

Fruit and Friends

A mid-winter fruit party for Youth and Mentors

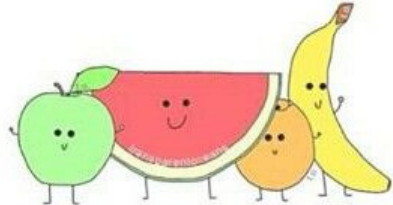
Sunday, February 28, 2016

Right after Worship in the Fellowship Hall

Bring 5-6 servings of your favorite fruit ready to be served

You will have time to check in with each other and talk about what's going on in life, as well as plan future gatherings and events.

Questions? Contact Cara Speros at
secretary@friendmc.org



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

February 21, 2016

Welcome
Opening Song
Call to Worship
Songs of Praise
Confession
Scripture Reading: Ephesians 2:11-22
Sermon: *"One New Humanity"* Kevin Kanagy
Responding Song
Congregational Sharing & Prayer
Children's Moment
Offering – *Kennedy Weaver*
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

- **Community Garden** Bedford Heights Daycare, which meets in our building Monday-Friday, has been awarded a grant to create a learning/community garden on the premises. If you are interested in helping with this project, please see Pastor Nan.
- **Becoming Missional: Re-Learning How to Be Sent** This workshop will take place March 10-11 in Archbold, OH before Ohio Conference's Annual Conference Assembly. The workshop will explore ways to be faithful to the mission of God. Funds are available to pay for the registration fee and one night of lodging. Contact Pastor Nan and nan@friendmc.org or see the brochure in your church mailbox for more information.
- **Lent 2016** Today marks the second Sunday in Lent. Lent is the 40 days before Easter that we turn inward and focus on growing closer to Jesus.
- **Women's Retreat** Ladies, mark your calendar for March 18-19 for Spark: Igniting Your God-Given Creativity – a women's retreat for the women of FMC and friends. We will gather at Camp Asbury in Hiram, Ohio. Registration for the full event is \$55 per person and if you just want to attend on Saturday, registration is \$30.00. Scholarships are available! Contact Cara Speros at secretary@friendmc.org for more information.
- **Join Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Great Lakes** for an informative day of workshops, worship, and dialogue on Saturday, April 16, 2016. The day will begin at 9:00 am with worship and end at 5:00 pm. MCC U.S. staff will join other invited presenters in leading public workshops on immigration, gun violence/incarceration, Iran, school bullying, and anti-oppression. Lunch will be provided. The Peace Gathering will take place at Kidron Mennonite Church (Kidron, Ohio). See Anita Hooley Yoder if you are interested in attending.
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** Sunday School: \$7.00; Meals on Wheels: \$5.00; MAMA Project: \$90.00.

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Anita Hooley Yoder *Song Leader:* Rhonda Savage
Piano: Elizabeth Jones *Usher:* Jonathan Hartzler
Sunday School Nursery: Rachel Miller *Greeter:* Ryan Claassen
Worship Nursery: Sue Schmucker Coblentz *A/V Team:* Ben Yoder
Sunday Building Trustee: Schmucker Coblentz

Serving Next Sunday

Worship Leader: Nan Kanagy *Song Leader:* Nan Kanagy
Usher: Elizabeth Jones *Greeter:* Ryan Claassen
SS Nursery: Todd Miller *Worship Nursery:* Amy Gingerich
A/V Team: Nate Arn *Sunday Building Trustee:* Joe Kotva

Looking Ahead

Tuesday, February 23	Transition Team Meeting 6:30 pm
Sunday, February 28	Youth and Mentor Event Noon
March 10-11	Becoming Missional Conference
March 11-12	Ohio Conference Annual Conference
March 18-19	Women's Retreat
Saturday, April 16	MCC Great Lakes Peace Gathering

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:
\$1261.00

Weekly Budget:
\$1371.00

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