

Spring Mount Mennonite Church

www.springmountmennonite.org

610-287-5280

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.

August 2, 2009

Preservice Music

Gathering and Praising

Welcome and Call to Worship	Glenn Cooper
Congregational Singing	Gay Brunt Miller
Offering	
Scripture	1 Peter 3:14-15
Sharing Praises and Prayer Requests	
Congregational Prayer	
Congregational Singing	Gay Brunt Miller

Dismissal of children for children's church

Hearing God's Word

Scripture:	Matthew 5:21-26; 43-48	pp. 786-787
Sermon:	"In or Out"	Chris Nickels

Responding / Sending

Song of Response	Gay Brunt Miller
Announcements	
Sending	Glenn Cooper

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

THIS WEEK AT SPRING MOUNT MENNONITE CHURCH

Wednesday, August 5, 7:00 p.m. – **Worship Committee Meeting**

NEXT SUNDAY: August 9, 2009

Sermon:	Dan McDonough
Song Leaders:	Deb & Dan McDonough

Our Annual Congregational Business Meeting will be held next Sunday, August 9, following the worship service. Agenda items include approval of budget for the 2009-10 fiscal year; affirmation of newly appointed committee members, and a decision regarding The Corinthian Plan.

Please plan to attend to participate in the discussion and the decision making.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATE:

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On Sunday, **August 2**, 7:00 p.m., **Benjamin Bergey** will be leading a **hymn sing** at **Blooming Glen Mennonite Church**, using the supplement to the Hymnal, *Sing the Story*. Bring friends and family who love to sing, and a copy of *Sing the Story*, if you have one. All are welcome to attend!

Children ages 3 through 4th grade are invited to attend **Catch the Spirit Vacation Bible School** at **Methacton Mennonite Church**, **August 3-6**, 6:30-9:00 p.m. For more information email contact@methactonmennonite.org.

Tenth Avenue North will perform at **Line Lexington Mennonite Church** on Saturday, **August 8**, 7:00 p.m. For **free tickets** contact LLMC.specialevents@gmail.com.

You are invited to two presentations about *fraktur* at area heritage centers. Historian and author **John Ruth** will speak on Wednesday, **August 12**, 7:30 p.m. on *Gottschall Fraktur* at the **Mennonite Heritage Center** in Harleysville. Curator **Candace Perry** will speak on *Women and Fraktur* on Thursday, **August 13**, 7:30 p.m., at the **Schwenkfelder Library & Heritage Center**, 105 Seminary Street, Pennsburg. No registration is necessary, but a \$5 admission fee is requested. For information call 215-256-3020 or visit www.mhep.org.

All are invited to the **August Prayer Gathering** of Franconia Mennonite Conference at **Plains Mennonite Church** in their outdoor pavilion on Wednesday, **August 12**, 6:30-8:30 p.m. We will worship, pray, and learn together as we explore how prayer can be a vital part of a missional church outreach.

Your hospitality is needed to welcome a group of 35 University of Pennsylvania Fulbright Scholars at a **Peach Picnic** on Saturday, **August 15**, 4:30-7:30 p.m., at the pavilion at **Blooming Glen Mennonite Church**. The international students will go home with you for an overnight stay and join you in the Sunday morning worship service at your home congregation. Guests will return to Philadelphia on Sunday, August 16, 3:00 p.m., departing from Souderton Mennonite Church. Contact Betsy Moy6er at 215-257-7419 or email moyerpb@yahoo.com to volunteer to host a student and to find out what to bring to the picnic. Thank you for your help in welcoming our guests.

REMINDER OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 14-16 – Fall Seniors' Retreat at Spruce lake Retreat Center
September 18-20 – Women's Retreat at Spruce Lake Retreat Center

JOB OPPORTUNITIES AND SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

- **Care and Share Shoppes** has an opening for a part-time Accounting Manager.
- **Souderton Mennonite Homes** is seeking people to play piano and lead singing and also to transport residents to Sunday services in the Summit View Auditorium.
Check bulletin board in foyer for more details and additional postings.