

# Doylestown Mennonite Church

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## WELCOME!

We are people on a journey of following Jesus, and we invite you to walk with us. In our desire to be authentic, we share our joys and struggles to both encourage and pray for one another. All are welcome to ask questions and participate in our activities. Our vision- *taking risks with and for Christ*- continues to shape us. Please feel free to make DMC your faith community.

~Pastors Randy, KrisAnne, and Sandy

**Tithes & Offerings-** If you would like to give an offering, you may place it in the basket on the table at the front of the sanctuary. There is also an option to give online on the home page of our website (address at the top of this page).

### People Serving Today:

Trustee of the month: Cesar Garrido

Greeters: Glenn & Janice Wyble

Worship Leader: Sandy Landes

Preacher: Randy Heacock

Prayer Ushers: Mary Leatherman, Don Heckler

Intercessor: Kathy Heckler

Nursery (SS): Janice Wyble

Worship services are streamed live on the public church Facebook page beginning at 9:50am. The video remains available to view at any time. Video link: <https://www.facebook.com/doylestownmc/>

### Upcoming Events

Apr 11	Care Team mtg	7:00pm
Apr 12	Prayer by zoom	9:00am
	Care & Share Day	9am-5pm
Apr 13	MLT mtg	7:00pm
Apr 15	Prayer by zoom	1:00pm
	Good Friday Service	7:30pm

### DMC NOTES:

#### **Sunday School / Faith Training Camp (11:10-11:50am):**

- Nursery & Children's class (up to grade 5) – basement classrooms
- Traditional Adult Sunday School Class – Room 102/103
- Sermon Response Class – Room 203
- Faith Training Camp Groups (ages 12+)– on break until May 1.

**Tuesday 9am / Friday 1pm Zoom Prayer-** Anyone is welcome to join these weekly prayer groups! Visit this link:

<https://zoom.us/j/98235668858?pwd=dE1zWTJ0d1VPdURIN2hHWFJaDJXQT09> (meeting ID 982 3566 8858, passcode 805803) To join by phone, call 1-929-205-6099)

**To send a card to Doris Garges,** please mail directly to her home: 1829 Mill Rd, Perkasio, PA, 18944. Gary will deliver her mail to her at the rehab center.

**Good Friday Service – April 15, 7:30pm.** We plan to meet outside in the upper parking lot near the pavilion around a large fire. Feel free to bring lawn chairs; we will also bring some church chairs outside. As we gather that night, we will reflect on the disciples' experiences the night of Jesus' arrest. Feel free to stay afterwards for S'Mores and fellowship (anyone who is able-- please bring roasting sticks, marshmallows, chocolate & graham's).

**Easter Sunday** – We will gather for a breakfast buffet in the fellowship hall on Easter Sunday morning, beginning at 8:30am. Please sign-up on the sheet at the mailbox table to indicate what you can bring. Easter worship will begin at 10:00am (no Sunday School that morning).

**Mission Sunday** - Our first for this year will be May 1<sup>st</sup> and J.R. Briggs will speak. All offerings gathered that morning will go toward the mission agencies outlined in our annual budget. If you mail your check to the church or give online and would like your offering designated for missions, please contact the church office.

**May 29- Fifth Sunday Day of Service-** We are beginning to make plans for this day (the next two are 7/31 & 10/30). If you know of a local need or have any other suggestions of where we could serve, please let pastors Randy or KrisAnne know.

## Sermon Notes: Matthew 6:13 & 26:36-46

What is the source of trials?

How did Jesus pray?

How does God deliver?

### Prayer Guide:                    **2022 Theme – *Searching for the Source***

#### **DMC participants**

- John Landis – recuperating from a heart attack
- Doris Garges- receiving care in rehab, fractured ankle
- Lucy Dejesus – at home with care from family/friends
- Marge Swartley – dealing with pain making mobility difficult

**Monday** – Ask God to help you to trust His presence and grace through the difficult circumstances you face this week.

**Tuesday** – Pray for the Sandy Ridge Community Garden as they plant and grow new relationships this growing season.

**Wednesday** – Praise God for the opportunities Dale and Beth Nafziger have to share the love of Christ. Pray for wisdom as they serve their neighborhood.

**Thursday** – Pray for refugees in many places around the world, for those leaving their homes to find safe places to live.

**Friday** – Thank God for the sacrifice Jesus made for you/us when he went to the cross as we remember his death today, Good Friday.

**Saturday** – As we prepare to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus tomorrow, ask God to open your heart anew to the hope we are given. Take time to acknowledge the uncertainties you have, just as the disciples lived through the uncertainties of the Saturday before the resurrection of Jesus.

**2022 Crafted Prayer for DMC:** Heavenly Father, we praise and trust You. You are our Hope. We long to live without fear and put our confidence in You. Help us to dig deep to seek Jesus, the stream of Living Water. Let us always produce fruit in our homes and community for Your glory. Amen

### **Community Groups Meeting @ DMC**

#### **Sunday**

Playwrite's Bridge (monthly, 2-4pm, basement)  
LAA (weekly, 7pm, Rm 102/103)

#### **Monday**

AWP Board (monthly, 5pm, basement)

#### **Tuesday**

AWP Empowerment (weekly, 9am-2pm, basement)  
Alanon (weekly, 7pm, basement)

#### **Wednesday**

AA (weekly, 12pm, basement)  
Bucks Co. Writers (weekly, 7pm, basement)

#### **Thursday**

Thurs Eve Support Group (weekly, 7pm, Rm 201)  
Girl Scouts (monthly, 6:30pm, basement)

#### **Sandy Ridge Community Garden**

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday work hours

**April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Attendance: 48

Offering: \$4523.00  
(Apr 1-8)