

# Doylestown Mennonite Church

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## WELCOME!

We are people on a journey of following Jesus and invite you to walk with us. In our desire to be authentic, we share our joys and struggles in order 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

### People Serving Today:

Greeters/Ushers: Don & Kathy Heckler

Blanche Althouse & Mike Ryan

Worship Leader: KrisAnne Swartley

Pre-service & Offertory: Lois & Freida Myers

Prayer Ushers: Cesar & Judy Garrido

Intercessor: MaryLee Chittick

Nursery Worship: Don & Judy Derstine

Preacher: Randy Heacock

### Upcoming Events

Sept 3	Prayer Together	9:00am
Sept 9	Worship Planning mtg	7:00pm
Sept 10	Prayer Together	9:00am
	Care & Share	9am-6pm
	TNT	6-8pm

### DMC NOTES:

**Today we will be celebrating** the new outdoor pavilion and playground with a prayer of at the end of our worship service. Please find the prayer printed on the bulletin insert.

**Student Prayer Partners:** Sign up to be a prayer partner for a student throughout the school year. This is a great opportunity to lift our young people in prayer. Sign-up sheet is located on the table next to the prayer room in the auditorium.

**Women's Bible Study** is beginning again this fall on **September 12**. We meet every other week on Thursday afternoons, 1:30-3pm, at Louise Beyer's home. This year we will be studying the book of Acts. Please contact Louise with any questions and to sign up for the study.

**Relationships! What was I thinking?** Please register with the office to attend the upcoming sessions during our SS hour with John Drescher Lehman, Sept 15, 22, 29 and Oct 6. Check out the flyer on the bulletin board for more info or talk to a Care Team member.

**Community Pig Roast-** On Saturday, Sept 21<sup>st</sup> from 3-7pm, join with members of the community and our congregation for a pig roast, lively conversation, lawn and table games. Watch for more details!

**From Blanche Althouse-** "Thank you so much for the support that I have felt from this church. So many expressions of love! Many of you helped make folks comfortable at the memorial service. Cards, food, flowers, love and prayers expressed in so many ways. I will continue to need your prayers as I adjust to a different way to live. God is good! Love, Blanche"

## Sermon Notes: Genesis 2:1-3, Exodus 16:18-30

### Prayer Guide:

2019 Theme- Incarnational Living: being Jesus' presence in the world

#### **DMC individuals/families**

- **Cyndi Landis** – recovering from a broken right wrist
- **Jenni Garrido** – continuing treatment for cancer
- **Tim Brenneman, Grace's son**, going through treatment for lung cancer
- **Grace and Charlie Snyder** – need a buyer for their house
- **DMC participants who are meeting** to discuss baptism/church membership

#### **Community Connections**

- **Taftsville(Vermont) Chapel Mennonite Fellowship** – Pray that the congregation continues to grow in “unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace” as a church family, that their gatherings for worship “equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ,” and that they can build relationships with those outside of the congregation.
- **Sandy Ridge Community Garden** – continuing to harvest and share produce with a local food pantry in our community

#### **Global Concerns**

- **Phil and Pratihka Tyson** – serving in Nepal, ask us to pray for a young woman from India who has experienced trauma and is now working at Beauty for Ashes.
- **.Ruben Fellmann, Carissa Mast, Delia Mielke, and Cindy Headings (unit leader) make up Mennonite Mission Network's Service Adventure unit in Colorado Springs.** Pray for them as they work with people with disabilities, families in homeless situations, and affordable housing organizations.

### Groups Meeting at DMC:

#### Sunday:

**Playwright's Bridge** (2pm, basement,  
once/month)

**NA** (7pm, basement)

#### Monday:

**Girl Scouts** (6pm, basement, once/month)

#### Tuesday:

**AlaNon** (7pm, basement)

#### Wednesday:

**AA** (12pm, basement)

**Bucks Co. Writers' Group** (7pm, basement)

#### Thursday:

**OA** (10am, main floor)

**Girl Scouts** (6pm, basement, twice/month)

**Thurs Eve Group** (7pm, Room 201)

**Stats: 8/25/2019**

Attendance: 63

Offering: \$3,324.00