

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

Preservice Music: Lois & Freida Myers

Worship Leader: Karl Strauch

Preacher: Randy Heacock

Prayer Ushers: Steve Landes, Judy Garrido

Intercessor: DMC intercessor team

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 19	Prayer by zoom	9:00am
	SMH Gathering	2:00pm
Apr 22	Prayer by zoom	1:00pm

DMC NOTES:

Tuesday 9am / Friday 1pm Zoom Prayer- Anyone is welcome to join these weekly prayer groups! Visit this link: <https://zoom.us/j/98235668858?pwd=dE1zWTJ0d1VPdURIN2hHWXFJaDJXQT09> (meeting ID 982 3566 8858, passcode 805803. To join by phone, call 1-929-205-6099)

Services for Doris Garges will be on Tuesday, April 19, here at DMC. The family will receive visitors from 9:30am – 10am. Funeral service will begin at 10:00. A private burial will take place before visitation.

Pastor Randy and Nancy will be on vacation in Hawaii April 19-May 2. Pray for safe travels and refreshment as they rest from work and ministry. For pastoral care concerns, contact pastors Sandy and KrisAnne.

John Moyer has a new cell phone number. You can reach him at 445-448-1945.

Care Team invites the congregation to participate in the discernment process of adding another member to their group. Please prayerfully consider a DMC participant whom you see as having gifts that would benefit their work. Submit any names to Sandy Landes or Randy Heacock by Monday, May 9. If you yourself feel called to serve on the Care Team, Randy or Sandy welcome a conversation with you. The job description is posted on the bulletin board across from the mailboxes. Thank you.

Faith Training Camp- FTC will resume on May 1st, meeting as a large group in the basement fellowship hall during the Sunday School hour. The topic for the four Sundays of May will be Forgiveness: Lighten Up, Lies we believe, Layers of forgiving, and the Long Haul.

Mission Sunday - Our first for this year will be May 1st 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.

Mailboxes have shifted a bit. Take note of where yours is located. If you don't have a mailbox and would like one, contact the church office.

Sermon Notes: Matthew 28:1-10

What is the mystery of this passage?

What happens when we look in the wrong place?

What is the two-fold challenge to see the risen Jesus?

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

DMC participants to pray for:

Gary Garges and his family – mourning the passing of Doris on Monday, April 12, 2022

Jim Beyer – receiving care at Grand View Hospital for pneumonia

John Landis – recuperating from a heart attack

Lucy DeJesus- receiving care at home, peace and comfort

Marge Swartley – having back pain

Monday – Think of one person and pray they will have a fresh encounter with the resurrected Jesus.

Tuesday – Pray for all those who are facing crisis in relationships, that they would listen for and wait for God to guide them.

Wednesday – Pray for those who gather in our basement today at noon, to attend the AA meeting. Pray that they will continue to have success in their recovery one day at a time.

Thursday – When you walk or look outside today, thank God for the beautiful creation you see, smell and hear!

Friday – What is heavy on your mind/heart today? Ask God to help you trust Him for your daily bread regarding that situation.

Saturday – Ask God to direct you how best to prepare for worship tomorrow.

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 10th

Attendance: 49

Offering: \$3815.00

(Apr 8-15)