

June 12, 2011

WORSHIP SERVICE

Worship Leader—Jonathan Sauder
Sermon—Chloe Reist-Cowell
Song Leader—Louise Ranck
Prelude and Offertory—Phoebe Baum
Sound Technician—
Greeters—Jim Spicher, Carol Spicher
Ushers—John Kanagy, Darlis Myer

CHILDCARE

Dave Bauman, Meghan McLane, Chris Hoover Seidel
Helper: Isaac Martin

CHURCH CALENDAR

June 12 Pentecost—Parrot Pinning
18 Donut Day AKA Church Cleaning, 8 a.m.

<p>Church Report May 22, 2011 Attendance: 1st Service—86 2nd Service—94 General Fund Offering: \$6924</p> <p>May 29, 2011 Attendance: 160 General Fund Offering: \$7985</p>

Budget Report—May 31, 2011		Sep 2010–Aug 2011 Budget: \$446,420
Income to Date	Budget to Date	Expenditures to Date
\$293,008	\$334,815	\$302,708
We are \$41,807 behind budget and have spent \$9,700 more than we have taken in.		



ANNOUNCEMENTS—JUNE 5, 2011

FOR JUNE 5 TO JUNE 11, 2011

CMCL

TODAY, JUNE 5—QUICHE AND MUFFIN BRUNCH—Hospitality Committee is serving a quiche, fruit and muffin brunch following the worship service, today, Sunday, June 5. All are welcome.

DONUT DAY AKA CHURCH CLEANING—Join the Facilities Committee for our semi-annual cleaning and small repairs of our facility, 8 a.m. to noon, Saturday, June 18. Your reward will be good company, comfort food and life-sustaining work.

VENTURE CLUB FAMILY BIKE RIDE—We're rescheduling the bike ride to Sunday, June 19. It's Father's Day, but since this is a family bike ride, it will be a great way to celebrate! Meet at the Rails to Trails crossing on Rt 743 at 1:45 p.m. on June 19 so that we can be on our way by 2 p.m. Bring money for ice cream. RSVP to Carol Eby-Good.

IT'S FUN, IT'S EASY—Don't forget to submit your planned giving for fiscal year 2011–2012. Simply go to www.surveymonkey.com/s/FM7WGLF and follow the Lord's leading. Both She and CMCL love cheerful and generous givers.

PARROT PINNING! Sunday, June 12 we will be honoring the over-50ss among us at CMCL. So, if you just turned 50 this year, or are over 50 but have never received a parrot pin, please come prepared to receive your very own parrot pin next Sunday. If you already have a parrot pin, please wear it next Sunday to join the celebration!

MISS THE LAST SENIOR YOUTH YARD SALE? We'll be having another one sometime this summer, so start a box of the things you don't want anymore! Details to come soon. Also, a HUGE thanks for everyone who was a part of the last one. We raised almost \$4000!

SPANISH CONVERSATION GROUP—Today, June 5, a brief introductory/planning meeting will take place after the service in the sanctuary balcony. All interested people and all levels of Spanish speakers are welcome and encouraged to attend!
—*Phoebe Baum*

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING— There will be a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, June 26, starting at 11:00 a.m. Please plan on attending as we will be discussing our Grant St. project and our 2011-12 budget. Childcare will be provided.

SEND FUND (Sharing Enthusiastically Near and Distant) is an opportunity for Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster to share out of our financial abundance with other churches, locally and globally, by contributing to their projects. Proposal applications are located on the literature table in the Fellowship Room. Proposals are due in the church office mailbox by June 12.

FROM CHAD MARTIN— My sabbatical began June 1 and continues through Labor Day. I will be gone from CMCL during this time, refueling for my pastoral work among us. My family and I will remain in Lancaster most of the summer. I am eagerly looking forward to getting my hands back in clay work at a rented studio at Kevin Lehman Pottery. I will also participate in a Liturgical Arts Week facilitated by Jan Richardson at the Grunewald Guild in the mountains of Washington state this August. Other anticipated activities include visiting other churches, extra time with family and friends and lots of reading and writing. I especially hope this time provides space for a renewed inner life of spiritual practices and communion with God. I will miss you all these months, but am so thankful to CMCL for this opportunity.

CHAD BLOGS—Curious about what Chad is up to this summer? He will be writing updates from time to time at his blog. You can follow it online at www.chadthepotter.blogspot.com.

MOVING DAY—Want to help with a truck-less move? We're moving two doors down on Saturday, June 11 and could use some helpers to carry our belongings across our neighbors lawn and into our new home. We'd love to see you. 1027 W. New St., Lancaster, between State and Race Streets. 9-? Call 390-1046 with questions.
—*Katy Heinzl*

TOWNHOUSE FOR SALE—Becci and Paul Leatherman are planning to move to Landis Homes Retirement Community later this summer. They have put their Kissel Hill Commons townhouse on the market. If you are interested in details, you may call Kate McConaghy at 717-615-8976, or find her at www.kateshomes.com.

A BIG THANK YOU to Carol Spicher, Laura Boll and Jeff Martin who volunteered their time and expertise two weeks ago. They provided materials on nutrition and other health issues to Fulton Elementary School's Health and Wellness Family Night on May 24. Jeff also enlisted several Lancaster General residents to help. The school could not have done it with out you all! Thanks for your generous work among CMCL neighbors.

COMMUNITY/GENERAL MENNONITE

MENNONITE SPORTS ORGANIZATION (MSO), which provides sports opportunities for elementary age children, will offer boys soccer for pre-kindergarten through grade 6 and girls field hockey for grades 1–6 beginning in August. To register by the early discount deadline date of June 17, go to www.mennonitesports.org or e-mail mso@lancastermennonite.org. Volunteer coaches are needed for both sports.

KAIROS SUMMER PROGRAMS—The following Kairos School of Spiritual Formation programs have a registration deadline of June 10. Visit www.on-the-journey.org for more information.

- ***Understanding the Enneagram***—Saturday, June 25, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m. Spiritual guides have used the Enneagram for over 2,000 years. It offers a journey through self-discovery to freedom. Focus will be on its history, model, wings, arrows, lived experiences and natural prayer forms.
- ***Summer 5-Day Silent Retreat***—Sunday, June 26 –Friday, July 1. You may register for 5 days or any part of this silent directed retreat. Each day holds an optional short worship service and opportunity to meet with a spiritual director from the Kairos team.
- ***Visualizing Your Spiritual Journey***—Sunday, June 26 – Friday, July 1. You may register for 5 days or any part of this retreat. The retreat is designed for you to use the media of your choice (painting, drawing, writing, collage, dance) in creative exercises that will lead to new awareness of the power of prayer and God's love. No art or writing experience necessary.