

Sunday morning worship series: Healthy Relationships (September 22 - October 13) and **Healthy Marriages** (October 27 - November 24). Pastors Kevin and Nan, the elders and worship committee, have been praying about and planning for this and are excited about what is to come! What does God say about how we function? Why is it so hard to get along? How can we get through conflict in a Godly way? Please prayerfully approach this season and invite family and friends to participate!

FAMILYLIFE® presents
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All married couples who are regular attenders at Friendship Mennonite Church are urged to attend a marriage getaway weekend! Full funding for registration is available when entire event is attended. Couples must pay for their own lodging. Choose from the following dates to get away:

November 8-10, 2013 - Pittsburgh

March 7-9, 2014 - Akron

March 14 -16, 2014 - Independence

Please contact Rudy or Shirley Coblentz with questions. 330-653-3303

Steps to Register:

1. Register and pay at www.familylife.com
2. Email your receipt to Sue Coblentz, treasurer: sue@coblentzhomes.com. She will reimburse your cost from the FMC marriage fund.
3. Book the hotel of your choice
4. Mark your calendar and prayerfully prepare.



Friendship Mennonite Church

October 13, 2013

Welcome
Opening Song
Call to Worship
Songs of Praise

Scripture Reading: James 1:19-20
Sermon: "Love is Slow" Kevin Kanagy

Responding Song
Congregational Sharing & Prayer
Offering
Announcements
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. Together we are serving Jesus and looking for God's work in our world.
Come visit again soon!

Announcements

- **LAST RETREAT POTLUCK!** Join us THIS AFTERNOON at 4:00 in the afternoon for a Hot Dog Roast at Friendship Retreat! Bring your own utensils! Directions are in the lobby.
- **The Friendship Vocal Ensemble** will practice immediately following today's service. Newcomers and old comers are welcome. Please be prompt. Thank you, Elizabeth.
- **Coffee and Doughnuts** Volunteers are needed to bring refreshments and prepare coffee before church on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Sign up on the bulletin board in the foyer. See Angela Thornton or Christina Stehouwer for details.
- **Potluck Outside!** October 23 starting at 4:30 pm all City Fresh volunteers, shareholders and any interested supporter is invited to come celebrate with us in a season end potluck! Contact April or Nan with questions.
- **Girl Talk Community Club** The last Wednesday of every month, Pastor Nan will be leading "Girl Talk", a club for community girls ages 9 - 13 at 4:00 pm. Anyone willing to donate crafts or snacks, please contact her.
- **Ohio Mennonite Conference Area Cluster meetings** will be held here at FMC on Tuesday, November 12th at 7 pm. We need volunteers to prepare drinks and snacks for this event. Please contact Cara Speros if you can help out. All FMC members are invited to attend. It will be a review of what is happening in and around Ohio Conference churches. Our delegates Dean Burden and Kathy Harris will represent us there.
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** Sunday School: \$16.00; MCC Meat Canner: \$30.00.



Happy Birthday!



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

*Please contact the church office
for a list of upcoming birthdays!*

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Dean Burden

Song Leader: Jonathan Witmer-Rich

Piano: Rhonda Savage

Usher: Tim Savage

Sunday School Nursery: C Speros

Greeter: Mary Lowery

Worship Nursery: D & J Hartzler

Sunday Building Trustee: Jerry Ruff

A/V Team (Sound/PowerPoint): Jerry Ruff & Eric Miller

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Shirley Coblentz

Song leader: Nan Kanagy

Usher: Elizabeth Jones

Greeter: Parsilla & Mel Honsaker

SS Nursery: Chris Coblentz

Worship Nursery: April Mather

Sunday Building Trustee: Ben Yoder

Looking Ahead

TODAY

Membership Class 12:00 pm

Tuesday, October 15

Potluck at Friendship Retreat 4:00 pm

Saturday, October 19

Administrative Team Meeting 6:30 pm

Tuesday, October 22

Worship Jam 2-4 pm at FMC

Tuesday, November 12

Chili Cook-off at the church! 4:30 pm

Worship Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

Ohio Conference Cluster Meeting 7 pm

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:

\$1916.71

Weekly Budget:

\$1371.00

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Annual Chili Cook Off / Fall Fest!

Saturday, October 19th

4:30 p.m.

At the church!

Vote for your favorite chili with a monetary donation*!

**Donations will go to construct a new shed behind the sanctuary.*

To enter your Prize winning chili or bring a side dish, sign up on the bulletin board or contact Amy Gingerich or Pastor Nan



this year we will also feature...

Pumpkin Painting

and

A Photo Booth!

(bring wacky dress up items for your picture)

