

Upcoming Sermon Series on Revelation!

In the month of May we'll begin a new sermon series on the often misunderstood book of Revelation. It will continue for both May and June! We are excited for this time to dig deeper into this book both during our worship time as well as in adult Christian Education.



Mark your calendars for...

Friendship Community Funfest and Bake Sale!

When: Saturday, June 7, 2014

11:00 am-3:00 pm

What: A community event including a picnic lunch and fun and games on the church lawn!

Who: Friendship Mennonite Church congregation plus the daycare and other members of the community.

Brought to you by the Shed Fundraising Committee



Happy Birthday!



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

Contact the church office for a list of upcoming birthdays



Friendship Mennonite Church

April 27, 2014

Welcome
Call to Worship
Opening Song
Songs of Praise
Scripture Reading: Luke 24:45 – 53, 1 Corinthians 10: 31
Sermon: "Living in God's Glory" Nan Kanagy
Responding Song
Congregational Sharing and Prayer
Offering
Penny Power Offering
Announcements
Sending Song

Visiting this week?

Welcome to Friendship Mennonite Church!

We are so glad you've joined us for worship! We hope you find a place to belong and consider joining us in God's mission. We are looking for people to join us who are interested in learning more about Jesus, becoming a disciple and finding out God's purpose for them in life!

Announcements

- **Thank you** to everyone who donated items for the MCC Refugee Kits. We are planning a time of dedication for the kits today. Thank you to **April Mather** for organizing the collection!
- **Prayer Time** All are invited to join together from 9:00-9:30 for a time of prayer for our church and community and for what God is doing around us.
- **Church Work Day** 9:00 am THIS Saturday May 3rd come on out to our spring church work day! Childcare will be provided. We'll need a lot of help to mulch and to prepare for the building of our new shed. Lunch will be provided as well! Come one and all! Contact Rudy Coblentz with questions.
- **Church Life Meeting.** Immediately following worship NEXT SUNDAY, May 4th we will gather for a church life meeting. Pizza provided. There is a letter in your church mailbox this morning explaining the agenda for the meeting. We hope all can attend.
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** Sunday School: \$2.00.

Adult Christian Education

Adults are invited to join us for the Spring Adult Education offering- a Bible study of the relationship between Jesus and the Old Testament. We'll start with a look at prophets such as Isaiah, Jeremiah, and Zechariah and explore how they speak to Jesus's life as told in the Gospels. We'll then move to look at how Jesus used scripture from Deuteronomy and Leviticus. Join us from 9:30-10:30 in the Conference Room.

- Today- Isaiah 52:5-8b; Luke 24:25-27, 44-47 & Care Group
- May 4- Deuteronomy 6:13-16; Matthew 4:4-11
- May 11- Luke 4:14-21 & Care Group Time
- May 18- Matthew 15:1-11, 15-20
- May 25- Leviticus 19:18; Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Mark 12:28-34 & Care Group Time

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Anita Hooley Yoder

Song Leader: Rhonda Savage

Piano: Elizabeth Jones

Usher: Chris Savage

Sunday School Nursery: Chris Coblentz

Greeter: Ryan Claassen

Worship Nursery: J & L Hartzler Sunday Building Trustee: C & S Coblentz

A/V Team (Sound/PowerPoint): Ben Yoder & Eric Miller

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Nate Stehouwer

Song Leader: Rachel Miller

Usher: Matt Savage

Greeters: Melvin & Parsilla Honsaker

SS Nursery: Rudy Coblentz

Worship Nursery: Mary Wright

Sunday Building Trustee: TBA

Looking Ahead

Saturday, May 3

Church Work Day 9:00 am - noon

Sunday, May 4

Church Life Meeting after Worship

Wednesday, May 14

Worship Committee Meeting 6 pm

Tuesday, May 20

Administrative Team Meeting 6:30 pm

Sunday, May 25

Potluck at Friendship Retreat 4:00 pm

Wednesday, June 4

City Fresh Opening Day at FMC!

Saturday, June 7

Friendship Community Funfest 11 am

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:

\$964.00

Weekly Budget:

\$1371.00

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Calling ALL regular attenders at FMC!

We need you! Sign up to serve! Please grab a yellow form in the foyer and fill it out to help us continue (or begin new) ministries in our church. In what ways might God be calling you to serve?

Service Notes



City Fresh 2014 Season Update!

On March 21st, the first Advisory Board Meeting for the 2014 City Fresh Season met. Our board includes April Mather, Barbra Diczhazy, Nan Kanagy and Sarah Grace Schoeffler. We are looking forward to an exciting season! We will continue to meet once a month.

Did you know we were included in the March 19th Plain Dealer article on local CSAs? At this time we are working on making our stop more appealing both to those who have limited time to prep fresh food as well as those interested in preserving & slow food prep.

Ways to pray:

- That we may be God's light to our community and that many will be willingly available to do God's work.
- The provision of new managers (besides April)
- For volunteers to help make this possible
- For wisdom for the advisory board as they plan

Needs:

- 2 new managers for our Fresh Stop. Anyone interested can apply or get more information from April Mather (april.luginbuhl@gmail.com). **Additionally, job descriptions are available in the foyer.**
- Extending our advertising into Solon. If you are interested in helping to distribute fliers, please contact Pastor Nan.
- Volunteers for the summer on Wednesdays. Sign up coming soon!

Running a weekly “City Fresh Stop” is a ministry of Friendship Mennonite Church and several other agencies/individuals/churches in the area. City Fresh is a Cleveland area CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) program. Pick up is on Wednesdays throughout the summer. Visit www.cityfresh.org for more info.

Opening day is June 4th!