

# 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

### People Serving Today:

Greeters: Dave Chittick & Jeff Buckwalter, Jr.

Don & Judy Derstine

Prayer Ushers: Mark Reiff, Mary Leatherman

Intercessor: Kathy Heckler

Preacher: Randy Heacock

We will continue to stream our worship services live on the church Facebook page at 10:00am.

You can find the video at:

<https://www.facebook.com/doylestownmc/>

### Upcoming Events

July 28	Prayer by zoom	9:00am
	Care Team Mtg	7:30pm
July 31	Prayer by zoom	12:00pm

### DMC NOTES:

**Prayer ushers** are available during the worship service to pray with you in the prayer room at the front of the sanctuary.

**August Newsletter** items are due on Tuesday evening. Do you have a story, a poem, a picture, or some reflections to share? Send them to Lois Myers ([myersfm@juno.com](mailto:myersfm@juno.com)) for our next church newsletter.

**Stewards of Children-** NOVA is offering an online seminar to our congregation on **Tuesday evening, July 28, 7-9pm**. It is a training that teaches adults how to prevent, recognize and react responsibly toward child sexual abuse. To register for this webinar contact Grace Wheeler at [grace@novabucks.org](mailto:grace@novabucks.org) or 215-343-6543 x6703. She will send you the link for the webinar.

**Opportunities to learn about gaining financial freedom-** Everence will be offering a 3-week online class, Freed-up Financial Living, Thursdays, September 10, 17 and 24. This free class is open to all who are interested. More information to follow. Financial Peace University DVDs are now available in our library.

**The memorial service** for pastor Randy's father, Donald Heacock, is scheduled for Saturday, August 15. The service will begin at noon with visitation beginning at 11:30am. It will be held at Bethany United Methodist Church of Berwick, PA.

## Sermon Notes: Matthew 18:15-20, Galatians 6:1-2

What are we called to do?

What is the purpose?

When doesn't this approach work?

How might we begin to practice?

### Prayer Guide: 2020 Theme - Waiting on God... in a hurried world

*"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."* Matthew 18:20

#### **DMC**

- **To learn to use words of blessing others as we speak** – *"And may the Lord make your love for one another, and for everybody, abound and overflow."* 1 Thessalonians 3:12
- **Jenni and Kirk Garrido, Ale and Juju** – *"The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him and he helps me."* Psalm 28:7
- **Wisdom as we plan for next steps as a congregation** – *"Teach me to do your will, for you are my God; may your good Spirit lead me on level ground."* Psalm 143:10

#### **Community**

- **Mosaic Mennonite Conference – Providence Mennonite Church.** As they look for a new pastor, they welcome your prayers for the right leader for their church, and that they might increase in attendance and membership as they continue to reach out to others.
- **Spruce Lake/Pinebrook** – Give thanks for the counselors, including **Heidi Swartley**, and pray for protection and joy for the staff and campers as they spend time together growing in their faith. Pray for continued wisdom for leadership in moving forward to continue on the mission of pointing people to Christ.

#### **Global**

- **Mennonite Mission Network:** July 31 is Stanley W. Green's last day as Mennonite Mission Network's executive director after 27 years of faithful service. Pray for Stanley and his wife, Ursula, as they settle in California where Stanley will work will in conference leadership. Ask God's wisdom for Michael J. Sherrill as he becomes executive director on August 1.
- **From Mennonite World Conference Shared Convictions:** *"As a world-wide community of faith and life we transcend boundaries of nationality, race, class, gender and language... The Spirit of Jesus empowers us to trust God in all areas of life so we become peacemakers who renounce violence, love our enemies [and] seek justice..."* **We join with brothers and sisters around the world trusting God will lead us to be peacemakers and seekers of justice for all.**

### **Community Groups Meeting at DMC:**

#### **Sunday:**

Playwrite's Bridge (monthly, 2-5pm, basement)  
NA (weekly, 7pm, basement)

#### **Monday:**

Girl Scouts (monthly, 6pm, basement)

#### **Tuesday:**

AlaNon (weekly, 7pm, basement)  
Stand by Me NA (weekly, 7pm, pavilion)

#### **Wednesday:**

AA (weekly, noon, basement)  
Writer's Group (weekly, 7pm, basement)  
PA Rush soccer (monthly, 7pm, Rm 102-3)

#### **Thursday:**

OA (weekly, 10am, Rm 102-3)  
Girl Scouts (monthly, 6pm, basement)  
Thurs Eve support (weekly, 7pm, Rm 201)

### **July 12**

Attendance: 50  
Offering: \$3670.00  
(July 10-17)

### **July 19**

Attendance: 32  
Offering: \$3547.00  
(July 17-24)