



Join us Wednesdays Through October 22!

Join us 5-6:30 Wednesdays through October.

Thank You... to everyone at FMC who volunteered and prayed for City Fresh this year. We had a great season, meeting new friends in the community, connecting with our shareholders, praying for each other. We have a prayer jar full of prayer requests from the 2014 season that we have been praying over throughout the season.

And, the season isn't over yet!

Join us Wednesday October 22nd from 5-6:30 for an end of the season potluck. Bring a dish to share and meet our shareholders. If you'd like to order a share to pick up on the 22nd, let April Mather know.

Ways to pray for this ministry:

Pray for the City Fresh Advisory Board as we transition to an off season time of listening for how God is calling us to serve in 2015.

Running a weekly "City Fresh Stop" is a ministry of Friendship Mennonite Church and several area agencies/individuals/churches. City Fresh is a Cleveland area CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) program. Visit www.cityfresh.org for more info.



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

October 5, 2014

Welcome
Opening Song
Call to Worship
Songs of Praise
Scripture Reading: Philippians 3:4b-14
Sermon: "Press On" Kevin Kanagy
Responding Song
Communion
Congregational Prayer
Offering – Kennedy Weaver, *Solo*
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

- **Spiritual Formation Group** Register today for a spiritual journey into the depths God's love with others. There are 6 spots available to join Pastor Nan on a journey of Spiritual Formation on Sunday mornings from 9:30 – 10:30 am for 8 weeks. SFG's are small fellowships that exist for mutual support, encouragement, and accountability as we participate in our transformation into Christlikeness. Drawing their format from small group models that span the centuries – from the Benedictines in the 6th Century to Methodism in the 17th Century to Alcoholics Anonymous in the 20th century – participants in these groups will ask one another the old question, "How is it with your soul?" We will use A Spiritual Formation Workbook by the Renovare' group led by Richard Foster. Please register with Pastor Nan.
- **Communion** This morning, we will be celebrating communion together. We welcome all to the table to remember the life and death of Jesus. Grapes and a blessing will be available for the children as a special time for them to share.
- **MCC Meat Canner** will be in Middlefield on October 17. For more information, see **Joe Kotva**.
- **Shed Fund Donations** A donor has offered to match dollar for dollar funds given for the shed. We need almost \$1,500 to cover the expense of building the shed. Your money given now will be doubled thanks to this generous donor. Please consider donating to help Friendship fund the shed!
- **Potluck at Retreat** We will gather at Friendship Retreat NEXT Sunday, October 5 for our last Potluck, the annual Hot Dog Roast, at 4:00 pm. Make plans to join us! Bring a dish to share and your own place settings. See **Chris or Sue Schmucker Coblentz** if you need directions or for more information.

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: April Mather

Song Leader: Vocal Ensemble

Piano: Elizabeth Jones

Usher: Todd Miller

Sunday School Nursery: Steve Mather

Greeter: Jerrald Covington

Worship Nursery: R Claassen & A Gingerich

A/V Team: Ben Yoder

Sunday Building Trustee: Mather

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Anita Hooley Yoder

Song Leader: Rhonda Savage

Usher: Jonathan Hartzler

Greeter: Rudy Coblentz

SS Nursery: Ryan Claassen

Worship Nursery: Lian Hartzler

A/V Team: Ben Speros

Sunday Building Trustee: Gingerich-Claassen

Looking Ahead

TODAY

Wednesday, October 8

Tuesday, October 14

Saturday, October 18

Saturday, October 25

Potluck at Friendship Retreat 4:00 pm

City Fresh Stop 5-6:0 pm

Worship Committee Meeting 6:00 pm

Children's Christian Ed Meeting 7:00 pm

Fall Chili Cookoff at Kanagy's

Leadership Team Meeting

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:

\$489.00

Weekly Budget:

\$1371.00

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Announcements Continued

- **Save the date** for our ANNUAL Chili Cook off Fundraiser! October 18 at 4:00 - 6 pm. S'mores, Fun and Fellowship. To sign up, place your name on the bulletin board on the sign-up sheet or contact Angela Thornton. We will continue raising money for our new shed, which we still need over \$1500 for. Thank you!
- **Additional Giving for Last Sunday:** Sunday School: \$33.00; Shed Fund: \$25.00; Penny Power Offering: \$32.60; Memorial Fund: \$120.00.

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November 7-9, 2014 – Pittsburgh

November 14-16, 2014 – Monroeville, PA

February 20-22, 2015 – Cleveland

March 6-8, 2015 – Akron

Please contact Rudy or Shirley Coblentz before registering.

Make your good marriage better!



Annual Chili Cook Off !

Saturday, October 18th

4:00 p.m.

Kevin & Nan Kanagy's house

41 Elm Street, Bedford

***Weather permitting**

Vote for your favorite chili with a monetary donation*!

*Donations will go to the shed fund.

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

There will be smore's and a campfire for everyone to enjoy! Please bring a lawn chair.

Rain location – Friendship Mennonite Church