



# Friendship Mennonite Church

## Changing Lives Through Jesus Christ

May 31, 2009

**This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice  
and be glad in it.  
Psalm 118:24**

### Coming to God

Gathering Songs  
Welcome and Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Offering

*Commissioning of Ministry Intern Jennifer Speight*

### Learning about God

Scripture Reading: Philippians 2:5-11  
Sermon: *"If the Shoe Fits..."* –Kevin Kanagy

### Responding to God

Responding Song  
Congregational Sharing and Prayer  
Sending Song  
Benediction

### Serving Today

Worship Leader: Nan Kanagy	Song Leader: Kevin Kanagy
Usher: Tim Savage	Greeters: Ike & Jean White
SS Nursery: Alice Patton	Worship Nursery: Maria Witmer- Rich

### Upcoming Events & Meetings

Wed. June 3	Worship Committee Meeting 7 pm
Wed. June 10	FISH Meeting 4:30 pm Service Project – Hot Dogs on the Lawn 6 pm
Thu. June 11	Kids/Mom Playgroup at Fairport Beach 10 am Southgate Group 11 am
Fri. June 12	Thirsting Souls Group 6:30 pm
Sun. June 14	Agape Group 4:30 pm
Tue. June 16	Church Council 6:30 pm

### Giving for May 24, 2009

Church Offering: \$636.88	E. Europe Mission: \$1720.00
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Weekly Budget:  
\$1448.00

### Announcements:

- **Welcome to Friendship Mennonite Church! If you are visiting us this week, thank you!** We have a visitor packet for you that will be passed out during the announcements. This will give you information about our Church and a visitor information card for you to fill out and place in the offering so that we can get to know you. We are so glad to worship with you!
- **We are delighted that Jennifer Speight** will be serving as our Ministry Intern for the summer! She began work this week and will work through August 14. One of the goals of the Ministry Inquiry Program is for students to learn as much as they can about church ministry. **Pray for her** and share with her your hopes, dreams and thoughts as she ministers among us this summer.
- **You are invited** to three outreach events this summer on our front lawn! June 10, July 8 and August 12, at 6 pm, we will pass out free hotdogs to passersby. Kids' activities will be planned as well!

## ***Announcements Continued***

- **HEY KIDS!** Grab your Mom and come join us for a playdate to kick-off the summer! We will meet at Fairport Harbor Beach Thursday, June 11 at 10am. We will meet at the playground and then move to the sand or water when everyone arrives! Bring your lunch or head home after we play in the sand! See Cara Speros for directions or more info...and look in coming bulletins for playdates in July and August! This will be a great opportunity for the kids to play and the moms to fellowship!
- **Join us on Sunday, June 28** at 4:00 pm for our next Retreat picnic. This will be a special time to also celebrate with Anita Hooley and Ben Yoder their upcoming wedding! More info to come!
- **Convention 2009 is quickly approaching!** This is an exciting opportunity for all parts of Mennonite Church USA to “gather the church community for worship, fellowship, learning and carrying out the work of the church.” Convention is June 30-July 5. We are blessed to have Convention so close this year, and would love to have as many people as possible be able to experience this event! Pastor Kevin and Jennifer Speight will serve as delegates, and Pastor Nan will be attending events during the week as well.
- **The Structure Task Force**, has already met several times. They have been discussing current church structure and **desire to come up with a proposal for a new structure** for Friendship Mennonite Church where **current ministries and events would all have a system of working together with accountability.** Please pray for God's guidance as they continue to meet and finalize a proposal for council and our church. May God bring health to our structure and system at FMC!
- **One-year pastoral review:** We joyfully celebrate the Kanagy's first full year as ministers of our church! As we reach this milestone, the elders and church council will be undertaking a **one-year review** of our pastors. While we will wait until the three-year mark of their ministries to undertake a full congregational review, if anyone not in leadership **would like to offer up specific input** for the Kanagys, please see one of the elders (Dean Burden, Bill Speight or Maria Witmer-Rich) **prior to their June meeting.**
- **Please pick up an evaluation** for our Discipleship series. Copies are available in the office or from Cara Speros. Next Sunday, June 6, we will meet together during Sunday School as a large group to turn in the evaluations and discuss our next steps.