Wyble

Worship Leader: Mark Reiff

Music Leader: Ronda Hestand

Preacher: Mike Ford

Nursery (worship): Macy & Amber Youssef

Prayer Ushers: Kendrick Garrido, Mary Leatherman

Intercessor: Junior Brodie

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.

Dec 16	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am
Dec 16	Listening Prayer	3:00 pm
Dec 17	Christmas caroling	6:30 pm
Dec 19	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am

DMC Notes:

All are invited to a **Prayer Gathering** for the Pastoral
Search Process, which will meet in the fellowship hall
today, December 14, during the Sunday School hour
(11:15 am-12 noon).

Listening Prayer meets on Tuesday, December 16, 3-4 pm
in the 2nd floor prayer room. You are welcome to join
and rest in God's presence together.

People are needed to help with DMC **Christmas caroling**
this Wednesday, December 17 starting at 6:30 pm. Meet
at Don and Kathy Hecklers' home, 200 Murray Drive,
Doylestown (215-345-4493); bring warm clothes, a
flashlight and snacks.

Coming up in the next few weeks:

* **Sunday, December 21** - it's a special Christmas
service of Worship & Music with guest Donna
Godshall.

* **Christmas Eve, December 24** - join us for a
candlelight service, starting at 7:00 pm. This service
will not be livestreamed.

* **Sunday, December 28** - we wrap up 2025 with a
service of Witness to God's Goodness! We will also
gather in the fellowship hall during the Sunday School
hour for a cookie social. Bring some cookies to share
and invite a friend!

In case of **inclement weather** where DMC worship service
needs to be cancelled/delayed, a message will be posted
on the website and left on the voicemail - 215-345-6377 -
by 7:30 am.

We are now working on the **2026 DMC Church Directory**.
Over the next few weeks, please check the draft copy on
the table by the mailboxes to make sure your contact
information, birthday and/or anniversary is correct and
current. If you have any changes or additions, please
write them in. We aim to have the new directory
available in mid-January.

Matthew 26:36-46

NOTES:

DMC participants to pray for:

Angel Mejias is grateful for God's healing power and your prayers following a procedure to remove a kidney stone. Pray for his strength as he recuperates and returns to work.

Gary Garges's eye is healing following a procedure. Pray for complete healing and give thanks for God's presence and strength.

Prayer Guide:

Monday - Pray for someone you know who is struggling with despair and needs hope. Pray for an opportunity to be present with them.

Tuesday - Pray for DMC as we move forward in the pastoral search process.

Wednesday - Pray for the Christmas carolers who will be singing in Don and Kathy Heckler's neighborhood tonight. Pray for those who need a reminder of God's presence as they receive this ministry.

Thursday - As you see Christmas lights today, give thanks for the compassion of Jesus to bring light into every dark place.

Friday - Pray for the EMM workers we support who plan to travel home to Southeast Asia tomorrow and join their church family to celebrate Christmas.

Saturday - Pray for Donna Godshall as she plans to lead us in service of song as we gather for worship tomorrow.

December Prayer Practice:

Dec. 4-20: Where in your life do you need the hope and joy of Jesus as your King? Pray these words from *O Little Town of Bethlehem*, "O come to us, abide in us, Our LORD Emmanuel."

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)

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, 5 pm
- Rm 101)

Sandy Ridge Community Garden

Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday work hours

December 7

Attendance: 52

Offering (12/5-12):

\$7,236

Annual Mission

giving to date:

\$18,066 of \$15,000 goal