

Please pray...

Upcoming Birthdays...



Keep these people in your prayers this week as they celebrate another year of life!

If you have a prayer request or praise that you would like to share, contact Cara Speros. secretary@friendmc.org.



Friendship Mennonite Church

Changing Lives Through Jesus Christ

June 10, 2012

*You shall keep my statutes and my ordinances;
by doing so one shall live: I am the Lord.
– Leviticus 18:5*

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Praising

Songs of Praise

Offering

Hearing

A2O Sharing

Children are dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Reading: Numbers 13:25–14:4

Sermon: “*Sour Grapes*” Kevin Kanagy

Responding

Responding Song

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Sending Song

Welcome to Friendship Mennonite Church!

Visiting this week?

We are so glad you've joined us for worship! We hope you find a place to belong here. We together are searching for Jesus in our lives. Come visit again soon!

Announcements

- **Thank you** for your faithful giving of tithes and offerings at FMC. The first quarter financial report (Jan - March) conveyed that we are behind an average of \$300 a Sunday. Please consider giving extra this quarter for the mission of the church and building of God's kingdom. Thanks!
- **Help with our A2O puzzle!** We are in need of volunteers to paint, draw or write on our puzzle pieces. Ask **Anita Hooley Yoder** for a piece fits the Alpha to Omega display at the front of the church.
- **SIGN UP TO SERVE** It's that time again when we're asking you to reflect on how you might be willing to serve at Friendship in the coming year. You can fill out the *Sign Up to Serve* sheet and place it in the box in the vestibule or in the collection plate **as soon as possible**. You can also give it to **Sheri Banks** if that is more convenient for you. Your contribution to our community life is appreciated!
- **Church Directory Update** We will have an updated copy of the church directory available in the coming weeks. If your information has changed, please let **Cara Speros** know. Also, we are adding a directory to our members-only portion of the website. If there is information you'd rather not be available on this password protected area, let Cara know. Also see Cara if you would like the login information for this part of the website.
- **Women's Time Out** will meet on Thursday at 4:00 at **Marjorie Kotva's** home. Contact Marjorie with questions.
- **A2O Bible Reading Discussions** If you are interested in discussing the weekly scripture readings, a group will gather on Sunday mornings at 9:30 this summer. See **Christina Stehouwer** for more information.
- **Additional Giving for Last Sunday:** Meals on Wheels: \$15.00; MCC Meat Canner: \$30.00.

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Amy Gingerich

Song Leader: Nan Kanagy

Piano: Nan Kanagy

Usher: Elizabeth Jones

Worship Nursery: Sharon & Jim Thomas

Greeter: Chris Savage

Sound: Jerry Ruff

PowerPoint: Jerry Ruff

Preschool Class: Jennifer Speight Children's Church: Maria Witmer-Rich

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Looking Ahead

Wednesday, June 13

FMC City Fresh Stop 4:30 – 6:30

Thursday, June 14

Women's Bible Study 6:30

Wednesday, June 20

FMC City Fresh Stop 5:30-6:30

Family Fun Night 5:30

Thursday, June 21

Women's Time Out 4:00

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Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:

\$1984.51

Weekly Budget:

\$1371.00

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Monday, June 11: Numbers 22:1-24:25, pages 256-262

Tuesday, June 12: Numbers 25:1-26:65, pages 262-266

Wednesday, June 13: Numbers 27:1-29:40, pages 266-271

Thursday, June 14: Numbers 30:1-31:54, pages 271-273

Friday, June 15: Numbers 32:1-33:56, pages 273-277

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