

Sunday—August 19

WORSHIP SERVICE

CHURCH ON THE FARM

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Church Calendar

- Aug. 14 Ch Ed (Adult) Committee
- 14 Pastoral Team
- 15 Worship Committee
- 19 Church on the Farm Potluck
- 20 JAS Committee
- 21 Facilities Committee
- 22 Congregational Council
- 25 Teacher Orientation, 9 a.m.
- 26 Congregational Meeting, 6:30 p.m.



**ANNOUNCEMENTS—AUGUST 12, 2007
FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 12—AUGUST 18, 2007**

CMCL

NO SERVICES AT CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

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Directions: from 283 West take the Rheems/E-town exit. Turn right (north) on Cloverleaf Rd.; turn right on Mt. Pleasant Rd.; turn left on Stauffer Rd.; turn left on Grandview Rd.; at the bottom of the hill turn left into a lane; turn into the pasture on the right to park.

THANKS FROM JESS, CHAD AND ESME— Many thanks to those of you who have helped with various steps of our move and settlement in Lancaster! From those of you who unloaded the truck back in late May, to those who've helped paint walls, listened to stories of woeful house projects and unloaded the SECOND truck a month or so ago, we could not have done it without you. We are now actually living in our new place -- 625 N. Pine St. in Lancaster. And we even have a phone: 717-517-8061. Thanks!! Jess, Chad and Esme.

FREE ADMISSION TO NORTH MUSEUM—Today, from noon until 5 p.m. This is a great opportunity for CMCL children to reunite with classmates before the new Christian education calendar year begins. Parents are encouraged to find a common meeting time and place for their children to go through the museum together. If you'd like a class roster for your child, please contact Emily Smucker-Beidler. Also needed: One or two adults to serve as "ambassadors" at North Museum and sign in CMCL members.

A WEDNESDAY MORNING PICTURE...On a hot sweaty August morning, I saw a huge amount of vines being taken down off the Grant Street building. Offering their sweat were Michael and Paul Eby-Good, Phoebe Baum, Jim, Jonathan and Jason Spicher along with Jim's sister Julia Kasdorf. Walking past the daily Philhaven youth program, I heard different sounds in the Christian Ed wing. I found Carol Spicher having a nutrition and lifestyle conversation with young moms in the Gathering Place. On the second floor I got to see Gwen Peachey and Nancy Baum telling stories to the younger children with Emily Smucker-Beidler getting the activities ready for young hands. Paper dolls, hats and hearts abounded. What a rich day!

(reporter— Pastor Pam)

THE CMCL MEN'S GROUP will host an end-of-the-summer softball game on Wednesday, August 15. This is open to all CMCLers who enjoy playing softball, particularly the youth of CMCL. Join us promptly at 7 pm for softball, and at dusk for snacks and refreshments. Play will begin at the diamond behind the home of Wayne Lehman, 24 Ethel Ave, Leola. Bring a softball glove, yourself, and a friend. Questions to Leon Kraybill, 560-5194.

SENIOR YOUTH—You are reminded to let Carmalena Stoltzfus know today if you plan to go on the camp Hebron ropes course trip on Friday, August 17th.

JUBILEE READING—Find an excellent feature on the Jubilee movement in the August issue of Sojourners magazine. Jubilee groups across the world work to free the world's poorest countries from debt. Look for copies of this article on the literature table downstairs. CMCL is a Jubilee Congregation, committed to support the work of the Jubilee movement financially and through advocacy.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH CHRISTIAN ED. TEACHERS—Mark your calendars and plan to attend teacher orientation Saturday morning, August 25, 9–11:30 here at the church.

RETREAT REGISTRATION forms are in your church mailboxes. Be assured of a room. Get your registration in early.

"GETTING TO KNOW YOU" (Isn't that a song?!)—Our photo directories are all gone. It's a helpful way to connect names and faces. To create more directories is an overwhelming task at this point, so we're turning to the pros! Yes, folks, the packaged CHURCH DIRECTORY is on its way! We've found a company that's flexible and will offer informal photos in the CMCL courtyard if the weather permits. You'll receive a free 8x10 photo for your household and other photos will be available for your purchase if you choose to do that. Sign-up downstairs near the mailboxes. Dates for photos: September 28 and 29, October 12 and 13. (Come on, you can do it!)

AN EVENING CENTERING PRAYER GROUP will meet six Thursday evenings this fall. Daytime groups continue in Lancaster on Mondays and Tuesdays. If you'd like more information, contact Nancy Brubaker at 717-397-4525 or nancyjbrubaker@gmail.com,

FURNISHED APARTMENT IN DC located n Kalarama/Dupont area. First floor, one bedroom., new appliances, includes piano and private gated garden. Flexible lease available. For more information call Luke Bomberger at 581-3878.

SUMMERTIME PARTY AT HEATHCOTE COMMUNITY, where we live, is hosting a low-key summertime party, Saturday, August 18, and you are invited. There is a community tour (including the strawbale residence in construction) at 3 p.m., a vegetarian potluck supper at 6:00pm, and a bonfire & dancing in the evening. Heathcote is located in Maryland about 50 minutes from CMCL. For more information or to RSVP, please call us 410-357-9518 or email gregn@ecoisp.com.
—Greg Newswanger and Juji Woodring.

Community/General Mennonite

NO LONGER ALONE MINISTRIES is seeking a Psychiatric Rehab Specialist to work with adults who have mental illness and their families. This is a part time position. Two years of experience and a bachelor's degree in human services is required. Submit your resume by email to office@nlam.org or fax to 717-390-4894.

OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE—MCC East Coast Thrift Shops Resource Person Do you know someone with excellent problem solving and communications skills, retail experience, and a passion for Mennonite Central Committee's ministries? Consider inviting them to apply for this position which resources the 20 MCC-connected thrift shops in the East Coast region. Send resume and letter of intent by Friday August 10, 2007 to Kim Jackson, 21 S. 12th St., Akron, PA 17501 or email kaj@mcc.org

CAMP DEERPARK a camp in the Catskill Mountains owned by the New York City Mennonite Churches, is in need of a maintenance assistant. One year commitment preferred. Housing and benefits provided by camp. Contact Ken Bontrager: admin@campdeerpark.org. Sermon—