

Church Life Meeting

Sunday, January 18, 2015
12:15 pm

Please join us for our annual church life meeting. We will share details concerning Pastor Kevin and Pastor Nan's upcoming sabbatical as well as discuss the budget plans for 2015.

Congregational Meeting



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

January 4, 2015

Welcome
Opening Song
Call to Worship
Songs of Praise
Scripture Reading: Matthew 2:1-12
Sermon: "The Brightest Dawn" Kevin Kanagy
Responding Song
Congregational Prayer
Offering
Hannah Kanagy, Piano
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 in life!

Announcements

- **Today is Epiphany Sunday** and tomorrow, January 6, concludes the "12 days of Christmas." On Epiphany we commemorate the arrival of the wise men to pay homage to Christ Jesus, as recorded in Matthew's account of the birth of Jesus. The word epiphany means manifestation: God is revealed to us in the form of Jesus. Because the magi were not Jewish, the occasion also commemorates God's love and salvation for all people, Jews as well as Gentiles.
- **Dear Church**, thank you so much to those of you who gave to our family generously this past December financially by means of a Christmas bonus. We were so blessed to receive this from the church and we can't begin to tell you how grateful we are for this gift. There are always year end and financial expenses that come up with our family and your contribution was a blessing in so many ways. We are thankful for you, FMC! - The Kanagys
- **Next Sunday**, January 11th, pastor Nan will be bringing the morning message entitled "The Friendship of Christ" You are invited to bring a symbol of friendship that has been meaningful to you in the past. There will be a time of sharing and testimony for those who wish to share. Please let her know in advance if you are able. Pastor Kevin will be preaching at First Mennonite Church in Sugarcreek, Ohio.
- **Next Sunday**, January 11th, come prepared to share a favorite Bible verse with our young people who will be receiving Bibles.
- **MC USA Convention** This summer, MC USA's Convention will take place in Kansas City. From June 30-July 5, Mennonites will gather to encounter Jesus together. Visit www.mennoniteusa.org/convention for details!
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** Penny Power: \$12.85.

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Anita Hooley Yoder

Song Leader: Rhonda Savage

Piano: Elizabeth Jones

Usher: Tim Savage

Sunday School Nursery: Steve Mather

Greeter: Rudy Coblentz

Worship Nursery: Mary Wright

A/V Team: Ben Speros

Sunday Building Trustee: Ben Speros

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Amy Gingerich

Song Leader: Rachel Miller

Usher: Bill Speight

Greeter: Bill Speight

SS Nursery: Todd Miller

Worship Nursery: April Mather

A/V Team: Eric Miller

Sunday Building Trustee: Millers

Looking Ahead

Monday, January 12

Sabbatical Planning Team Meeting 7 pm

Sunday, January 18

Church Life Meeting after Worship

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:
\$121.00

Weekly Budget:
\$1371.00

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