

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.

Pastor:	Christian J. Nickels	610-287-3681
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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.

July 19, 2009

Preservice Music		Chris Nickels
Gathering and Praising		
Welcome and Call to Worship		Bill Hallahan
Congregational Singing		Walton Ruth
Sharing Praises and Prayer Requests		
Congregational Prayer		
Congregational Singing		Walton Ruth
Offering		
Hearing God's Word		
Scriptures:	Revelation 21:1-5	pp. 1007-1008
	Romans 12:1-5	
Sermon:	"Re-union & Comm-union"	Chris Nickels
Responding / Sending		
Song of Response		Walton Ruth
Announcements		
Sending		Bill Hallahan

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

UPCOMING EVENTS AT SPRING MOUNT MENNONITE CHURCH

Sunday, **August 9**, 11:00 a.m. – **Annual Business Meeting** – Agenda items include budget for the 2009-10 fiscal year, affirmation of newly appointed committee members, and decision regarding The Corinthian Plan. Please plan to attend to participate in the discussion and the decision making.

NEXT SUNDAY: July 26, 2009

Sermon: **"Good News & Golf Clubs"** Chris Nickels

Worship Leader: Chris Nickels, Jr.
Song Leader: Gay Brunt Miller

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A **Holy Land Study Tour** is being formed by Glenn Witmer, director for MennoJersusalem Bible Land Tours, **for people of the Franconia and Eastern District Mennonite Churches** in October 2010. This study tour is especially designed for pastors, teachers and leadership, but is certainly open to all interested persons. To see an informational packet, visit your church office. The informational packet includes detailed daily itineraries, biographical information on Glenn Witmer and endorsements from previous tour members. A letter containing important dates and people to contact if you are interested in participating is also part of the packet.

The annual **Fall Seniors Retreat** will be held at Spruce Lake Retreat Center on September 14 - 16. The retreat will feature fellowship with kindred spirits in Christ, in the natural beauty surrounding Spruce Lake. A gospel concert will be presented by musician and guitarist **Bruce Burgess**. Mark Fly, Director of Development at Spruce Lake, will be the song leader. The all-inclusive rate for the Fall Seniors Retreat is \$165.00 per individual or \$325.00 per couple. For reservations, call 800-822-7505.

All ladies are invited to attend the **Women's Retreat** at Spruce Lake Retreat Center on **September 18 - 20**. The week-end will feature inspirational speaker, recording artist and songwriter Bonnie Keen and worship leader Jackie Swartley. Don't miss out on this opportunity for sisterly camaraderie, plenty of fun and time for nurturing your relationship with Christ. The all-inclusive package is \$179.00 per person. Register by August 1 to receive a 10% lodging discount. For reservations, call Spruce Lake at 800-822-7505.

Wellspring Church of Skippack's **Restorative Justice** ministry at the State Corrections Institution at Graterford is in need of volunteers. Graterford inmates are responding very positively to the Restorative Justice principles, practices and values. If you think you might be interested in a challenging but exciting ministry of this kind, please contact Pastor Mike Meneses at 610-489-2688 or 215-393-9836. You will be blessed!

SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE MONTH: But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be give to you as well. -Matthew 6:33

JOB OPPORTUNITIES AND SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Check bulletin board in foyer latest postings.

Jerusalem Community Food Pantry Project of the Month – You are invited to bring donations of canned or bottled juice during July and place them in the box in the foyer.
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JOIN IN PRAYER FOR:

Patricia (Cheryl McCauley's granddaughter)