

Spring Mount Mennonite Church

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Our Mission: *To reach out to our community as a healthy congregation able to offer welcome and fellowship for the purpose of salvation and nurture in God's grace.*

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Preservice Prayer Time 9:30 a.m. (in a classroom in the basement)

Worship Service 9:45 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:45 a.m.

June 28, 2009

Preservice Music Eleanor Ruth

Gathering and Praising

Welcome and Call to Worship Eileen Viau

Scripture: Psalm 8 p. 427

Congregational Singing Gay Brunt Miller

Sharing Praises and Prayer Requests

Congregational Prayer Gay Brunt Miller

Congregational Singing Gay Brunt Miller

Offering

Dismissal of children for children's church

Hearing God's Word

Scripture: Genesis 1:26-27 p. 1

Sermon: "The Gospel and the Image" Chris Nickels

Responding / Sending

Song of Response Gay Brunt Miller

Announcements

Sending Eileen Viau

Greeters/Ushers:	Carl Nyce	David McDonough	Carol Menser
	Eva Nyce	Jonathan Pennington	Rich Miller

UPCOMING EVENTS AT SPRING MOUNT MENNONITE CHURCH

Monday to Friday, **July 6-10**, 6:30-8:30 p.m. – **Vacation Bible School**

Friday, **July 10**, 7:30 p.m. – **VBS Program** at Lower Frederick Fire House

Sunday, **July 12**, 10:00 a.m. – **Sunday in the Park** – Celebrate a special time of **worship** followed by a **fellowship lunch** at noon at Green Lane Park.

Bring chairs and blankets and your special dish to share.

NEXT SUNDAY: July 5, 2009

Sermon: "The Gospel Restores the Image" Chris Nickels

Scripture: Romans 3

Worship Leader: Ben Morrow

Song Leader: Dave Brunk

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Directions to Green Lane Park: Take Route 29 north through Green Lane, past intersection with Route 63. Take first left after gas station, first left at Deep Creek sign, and first left again to park area leading to tennis court / bandstand area.

The **Mennonite Conference Center** will be open for reduced hours from June 29 to July 3, due to the Mennonite Church USA Convention in Columbus. Office hours will be as follows:

Monday, June 29, to Thursday, July 2: 9:00 a.m. to noon

Friday, July 3: CLOSED for the Fourth of July

Spruce Lake Retreat's FAMILY WEEKS (July 10-16 and August 23-28) offer the opportunity to give your children the most valuable thing you own – your time. At these family events, you'll enjoy a balanced mix of spontaneous and scheduled time for all sorts of fun together. And throughout each week, there is plenty of time for nourishing your walk with Christ. For more details and to make reservations, call 800-822-7505 or visit www.sprucelake.org.

There will be a **Used Book Sale** on Thursday & Friday, **July 16 & 17**, 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, **July 18**, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., at the **Mennonite Heritage Center**. Donations of good condition used books and/or rare books are being accepted now through July 7. Also needed are used CD's, DVD's, LP records and puzzles in good condition. Please no textbooks, phone books, magazines, Reader's Digest Condensed books, or cassettes. For information call 215-256-3020 or email info@mhep.org.

The June issue of Peace & Justice News, which features interesting stories from several congregations about their work for peace and justice, is now posted at www.easterndistrict.rg/pjnews/pjn0906.pdf.

SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE MONTH:

Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things..
Philippians 4:8

REMINDER OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 15-16 – University of Pennsylvania Fulbright Fellows Peach Picnic and weekend home stay visit

Jerusalem Community Food Pantry Project of the Month – You are invited to bring donations of **canned meat** during June and place them in the box in the foyer.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES AND SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

- **Men-O-Lan Camp & Conference Center** is seeking a Guest Services Director
- **Burmese refugee family** is in need of a congregational sponsor.
Check bulletin board in foyer for more details and additional postings.

JOIN IN PRAYER FOR:

- **Gay Brunt Miller and Eileen Viau**, as they travel to and participate in Mennonite Church USA Convention 2009 in Columbus, Ohio, this week.