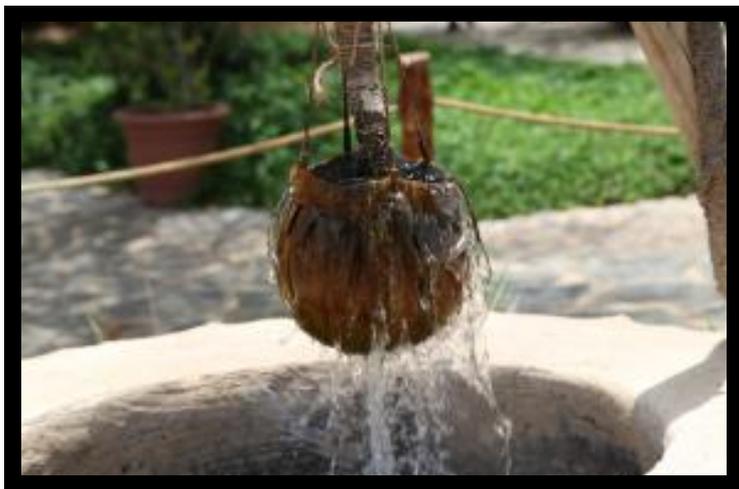


DOYLESTOWN MENNONITE CHURCH



"Who needs a drink?"

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VISION - TAKING RISKS WITH AND FOR CHRIST

2017 Theme - Being Molded into the Image of Jesus

Pre-service Prayer - 9:10–9:25 am

Worship - 9:30 am

Sunday School - 11:00 am

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Worship

Pre-service music:

Songs of Worship

Worship team

Worship leader:

Sandy landes

Offering /offertory: “Over Again”

Chris Zeo

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Passage:

John 4:5-42

Sermon: **“Who needs a drink?”**

Randy Heacock

Songs of Response

Worship team

Benediction

Nursery is available during the worship service for children up to and including four years of age. Activity bags are available in the lobby for children to use during the worship service.

Today

Nursery Worship: Jesse & Steph Gehman

Nursery Sunday School: Robin Miller

Prayer Ushers: Cesar Garrido & Carla Ferrier

Intercessor: Karen Fennell

Welcome friend! If this is your first time at Doylestown Mennonite Church, we want you to feel especially welcome. Please fill out an information card, which is located on the back of the pew. You may place this card in the offering basket. Thank you for worshipping with us this morning.

—Pastor Randy



Coffee and Tea are available in the foyer following the worship service.

Sunday School Classes

For all ages, 10:30–11:15 am

Classes	Room
Preschool–Grade 5	Downstairs Classrooms
Jr. & Sr. Youth (Grades 6-12)	Room 205
Sermon Response- Steve Landes	Room 203
Uniform Lesson	Rooms 102 & 103
Book of James	Basement
Sermon Response- KrisAnne Swartley	Room 201

Prayer Guide

DOYLESTOWN MENNONITE CHURCH:

“Since you are my Rock and my Fortress, for the sake of your name lead and guide me.” Psalm 31:3

DMC participants: **Lucy DeJesus**, Meetinghouse Rd, Doylestown, Pray blessings for Lucy and her neighborhood.

Pray for **Bill Leatherman** as he is experiencing chronic pain. Pray for wisdom for his doctors and healing mercies for Bill.

Pray for **wisdom for the parents in our congregation** as they seek to teach and model for their children what it means to be a follower of Jesus.

Community Group: **NAMI** group meets here twice a month as a support to families who have a member living with a mental health diagnosis. Pray that this group is helpful and gives clarity to those who attend.

REGIONAL:

Pray for the many health care facilities in our area: doctors' offices, hospitals, nursing homes, visiting nurses, and others that come to your mind. Pray for grace and wisdom as people deal with concerns about changing health care plans in the US.

Pray for other congregations in our community here in Doylestown and where you live. Lift up the pastors who are leading these congregations to be humble and open to the Holy Spirit's leading. Give thanks for their partnership in sharing the gospel.

GLOBAL:

Dale and Beth Nafziger praise God for the opportunities to introduce more Nepali farmers to growing coffee and for the Christian witness they have in these business relationships.

C. Paul and Hildi Amstutz have served with Mennonite Mission Network since 1985. Pray for C. Paul as he works with more than 50 business chaplains in Paraguay who reach out to employees in the workplace, and pray for Hildi as she provides spiritual direction to help people deepen their faith.

Prayer Guide

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES:

Prayer Together meets today in the Upstairs Prayer Room during SS. Come and go as you are able to pray for community, congregational and personal concerns. Our goal is to lift up the name of Jesus as we pray.

The prayer ushers are available before and during our worship service to pray confidentially with you about a concern that you have. The front bench is a waiting area if the door is closed and they are praying with someone else. You are welcome!!

The Outdoor Prayer Garden needs a spring spruce-up. If you would like to help with this project, please contact Sandy Landes. We will wait until the snow melts.

A prayer for this week

John 4:13-14

Jesus answered, *“Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”*

We give thanks to Jesus for being our source of life, everyday. We know that water is essential to life.

Here are some questions to pray about this week:

God, how do you want me to experience you as the source of my life?

In what ways are you filling me up with your living water?

Where am I experiencing dryness in my life?

What do you want me to know about this eternal life that you promise?

Thank you God that you hear our questions and will answer. Help me to hear.

Amen

DMC Notes

Lent Visuals- Being Molded on the Way to the Cross- During the weeks leading up to Easter, we invite you to bring in items made out of clay-- a flower pot, mug, vase, pitcher, teapot, plate, bowl, etc.-- they can be beautifully decorated or plain, chipped or not, broken & repaired, useful or not-so-useful, clean or dirty. We will gather these clay vessels on the worship table as a way to continue to reflect on how we are being molded by God into the image of Jesus. Give them to KrisAnne Swartley any time between now and Easter. Randy will be preaching on the theme "on the way to the cross." How are you being molded on the way to the cross? How is our faith community being molded on the way to the cross? May God continue to shape us into the likeness of Jesus.

Life Celebration for Dan Moyer Sr. (brother of John Moyer). Saturday, March 25- Living Hope Community Church, Dublin (Rt. 313). Calling hour 10:00-11:00 am. Service 11:00 am.

Good news from the Walking Path team. The grading permit has been issued by Doylestown Township. We are still needing to obtain a permit for the demolition of the garage building. Once we have that permit we will be ready to schedule construction with Beer Excavating to begin installing the pathway extension. We have worked out the budget picture and as reported at the congregational meeting we are still in need of funds because of changes brought on by unaccounted for items. The total budget is now at 63,036.00. We have donated funds of 54,912.00. We are in need of 8,124.00.

Transitions in the prayer ministry:

We are grateful to Dave Ferrier for his years of service as part of our prayer usher team. Dave is feeling led at this time to leave the prayer usher team. We extend our blessings to Dave along with our appreciation. Today we welcome two new members, Kendrick Garrido and Mark Reiff. We as a congregation are grateful for the opportunity to pray for each other in the prayer room.

The trustees have a list of items in the garage storage building which will be demolished shortly. Some items: softball bats, 55-gallon drums, wooden extension ladder, church pew (like in balcony) fence post driver, tools, and much more. Items can be removed on a first come, first serve basis. For questions contact Dave Chittick by phone, text, or email.

DMC Events

This Week:

March 20	Care Team meeting	7 pm
March 28	Souderton Homes	2 pm
March 30	Women's Bible Study	1:30-3:00 pm

Upcoming:

August 6	Church Picnic	10 am
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Weekly Statistics



March 12, 2017

Attendance: 63

Offering: \$4,005.00

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Our Mission

*We share the love of Christ in words and actions
with our neighbors and friends ,
so they will grow with us as followers of Christ.*

Community groups using the DMC building this week:

- MONDAY ■ Tai Chi (Fellowship Hall, 6:15–8:15 pm)
- TUESDAY ■ A Woman’s Place Children’s Support Group (6-7:30 pm, Rooms 204-205)
 ■ Alanon (7:00- 8:00 pm, Basement)
- WEDNESDAY ■ AA (11:30 am-1:30 pm, Basement)
 ■ NA (7-9 pm, Rooms 102-103)
- THURSDAY ■ Thursday Evening Group (7 pm-9 pm, Room 201)
 ■ NAMI (7-8:30 pm, Rooms 204-205-206)
 ■ Homesteading Honeys (6:30-9:15, Room 102-103)
 ■ Girl Scout Troop (6-7:30 pm, Basement)
- FRIDAY OPEN

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