

New Holland Mennonite Church

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Worship: 10:00 a.m.



Mary Magdalene

There are many heroes of the faith, people we admire and wish to be. However, there are even more ordinary people of faith—those doing what they can with what they have to make a difference. In the next weeks, we'll dig deep into the bold and untold stories of those often overlooked in our biblical narratives, hoping these characters remind us that we all play a role in shaping God's story of redemption and grace.

Gathering & Praising God

Preservice

Call to Worship/Prayer

Come and See

Elsa Lantz

Wanda Gonzalez Bortzel

Hearing God's Voice

"Making Waves: Emily Teng: Chief of Awesome" Dawn Kaczor

Sermon: "Mary Magdalene"

Pastor Dawn Ranck-Hower

Scripture: John 20:1-18

Faces of MY Faith

Communion (written by Carol Penner)

Song: "We Place Upon Your Table"

Recorded

Prayer

Responding

O Healing River

Sharing and Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Pastor Dawn Ranck-Hower

Sending

Jesus, Help Us Live in Peace

Benediction

Greeters/Open: Dawn Kaczor & Steven Lantz

Praise Team: Brenda Hurst; Wanda Gonzalez-Bortzel

Guitarist: Ray Hurst; **Sound:** Bryan train Judy Schweitzel

Clean/Close: Evelyn & Jim Bailey

Faces of MY Faith

As you journey with the biblical characters in this series, we invite you to name the faces of your own faith and reflect on how they have impacted you. You may wish to name friends, family members, mentors, pastors, public figures, strangers—consider anyone and everyone who has made a lasting impact on your faith.

Face of My Faith: _____(name)

Impact:

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, August 3: "Sprouts for Peace Garden" work, 6 p.m.

July 25, 2021

Attendance: 39 • Church Offering: \$1,930.00

NEXT SUNDAY: August 8

Greeters/Open: Bryan Hower & Karina Morales

Worship Leader: Dawn Ranck-Hower; **Praise Team:**

Francy Bailey, Jenn Esbenschade, Jen Morales, Tammy Snader

Sound: Davin & Myla Esbenschade; **Sermon:** Bryan Hower

Prayer: Brenda Martin Hurst; **Children Time:** Ray Hurst

Clean/Close: Francy Bailey & Mike Bortzel

Directory Updates

Welcome to Luz Casallas! Luz is from Columbia and is teaching Kindergarten at Locust Grove. Contact information: 717-419-0744; casallasla@lancastermennonite.org; Birthday: December 28. Luz is currently living with the Esbenschade family.

Welcome to Jocelin Kruk & Shawn Cunningham!

Contact information: 631-833-8719, jocelinkruk@icloud.com; 140 E Main Street, Apt. 2, New Holland, PA 17557.

Jocelin: September 19, 1995; Shawn September 4, 2015.

Welcome to Gloria Hartley! Contact information: 311 Redwood Lane, New Holland, PA, 17557. Birthday: January 2, 1934.

New attenders (listed above), please check the folders in the lobby for a folder with your name on it!

Church News

Getting Ahead in a Just-Getting'-By World: Building Your Resources for a Better Life: Getting Ahead is a 13-week workshop that invites people who are under-resourced to investigate solu-

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Leadership Team: Wade Esbenschade, Steven Lantz, Lois Zimmerman

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tions to help themselves, others, and their community transition out of low income and instability. CrossNet Ministries social worker Marilyn Weaver and Pastor Dawn will be leading this class at the church Wednesdays, **September 1 through December 1**, 5:30 p.m.-7:45 p.m. Dinner and childcare are provided. Talk to Pastor Dawn if you, or someone you know, would like to sign up or if you would be willing to provide a meal one evening. Group size is limited to 8 persons. Each participant receives a \$25 gift card per session with full participation.

Community News

Nonviolent remembrance of the August 6 & 9, 1945 nuclear bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki at entrance to Lockheed Martin, 230 Mall Boulevard, King of Prussia, PA. Lockheed Martin is the U.S.'s #1 nuclear weapons contractor and the world's largest war profiteer that contracts with the U.S. government, the U.S. military and the U.S. Department of Energy to develop and build nuclear weapons and related delivery systems which are BANNED by the 2017 United Nations Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons. This public "witness in a time of endless war" is from 12-2 p.m. on **Saturday, August 7**. Covid-vaccinated participants can carpool from the Akron Mennonite Church parking lot at 11 a.m. Bring: lunch, water, a hat, sun screen, a mask, a chair to sit and rain gear. Signs to hold will be provided. Check <http://www.brandywinepeace.com> for more information including weather and Covid updates. To carpool, contact H.A. Penner at penner@dejazzd.com or 717-271-8180.

Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society hosts Annual Storytelling Night on **August 9** at 7 pm at Mellinger Mennonite Church. Featured speakers are Myrna Smucker and Jesus Cruz. Donations are encouraged to support our mission to preserve history through storytelling.

CrossNet Ministries Drive-In Dinner & Auction Fundraiser: **Saturday, August 28**, 6 p.m. \$100 per Car/Vehicle for two people. \$25 for additional guest in vehicle. Dress comfortably and drive to Garden Spot Village's Parking Lot 9. Event coordinators will direct you to your parking spot. Feel free to tailgate with table and chairs or sit in your vehicle. Event includes Silent and Live Auction. Tickets: 717-355-2454 or www.elancocross.org.