

RIDGEVIEW MENNONITE CHURCH

3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville PA 17529 717 768-3143

August 16, 2009

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

FELLOWSHIP

9:00-9:25 AM

WORSHIP SERVICE

9:30 AM

We worship God who calls us to live by the will of God, even as people following a different drummer.

Gathering

Prelude

Gathering Songs

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Praise & Giving

Sharing Life Together

Blessing for our College Students... (undergraduates) Chris

Glick, Kim High, Amy Horst, Travis Horst, Tynea Horst, Allison

Martin, Jonathan Martin, Alan Raught, Ed Raught, Jeff Siegrist,

Eric Yoder, Kori Wenger; (grad students) Julie Denlinger, Jonalyn

Denlinger, Krista Yoder

Congregational Prayer

Sharing Our Tithes & Offerings

Proclaiming

Children's Message

Scripture: 1 Peter 4:1-8

Message: "A Different Drum" Pastor Nelson

Song of Response

Benediction

Pastor Ray, *worship leader*; Jeff Raught, Kyle Siegrist, Nathan Horst, *musicians*; Pastor Nelson, *children's message*

NEXT SUNDAY... "Use Your Gifts" Pastor Ray

THIS WEEK

Tue 7:30 a.m. Prayer (church open 7:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.)

Wed 9:30 a.m. Time Out meeting

6:00-6:30 p.m. Children's Handbell Choir – Ages up to and including 3rd grade

6:30-7:30 p.m. Kid's Choir – 3rd – 8th grade

7:30-8:30 p.m. BOOMWACKERS – You know who you are!

COMING EVENTS

Aug 26 Wed 2-4 p.m. Blood drive @ Ridgeview. To make an appointment, call Lancaster General Blood Bank, 544-0170

Sept 9 Wed Congregational business meeting

Sept 13 Sun Church picnic @ Intercourse Park

Sept 22 ACC Vision Dinner @ Yoder's Restaurant

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR RAY YODER will be in the office Thursday and Friday this week and will not be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday.

AUGUST 23 the kids at Ridgeview will participate in the worship service...Children's Handbell Choir, Kid's Choir and BOOMWACKERS. **Rehearsal times are listed above.**

PERSONS interested in a Discovery Class, potentially leading to baptism, should talk to Pastor Nelson. A discovery class is being planned for Sundays this fall.

MISSION INGATHERING for the month of August...paper supplies for the New Holland Food Bank...tissues, toilet paper, and paper towels.

WHEEL GROUPS...it's time to organize new wheel groups. Information is in your mailbox today. Respond by September 13 if you plan to participate. Any questions you may have should be directed to Beth Alderman or Betty Smucker.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH

Wed, Sept 19 An evening @ Dave & Edna Stoltzfus'. Meet 6:30 p.m. at Ridgeview; return at 9:00 p.m.

SERMON NOTES

Which drum beat do we live by, the drum beat of human desires or the drum beat of the will of God? I Peter 4:2

Listening to the drum beat of God's will involves:

Thinking like Jesus. 4:1

Key Jesus thoughts

Great commandment, Matthew 22:37-39

Great Commission, Acts 1:8

Sermon on the Mount, Matthew 5-7

Being free from the coercive powers of others opinion. 4:4

Anticipating God's entrance into our time and space, bringing vindication and judgment. 4:7

Being serious and disciplined in our prayer life. 4:7

Loving each other constantly. 4:8

REPORT for August 9

Offering \$4539.25

Church Attendance 163

PRAYER CORNER

- Pastor Ray as he prepares for the message next Sunday
- College students preparing to head back to campus
- Elmer Stoltzfus was hospitalized this past week for chest pains
- Persons from Ridgeview who recently lost their jobs
- Smokers returning to Japan
- Aaron Shirk who broke his arm and injured his shoulder
- God's grace in our marriages
- Preparation for celebration of congregational life
- Discernment in choosing lay minister of mission

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