

RIDGEVIEW MENNONITE CHURCH

3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville PA 17529 717 768-3143

July 13, 2008

**Called by God to learn and share together
God's love with all creation**

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORSHIP SERVICE

9:00 AM

10:15 AM

Gathering

Prelude

Song of Gathering

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Sharing Life Together (sign & pass the registry)

Praise & Prayer

Congregational Prayer

Sharing Our Tithes & Offerings

Proclaiming

Learning & Sharing in Word and Deed – SWAP Team

Song of Response

Sending/Benediction

John Denlinger, *worship leader*; Arnold King, Elaine Shirk, *musicians*;
Youth, *children's message*; Donald Martin, *sound tech*

THIS WEEK

Mon 6:30 pm Softball game @ Paradise Park

7:00 pm Mission Commission

Tue 7:30 am Prayer time

9:00 am Sewing Circle

6:30 pm Young adult wheel group @ Arnold & Pat King's

Wed 6:15 pm Groovin in the Grove...hot dogs, drink, and marshmallows provided. You bring a hot or cold dish to share. Games for all ages, good conversation, fellowship and vespers. Bring your lawn chair. In case of rain, we will be groovin in the 1990 Hall.

COMING EVENTS

Aug 13 Groovin in the Grove

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUNG ADULT wheel group at Arnold & Pat King's, Tuesday, July 15. Arrive between 6:30-7:00 p.m. Feel free to bring a friend.

WE EXTEND our sympathy to Ike Glick. Ike's son-in-law William Dorn died July 1. He resided in North Carolina.

THIS IS THE POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT that is being posted in The Mennonite, The Mennonite Weekly Review and at our church colleges and seminaries. Please continue to be in prayer for the search committee and for the person God is preparing for this position. Nominations will be received until the end of July. Ballots are located by the ballot box in the library. If there are questions or comments, please contact Charlotte Lapp, chair of the Search Committee. *Ridgeview Mennonite Church, an MCUSA/Atlantic Coast Conference church located in Intercourse, PA, is searching for a one half to full time person to serve as a Pastoral Team member focusing in youth and young adult ministry. For more information and a ministry description, please contact Ridgeview Mennonite Church at ridgeviewchurch@frontiernet.net or call 717-768-3143.*

WHEN YOU NEED a note of encouragement or wish to share one with a friend, look through the CareNotes display on the round table in the foyer. New titles have been added. There are CareNotes for all ages. They give helpful ideas about many of the situations we encounter in life. Take the time to look behind the front CareNote in the display. Usually several different CareNotes are placed in the same section of the rack. If you would like to see a CareNote about a specific topic, talk with Judy Smoker who manages the rack and inventory or Pastor Nelson

NEW WORLD SCHOOL IN HAITIfive (5) persons are needed to serve on a support group with Smith & Rhonda Noel in regards to the ongoing Haiti school project. Contact Evan Lapp if interested.

IN YOUR MAILBOX you will find a form of group Bible study “Dwelling in the Word” that is helpful as we read, attempt to understand, and practice living out the scriptures in our daily journey.

TODAY...second Sunday of the month...collecting used blankets and towels for Humane League and aluminum (soda) cans for Habitat for Humanity.

WE WANT TO EXPRESS our sincere appreciation for the encouragement and care we felt from the congregation these past number of weeks. Thank you for the hospital and home visits, phone calls, emails, cards, flowers, and prayers – all symbols of a very caring congregation. We were truly blessed. Joanne and Dan Dietzel

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT...Sam & Nadine Echternach announce the birth of their son Carter Evan. Carter was born July 7 and weighed 8 lbs. 9 ozs.

MUSIC IN THE MEADOW at Maple Grove Mennonite Church, today, Sunday, July 13. Mini concerts and hymn singing 2:00-6:00 pm; the Birdsong Family in concert @ 7:00 pm. Bring a lawn chair. Food will be available for a donation. More information posted on bulletin board.

JEFF RAUGHT will be out of town July 11 – 21. Jeff, Cindy and Ed will be visiting Alan in Utah.

PASTOR NELSON is with a group of fathers and sons from Ridgeview who are camping and backpacking in northern PA.

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH
July 16 Groovin in the Grove

REPORT for July 6, 2008

Offering \$6978.84

Church Attendance 193 Sunday school 129

PRAYER CORNER

- Search Committee and search process for minister of youth
- Reba Smoker receiving chemo treatments
- Families comings and goings for the summer
- New World School students in Haiti

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