

Hyattsville Mennonite Church

A Christ-centered welcoming church committed to peace & justice.

4217 East-West Highway,
Hyattsville, MD 20782
301-927-7327
www.hyattsvillemennonite.org

Vol. 60

September 1, 2013

No. 48

TODAY

Greeter:
Ushers:
Nursery:
Worship Arts:
Children's Church: (not meeting)

NEXT WEEK

Herb Reed
Karen Minatelli, LeAnne Zook
Krysta Hawkley, Kyle Miller Hesed
Doris Bartel
(not meeting)

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering – \$6,031
Amount needed each week – \$4,977
Attendance – 169
Amount under budget – \$8,367

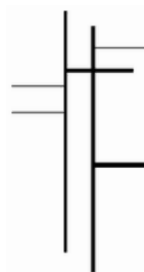
CALENDAR

Sat 9/7—Church Council/Pastorate planning retreat, 9:00 a.m.
Sun 9/8—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun 9/15—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun 9/22—Michelle Burkholder preaches.
Sun 9/29—Ricardo Esquivia preaches.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Education: Join us for our fall series: "Work and Purpose: Why we do what we do." Micah Tillman will start us off with Socrates and Descartes, but don't let that scare you off. He will unpack the philosophers and help us get down to their "snobbery." What does it mean to find one's purpose, and does it always have to come from one's job? Future speakers include: Wyatt Feeler, Dwight Miyake, Sandra Plett and some folks from Sojourners. Plan to join us starting Sept. 8 at 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall of UPCoB.

Safe Congregations Fall Trainings: Please save the dates below for upcoming annual Safe Congregation Training opportunities to be held in the fellowship hall. These trainings are designed for children and adults to learn how to recognize bullying or abusive behavior and learn what to do about it. Please note that our Safe Congregation Policy states that attending this training (at least once) will be mandatory for any adult volunteers in the church who work with children as nursery volunteers, Sunday school



Hyattsville Mennonite Church

A Christ-centered welcoming church committed to peace & justice.

4217 East-West Highway,
Hyattsville, MD 20782
301-927-7327
www.hyattsvillemennonite.org

Vol. 60

September 1, 2013

No. 48

TODAY

Greeter:
Ushers:
Nursery:
Worship Arts:
Children's Church: (not meeting)

NEXT WEEK

Herb Reed
Karen Minatelli, LeAnne Zook
Krysta Hawkley, Kyle Miller Hesed
Doris Bartel
(not meeting)

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering – \$6,031
Amount needed each week – \$4,977
Attendance – 169
Amount under budget – \$8,367

CALENDAR

Sat 9/7—Church Council/Pastorate planning retreat, 9:00 a.m.
Sun 9/8—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun 9/15—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun 9/22—Michelle Burkholder preaches.
Sun 9/29—Ricardo Esquivia preaches.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Education: Join us for our fall series: "Work and Purpose: Why we do what we do." Micah Tillman will start us off with Socrates and Descartes, but don't let that scare you off. He will unpack the philosophers and help us get down to their "snobbery." What does it mean to find one's purpose, and does it always have to come from one's job? Future speakers include: Wyatt Feeler, Dwight Miyake, Sandra Plett and some folks from Sojourners. Plan to join us starting Sept. 8 at 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall of UPCoB.

Safe Congregations Fall Trainings: Please save the dates below for upcoming annual Safe Congregation Training opportunities to be held in the fellowship hall. These trainings are designed for children and adults to learn how to recognize bullying or abusive behavior and learn what to do about it. Please note that our Safe Congregation Policy states that attending this training (at least once) will be mandatory for any adult volunteers in the church who work with children as nursery volunteers, Sunday school

teachers, or youth sponsors. Please RSVP with Jake Short [REDACTED] and let him know if you need child care.

- Sept. 15 from 1-3 p.m. will be for kids ages 9-13 and parents and caregivers.
- Sept. 15 from 3-5 p.m. will be for adults only
- Sept. 22 from 1-3 p.m. will be for children ages 3-8 and parents and caregivers.
- Sept. 22 from 3-5 p.m. will be for teens ages 14-18.

Church Retreat Save The Date: The annual HMC retreat will happen Friday-Sunday, October 18-20. Plan to come and fellowship during a relaxing weekend away!

Ten Thousand Villages Sale Save The Date: The annual Ten Thousand Villages sale will happen at HMC Friday and Saturday, November 1-2. For more information, contact Su Flickinger.

HMC Small Groups: If you are currently in a small group at HMC, please discuss if your group wants to continue meeting together, or if there are individuals wishing to make changes. If individuals are interested in starting their own small groups, that is also encouraged, but Pastorate would appreciate being made aware of these groups. If there are individuals new to HMC who would like to become involved in a small group, Pastorate would like to help them make connections. Fall is typically the time of year for many groups to shuffle and make changes. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Sara Fretz-Goering [REDACTED] or Mira Grieser [REDACTED].

HMC Happy Hour: Do you work in downtown DC? Interested in meeting up with some other HMCers for a happy hour at a convenient location after work? If so, contact to LeAnne Zook [REDACTED] or Nancy Good [REDACTED] and let us know if the date of Thursday, September 12 or Thursday, September 19 works for you.

HMC Craft Group: Would you like to learn how to knit, sew, quilt, crochet or gain skills in some other textile arts? Do you have any knowledge or skills in those areas that you would like to pass on? I'm interested in getting a group together to create blankets, comforters and quilts (or other sewn and stitched things!) for whatever purpose we feel called to (for us, for our community, for relief, to sell at an MCC sale, etc). All ages, skill levels, and gender identifications are welcome! Send an email to: [REDACTED].

teachers, or youth sponsors. Please RSVP with Jake Short [REDACTED] and let him know if you need child care.

- Sept. 15 from 1-3 p.m. will be for kids ages 9-13 and parents and caregivers.
- Sept. 15 from 3-5 p.m. will be for adults only
- Sept. 22 from 1-3 p.m. will be for children ages 3-8 and parents and caregivers.
- Sept. 22 from 3-5 p.m. will be for teens ages 14-18.

Church Retreat Save The Date: The annual HMC retreat will happen Friday-Sunday, October 18-20. Plan to come and fellowship during a relaxing weekend away!

Ten Thousand Villages Sale Save The Date: The annual Ten Thousand Villages sale will happen at HMC Friday and Saturday, November 1-2. For more information, contact Su Flickinger.

HMC Small Groups: If you are currently in a small group at HMC, please discuss if your group wants to continue meeting together, or if there are individuals wishing to make changes. If individuals are interested in starting their own small groups, that is also encouraged, but Pastorate would appreciate being made aware of these groups. If there are individuals new to HMC who would like to become involved in a small group, Pastorate would like to help them make connections. Fall is typically the time of year for many groups to shuffle and make changes. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Sara Fretz-Goering [REDACTED] or Mira Grieser [REDACTED].

HMC Happy Hour: Do you work in downtown DC? Interested in meeting up with some other HMCers for a happy hour at a convenient location after work? If so, contact to LeAnne Zook [REDACTED] or Nancy Good [REDACTED] and let us know if the date of Thursday, September 12 or Thursday, September 19 works for you.

HMC Craft Group: Would you like to learn how to knit, sew, quilt, crochet or gain skills in some other textile arts? Do you have any knowledge or skills in those areas that you would like to pass on? I'm interested in getting a group together to create blankets, comforters and quilts (or other sewn and stitched things!) for whatever purpose we feel called to (for us, for our community, for relief, to sell at an MCC sale, etc). All ages, skill levels, and gender identifications are welcome! Send an email to: [REDACTED].