



WELCOME TO
**NEW COVENANT MENNONITE
 FELLOWSHIP**

New Holland, Pennsylvania

*That we may know him and the power of His resurrection.
 Philippians 3:10*

THE LORD'S DAY – DECEMBER 16, 2012

Morning Worship – 10:00 a.m.

Welcome and Invocation
 Announcements
 Offering for Church Ministries and Missions
 A Christmas Musical --
Ten Thousand Hallelujahs

LAST SUNDAY:

Attendance: 328
 Offering: \$6,508.62 (Church Ministries and Missions)
 \$1,886.25 (Mission Faith Giving)

NEXT SUNDAY:

Chair Set Up: Hospitality Committee Tear Down: Jim Horst's small group
 Offering: Church Ministries and Missions

CDS OF THE MESSAGE ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOYER.

MINISTRY

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today A BIG thank you to everyone who participated in *Ten Thousand Hallelujahs*. We have appreciated the time you have given to choir and drama practice, tech set up, and helping us with all the details involved in this year's program. May God bless you!
 --The Drama Team

Congratulations to Dan and Tanya Sweigart on the birth of their daughter, Ashley Noel, on December 7!

The library is closed today.

If you haven't used all your offering envelopes for this year, please do not throw them away! Your number will stay the same for next year. If you would like to use the offering envelope system for next year, contact Dave Stoner.

A baby shower is planned for McKenzie Ebersol, daughter of Ray and Maria Ebersol. If you would like to bless them with a gift, please leave it in the Resource Room or give it to Carolyn Myer by January 6.

If you would like a 2013 church calendar, sign up on the sheet in the foyer. Cost is \$14.

The youth group needs additional readers for the Bible Read-a-Thon on December 26-28. Any person of any age can participate who feels comfortable reading aloud.

Dec. 23 A Christmas breakfast will be served from 9-9:30 a.m. followed by a 10 a.m. worship service. Please sign up if you plan to join us for breakfast. Sign up sheet is in the hallway. Small group to help serve and clean up: Jim Horst's.

Dec. 31 Everyone is invited to a New Year's Eve party in the NCMF gym from 8 p.m. -12:15 a.m. There will be a big bounce for the children. A worship time will begin at 11:30 p.m. You are welcome to bring table games and a finger food to share. Drink and paper supplies will be provided.

**PRAYER
 REQUESTS
 FOR
12/16/12**

- Pray for the volunteers ministering to the teens at the Lancaster Youth Intervention Center tonight as they have a Christmas meal with them.
- Pray for our missionaries as they will be celebrating the upcoming holidays away from family.
- Pray that we will be able to use opportunities that God gives us to share the Gospel.
- Spiritual protection, discernment and vision for the Board of Ministry and Board of Elders.
- Next Sunday's Service:
 - Dave Myer, speaker
 - Jon Horst, worship
 - Jeremy Weaver, chorister

XPERIENCE

Dec. 18 7:30 p.m., Meeting Room
Topic: "A Fresh Encounter with God."



Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 No Xperience

All young adults who are post high school age are invited to attend!

YOUTH CORNER

Dec. 16 Girl's gingerbread house making party at Krista's. Plan to leave right after church so we have enough time!

Dec. 16 Youth Church, 7:30 p.m. Snack: Janita R., Mike S., Preston W.

Dec. 19 Christmas Banquet. Be sure to bring \$10 for supper as well as a minimum of \$5 to donate for a World Vision Christmas gift.

Dec. 26 Small Group, 7:30 p.m. Snack: Hanna Z.

Dec. 26-28 Bible Read-a-Thon at Weaver's Store.

Jan. 25-27 Youth Retreat