

Welcome to Wayne and Sheryl Lehman, Lancaster, Pa., who recently joined the International Guest House staff for a one-year voluntary service assignment.

Warm Nights 2011: March 6-13 is our week to host the Warm Nights shelter program. Warm Nights is a winter emergency program that provides shelter for residents of Prince George's County who, for whatever reason, have fallen on hard times and need emergency shelter. Community Crisis Services Inc. (CCSI) partners with 50 local congregations and the Prince George's County government to host this winter emergency shelter program. HMC is one of those congregations. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer to sign up for dinners and lunches for our guests. 2010 was a great year of participation with small groups and others providing what we need for our week of hosting. We expect the same this year. Please contact Mary Jo Schumacher with any questions at trwmjs@comcast.net or 301-680-2595.

Church List Serve: Join the HMC list serve to receive announcements and sharing each week. Send your request to hmcadmin@hyattsvillemennonite.org

Church Staff Schedule: The church office is closed on Mondays.

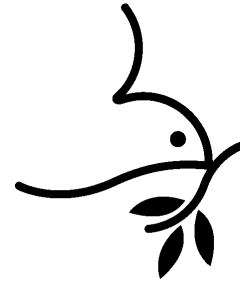
Cindy will be in the church office Tuesday through Friday.

Adam will be in the office Tuesday through Friday

Annabelle will be in the office Thursday and Friday.

Cynthia Lapp, Pastor
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9:30 – Sunday School

11:00 – Worship Service

GATHERING FOR STUDY — Classes meet at University Park
Church of the Brethren, 4413 Tuckerman, Hyattsville, MD

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

HWB-Hymnal: A Worship Book

Prelude

Jonathan Miller

Call to Worship

Mary Jo Schumacher

Responsive Reading (Psalm 119:1-8)

Leader: Happy are those whose way is blameless,
who walk in the law of God.

Right: Happy are those who keep God's decrees,
who seek God with their whole heart,
Who also do no wrong, but walk in God's ways.

Left: You have commanded your precepts
to be kept diligently,
that my ways may be steadfast
in keeping your statutes!

Right: Then I shall not be put to shame,
having my eyes fixed on all your commandments.

All: I will praise you with an upright heart,
when I learn your righteous ordinances
I will observe your statutes.
do not utterly forsake me.

Hymn: HWB 487 – *Teach me, O Lord*

Adam Tice

Praising

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Hymn: STJ 16 – *Praise with joy the world's Creator*

Confessing

Confession

Hymn: HWB 145 – *There's a wideness in God's mercy*

Hearing the Word

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 30:15-20 (p. 163)

Eric Stoltzfus

A Time for Children

Mary Jo Schumacher

Gospel Reading: Matthew 5:21-37 (p. 786) Wendy Shenk-Evans

Sermon: **Choose Life** Cindy Lapp

Silent Reflection

Hymn: HWB 594 – *Lord, you sometimes speak*

Responding

Sharing Together Our Responses, Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the Church

The Work of the Church

Greeting our Guests

Announcements

The Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: STJ 42 – *Listen, God is calling*

Benediction and Meal Blessing

TODAY

Greeter: Herb Reed

Ushers: Kristin Sampson, Ruth Tillman

Nursery: Cheryl S, Wendel L, Erica K

Worship Arts: Sara Person

Children's Church: (not meeting)

NEXT WEEK

Larry Miller

Amy Whittington, Cecilia L Stoltzfus

Janessa C, Crissie B, Christy MH

Kristin Sampson

Mira Grieser/Brett Sherman

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering last week - \$5,193

Attendance – 98

Amount needed each week - \$4,191

Amount above budget - \$2,523

Schedule for Iglesia Menonita Hispana:

Every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. – Rehearsals, Sunday School and Worship

Every Friday at 8:00 p.m.

CALENDAR

Sun 2/13 --Fellowship Meal (youth group fundraiser, bring your appetites and wallet) Everyone is invited!

--7 p.m., "A Common Grace" presentation and discussion
(See announcement.) Refreshments provided.

Sun 2/20 --Michelle Burkholder preaches

Sun 2/27 --Tim Huber preaches

Mon 3/7 --Our turn to serve the noon meal at Community

Café. See the sign up sheet to indicate how you can help.

Looking ahead: (put these dates on your calendar)

March 6-13: Our week to host Warm Nights

April 29-May 1: Women's Retreat at Rolling Ridge. If you are interested in helping plan the retreat, see Janessa Cobb or Cindy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

"A Common Grace" presentation and discussion, Sunday, February 13, 7:00 p.m. at HMC. HMC and EMU's Center for Justice and Peace-building (CJP) are partnering for this event. Join Phoebe Kilby and Racquelia Kilby at the table of brotherhood and sisterhood envisioned by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., in his "I Have a Dream" speech. Phoebe is descended from slave holders, "Rocky" from the slaves that Phoebe's family held. Together they are exploring avenues for racial reconciliation within families, in communities and across the nation. Join us for this frank discussion of race in the United States.