

West Philadelphia Mennonite Fellowship
Sunday, July 29, 2018, 9:00 AM

Worship Leader: Brent Hershey
Song Leader: Brenda Rich
Children's Storyteller: Laurie Callan
Musician: Tim Schellenberg
Preacher: Pastor Lorie Hershey

GATHERING SONG

Hymnal #26 Holy Spirit, Come with Fire

CALL TO WORSHIP

SINGING

Hymnal #5 There is a place of quiet rest, near to the heart of God
Hymnal #557 O God of Restless Living

PASSING THE PEACE/INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

OFFERING/SINGING

Sing the Journey #108 Give thanks for Life
Sing the Journey #91 Like a mother who has born us

CHILDREN'S TIME

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 11:28-30

SERMON

SONG OF RESPONSE

Hymnal #143 Amazing Grace (v1-3, 6)

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

CLOSING SONG

Hymnal #493; Red Supplement 19

BENEDICTION

Announcements

There will be a congregational meeting TODAY at 10:45 AM, immediately following the church service in the basement. This is an informational meeting only for the mid-year financial update and discussion of the status of the building search. There will be childcare available during the meeting. For any questions contact one of the deacons – Carol Buhrman, Jeff Knightly, or Rebecca Weber.

NO SERVICE AUGUST 6. Next Sunday is visiting Sunday so WPMF will not have a worship service.

Congregants are encouraged to visit local congregations and share at the following worship service, August 12.

Our *My Coins Count* children's coin jug totaled \$288.93, which included 306 quarters, 472 dimes, 328 nickels, and 10,033 pennies. Total annual amount collected was \$151,292.11. For more information about the *My Coins Count* initiative, visit: mcc.org/get-involved/my-coins-count

Dorianna will be on vacation through Monday, July 30 and Thursday, August 9 through Tuesday, August 14.

Due to many people being away in the summer, nursery will resume on August 12. Nursery will be available for parents to use as needed.

Bring School supplies for Comegys School to services in August.

The following supplies are needed: cases of paper, marble composition books, number 2 pencils, packages of pens, bottles of hand sanitizer, boxes of tissues, tablets of graph paper, protractors, rulers (inch and centimeter), glue sticks, two-pocket folders, boxes of Dry Erase markers, pencil cases, Post it! Notes, Ziploc baggies, construction paper

CARNIVAL DE RESISTANCE

July 24th – Aug 7th. Carnival Midway and Mainstage at Arch St UMC (55 N Broad St.) and Eco-Village Demonstration at Norris Square Neighborhood Project (2248 N Palethorp St.) This traveling carnival, village, and school for social change bridges the worlds of art, activism and faith. Enter an immersive wonderland of games, sideshows, roving performers, interactive art installations, arts & crafts, & exhibits by local justice groups. Drawing upon the legacy of "Carnival," children and adults are invited into a topsy-turvy space where we can question dominant norms and creatively inhabit an alternative narrative for our world. Come to Arch Street UMC between 5:00 and 7:00pm to learn, play, and connect, then stay for a featured Carnival production! FREE ADMISSION to all Carnival events. Donations welcome. Learn more at: carnivalderesistance.com

African American and Amish Mennonite Quilting Fest, November 3, 2018, 10:30am to 3:30pm, MCC Material Resources Center, 517 West Trout Run Rd, Ephrata, PA 17522. Kyra Hicks, an expert on African American quilting, and Janneken Smucker, an authority on Mennonite and Amish quilting, will introduce the history and culture of the two groups. Attendees are invited to tell the story of one of their quilts. They will fellowship over soup with a dessert potluck. Time will be given for interested participants to quilt together. These quilts will be auctioned at relief sales to support Mennonite Central Committee's ministries. \$15 registration fee. Register online at lmhs.org/events-2/5388-2 or by phone at (717) 393-9745 by October 3.

We welcome all people

of any ethnicity, race, gender identity, age, sexual orientation, status, physical or mental ability or condition.



Today

Greeter: Elizabeth
Usher: Matt
Nursery: None

Sunday, August 5

None – No worship service

Sunday, August 12

Worship Leader: Laurie Callan
Song Leader: Tim Schellenberg
Children's Time: Sarah Rody
Musician: Elaine Shenk
Preacher: Sharing from visiting Sunday
Greeter: Alex
Usher: Linford
Nursery: TBD

Sunday, August 19

Worship Leader: Brooke Blough
Song Leader: Mark & Sherri Michalovic
Children's Time: Sarah Rody
Musician: Jeff Knightly
Preacher: Drick Boyd
Greeter: Linda
Usher: Mel

Sunday, August 26

Worship Leader: Sheldon Rich
Song Leader: Drick Boyd
Children's Time: Christine Waanders
Musicians: Tim Schellenberg
Preacher: Nick Lordi
Greeter: Sylvia
Usher: Bryan

CHURCH CALENDAR**August**

06: Visiting Sunday – no WPMF service
13: Worship Committee meeting

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NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is provided for children (infants – 3 yrs/48 mo) starting after Children's Time in our worship service. Two adults and a youth helper supervise. No nursery care is provided during Sunday School. The nursery is located on the lower level of the building, past the restroom.

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Lorie will be working Tuesday-Friday

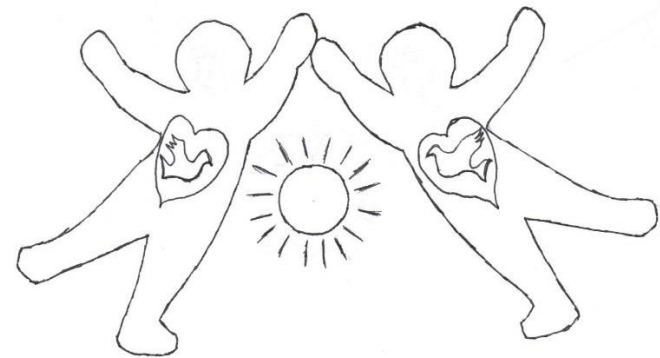
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Weekly Giving Report

2018 Weekly Budget: \$3,719
July 22 Giving: \$2,025
2018 YTD Budget: \$99,823
2018 Actual: \$89,502



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