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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



This morning's worship service will focus on and include time for **anointing**. Here through the anointing service we express openness to God's presence and our receptivity to the ministry of others.

Please join this morning for K.I.D.S.

Church for children age 4 through 4th grades with Sherry Ziegler in the church library. **Guys or gals are needed** to assist Sherry during the second half of the worship service. It's a fun time for both the kids and adults! Please sign up in the Narthex next to an available date. KIDS Church is provided on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month.



Author Ervin Stutzman will speak on his most recent book, *Christian's Hope*, **today, June 11th at 2 pm** at the **Mennonite Heritage Center**. He will reflect on the themes that prompted the book as well as the impulses that impelled the writing of the entire *Return to Northkill* series. Admission is by donation. NOTE: Christian's Hope is also available to borrow from our church library!

Worship Leaders are still needed throughout 2017. A sign-up sheet is on the counter in the Narthex listing Sundays. Thank you to all who are willing to serve!

There is a **special congregational forum** about pastoral housing here in the sanctuary this **Thursday, June 15th at 7:00 p.m.**

Women's Fellowship is going Out-to-Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. this Saturday, June 17th at Mal's Diner in Skippack. All ladies are invited to join us and relax over breakfast, coffee and conversation! Please sign up in the Narthex so we can have a table ready for our group.



Articles for the July issue of Ripples are due in the church office by Tuesday, June 27th.

A love offering was taken last Sunday for transportation needs of our IHN families. Our congregation offered \$150, and six \$25 WaWa gift cards were purchased. These will be given to our three moms with direction from Elizabeth. The IHN Committee thanks the congregation for their generous offering!

Calling all women who can knit or crochet! We need your help to make 7 x 9 inch pieces that we will take to Women's Camp this August, where they will be assembled by volunteers to make blankets for those in need across America. **Please join us on Friday, June 23rd at 2:00 pm in the church library to work on some squares together and get off to a good start!** What to bring? Knitting needles size 8, 9, or 10. **OR** Crochet hooks size H, J, or K. **AND** 4-ply worsted weight yarn. *Carol-Joyce has some extra hooks and yarn to share that she will bring along . . . so please join us!*



The Women's Fellowship invites everyone to join them for their yearly visit to **Longwood Gardens** followed by an evening play of **Beauty and the Beast** in the Open Air Theatre on **Friday, July 28th**. You visit the gardens at your leisure, and then at 8:00 pm the curtain goes up for the play! [Extra bonus: the Main Fountain Garden has made its grand return!] The cost is \$25 per person (payable to *Women's Fellowship*). To reserve your ticket you must sign up on the sheet in the Narthex.



The Women's Fellowship is planning a trip to **Bird in Hand Restaurant for the lunch buffet and Christmas show "Our Christmas Dinner" on Tuesday, November 7th**. Lunch is 1:00 pm and show is at 2:30. Everyone is welcome, men included. This hit musical is a hilarious look at family tradition, holiday expectations and the real meaning of Christmas. We have 20 tickets reserved, so sign up early to be sure you get a ticket. Tickets are \$49 and include a buffet and show. Payment isn't due until September, but we need to know now if you can go to this event. **SIGN UP NOW!**

GALACTIC STARVEYORS



Registration is now open for this summer's **Vacation Bible School!** The dates are Sunday - Thursday, **July 16-20**, for children age 4 to grade 6. **Please register on our church web site at www.iccob.org or by calling the church office.** As kids focus on the marvels painted in the sky by the Creator, they will discover the wonder among all wonders, that the God who created everything there is, the knowable and unknowable, the visible and the invisible, and wants a personal relationship with them! Join us this summer as we show kids the God who is *over the moon* in love with them.



WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP CAMP at Camp Swatara is being held from August 20-22. This year's speaker is Sue Gannon with the theme, A Radical Restoration. **Packets containing everything needed to register for camp are in the narthex.** The deadline to register for the North Lodge is July 11th. All other campers must register no later than August 1st.

Wade will be at this address until the end of August:
(His birthday is June 29th!)

Lcpl Bechtel, Wade W
1808 Shupper Drive
Newport News, VA 23691

A **Brethren Disaster Ministry Trip** is scheduled for **October 29th through November 4th** for work in Columbia, SC but subject to change depending on the need (West Virginia could be a possibility). If you have an interest in going, please contact Don Moyer.

The church family now has access to an extensive, new, online video library called **RightNow Media!** It has a huge library of faith-based videos that you can access whenever and wherever you want—on your phone, iPad, computer or at home on your TV. Please sign-up in the Narthex, and pick up Pastor Mark's letter and flyer about this free library to explore more than 12,000 video resources!

Church Kitchen Helpers:

June: Janet May & Cheryl Rostick

Would you be willing to make coffee or provide a breakfast treat for our Sunday morning coffee-time this summer? If so, please write your name next to a Sunday from the list located in the kitchen. Helpers are needed through August. Thanks!



SUMMER CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
Tuesday through Friday
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sun:	Deacon Meeting	7:45 am
	KIDS Church	
	Special Anointing Service	
	Pavilion in Use	Noon—3:00 pm
Mon:	Church Office Closed	
Tue:	Witness Team Meeting	6:30 pm
Thr:	Congregational Forum	7:00 pm
Fri:	Senior Adult Fellowship @ PBC	2:00 pm
Sat:	Women's Out-to-Breakfast at Mal's	8:30 am
Sun:	Happy Father's Day!	

UPCOMING EVENTS

IHN Hosting Month	June
Pastor Mark Vacation/Annual Conference	June 19--July 2
Knitting/Crocheting in the Library	Jun 23
Annual Conference begins, Grand Rapids, MI	Jun 28
Annual Conference concludes	Jul 2
Independence Day	Jul 4
Women's Fellowship Out-to-Breakfast	Jul 15
Vacation Bible School Week	Jul 16-20
Women's Fellowship to Longwood Gardens	Jul 28
Youth Work Camp begins, Portland, OR	Jul 30
ANE Women at Camp Swatara	Aug 20-22
Labor Day	Sep 4