

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: Nancy Heacock, Steve Landes

Intercessor: Karen Fennell

Nursery (SS hour): Cyndi Landis

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

Nov 8	Prayer by zoom	9:00am
	Care & Share Day	9am-5pm
Nov 9	MOMs Reconnect	9:30am
	MLT mtg	7:00pm
Nov 11	Prayer by zoom	1:00pm

DMC NOTES:

Sunday School Classes (11:10am-11:50am)-

Nursery & Children's class (up to Grade 5) – basement rooms

Traditional Adult Class – Room 102/103

Women's Support Group – Room 203

Discovery Bible Study – Philippians – Sandy's group in Rm 201 & Randy's group in the basement fellowship hall

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)

November Worship & Preaching Theme- The next three Sundays, Randy is preaching on "Generous Living in a Me-First World." As part of our worship, you are invited to come to the cross at the front of the sanctuary. You'll see a sign that says, "There's Not Enough..." as well as a basket, pens, and pieces of paper. Write down what you sense there's not enough of... time, money, energy, maybe you feel there's not enough of you to go around. Drop the paper into the basket and trust that God will take that confession and reveal His Abundance to you.

MOMS/Morning Out/Sister Circle Reconnection- Come this Wednesday, Nov 9 @ 9:30am in the basement fellowship hall for an informal get together of past participants and any interested women! Contact Judy Garrido with any questions.

November Offering Project- We are collecting items for Mennonite Central Committee Relief Kits. See the half-sheet insert for a detailed list or visit this link: <https://mcc.org/get-involved/kits/relief> . Bring in one item or two or whatever you can; they will be taken to the MCC Material Resource Center in Harleysville and packed into full kits there. We will collect items until November 23 at the Thanksgiving Eve Service.

Thanksgiving Eve- We will gather on Wednesday evening November 23 @ 7:30pm for a simple worship service.

Sermon Notes: Isaiah 58:13-14 & Ecclesiastes 3:1-15

What is the impact of living in a society obsessed with getting ahead?

What wisdom can we gain from an old Byrds song?

What does Sabbath teaching have to do with generous living?

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

DMC participants to pray for:

Lorraine Landis – at Grand View Hospital for rehab/therapy, with several broken ribs. Pray for strength and healing, for Abe as he supports Lorraine.

Grace Brenneman – has returned to Souderton Mennonite Home after two days at Doylestown Hospital this past week. Pray that Grace would continue to know God's presence and peace.

Monday – As our country anticipates election day tomorrow, ask God to place His deep love for all people (regardless of how they vote) into your heart. Ask God where you might need to confess a lack of love or respect toward someone created in His image.

Tuesday – Pray that God's Kingdom – which is not of this world – would come and His will would be done on earth. Pray for eyes to see God's Good Reign in your neighborhood today.

Wednesday – Pray for Mosaic Conference Board and Staff, as they continue to discern next steps following Fall Assembly on Saturday. Pray also for DMC's pastoral staff and Ministry Leadership Team, that they will lead the congregation with God's wisdom and grace.

Thursday – Pray for Redemption Church of Bristol (where some in our congregation served last Sunday) and pastor Gary Alloway as they minister in their community. Pray that they will be encouraged and empowered by the Spirit.

Friday – Pray for Worthwhile Ministries / The Well, as they work with survivors of human trafficking. Pray for healing and freedom for the clients and wisdom for the staff and leadership.

Saturday – Find a few minutes to pray in this way today: (as you breathe in) "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God" (and as you breathe out) "Have mercy on me, a sinner." Repeat this prayer at least six times; receive God's mercy and forgiveness.

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

LAA (weekly, 7pm, basement)

Girl Scouts (monthly, 6:30pm, Room 201)

Tuesday

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

Alanon (weekly, 7pm, basement)

Wednesday

AA (weekly, 12pm, basement)

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

Thursday

Support Group (weekly, 7pm, Room 201)

Sandy Ridge Community Garden

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday work hours

October 30th

Attendance: 5th Sunday
Day of Service

Offering: \$503.00
(Oct 28-Nov 4)