

New Holland Mennonite Church

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Meal & Worship at Homes: 9:30 a.m.



9:30 a.m. Meet in backyard for light breakfast and worship
(see email for your host's address).
Bring a Bible per person

Upcoming Events

All activities are on zoom unless otherwise stated.

Tuesday, May 25: "Sprouts for Peace Garden" work, 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 6, 10 a.m. Worship by Zoom

Sunday, May 30

Sunday School: 9 a.m.

Worship: 10:00 a.m.

Service provided by Bridge of Hope

Congregational Prayer: Dawn Ranck-Hower

Sunday, June 13, 10 a.m. OUTDOOR worship

Sunday, June 20, 10 a.m. Worship by Zoom

Sunday, June 27, 10 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary!!!

Underground Railroad Tour Southern Lancaster County

May 16

Attendance: 39 • Church Offering: \$

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 26: Erica Shirk

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 25: Jenn & Wade Esbenshade

Church News

Save the Date: Tour of the Underground Railroad in Southern Lancaster County: **Sunday afternoon, June 27.** Details to follow.

Directory Update: Francy Bailey, 321 Lakeside Xing, Mount Joy PA 17552

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord" (Psalm 122:1) We are planning to worship again in person in the sanctuary beginning on **June 27.** The worship service will also be available by Zoom. Specific details about the in-person worship services will be shared in June based on the CDC guidelines that are available then.

Community News

Ridgeview Garden Tour" Sunday, June 20, 1-5:30 p.m. View a variety of local, private gardens. Start at Ridgeview Mennonite Church. See the newly added pollinator garden! Participants will then receive a flyer with locations and addresses to visit on the self-paced tour. No registration required. By donation, box located at pollinator garden. (Rain Date: Sunday, June 27). Proceeds benefit Ridgeview's community welcoming renovations.

Christian Faith & Anti-Asian Violence: May 28, 6:30 p.m. CDT, Join Rev. Dr. B. Yuki Schwartz of Claremont School of Theology at Willamette University for an online workshop that examines the role that theological and spiritual beliefs play in shaping or supporting anti-Asian violence, as well as how it has empowered intersectional movements for justice that fight anti-Asian violence. Register: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc4D-Wcbgqq2udztZlNxxv9o1VgAn3NrcmQ0AHi5-pmclbbyUQ/viewform>

"The Land is Not Empty" webinar: June 3, 6 p.m. (CDT) Join author Sarah Augustine as she shares about her new book, "The Land is Not Empty: Following Jesus in Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery." A question-and-answer time will follow. Spanish interpretation provided. This webinar is cosponsored by Mennonite Church USA and MennoMedia. Register: <https://mcusa.zoom.us/meeting/register/tjwuf-GprD8uGtzk6lhCaOyqiO5C8WAUtOhF>

Webinar: "The Land is Not Empty, Following Jesus in Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery," June 3, 7 p.m. Join author Sarah Augustine as she shares about her new book, A question-and-answer time will follow. Spanish interpretation provided. This webinar is cosponsored by Mennonite Church USA and MennoMedia. Register here: mennoniteusa.org/land-not-empty

Bicycle Learning Tour – Ephrata to Lititz: June 5, 9:30 am - 1:30 pm. Pre-register [HERE](#) before May 28, 2021. Rain date -- Sunday, June 6, 2021. Enjoy a day outdoors exploring local history on a bike tour on the Warwick Ephrata Rail Trail. Tour leader and Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society board member John Weber guides the group from Ephrata to Lititz. This five-stop tour includes the Jacob Huber house, where Moravian leader Count Zinzendorf tried to unite all PA Germans through his preaching. Another stop focuses on the Hess Homestead that dates to 1734. The late Clarke Hess restored this property, and a number of his well-documented and rare material culture artifacts are now part of LMHS's collections. Participants gather at Ephrata's Fulton Street/Railroad Street intersection trailhead by 9:15 am.

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