



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 7, 2014

Sunday School – 9:00 a.m.

Classes for age 2 through Adult

Morning Worship – 10:00 a.m.

Welcome and Invocation  
Family Altar Time and Pastoral Prayer  
Praise, Worship and Offering for  
Church Ministries and Missions  
Message by Dave Myer

**LAST SUNDAY:**

Attendance: 224  
Offering: \$440.05 Church Min./Missions; \$9,271.55 Building Fund  
\$930.00 Mission Faith Giving

**NEXT SUNDAY:**

Chair set up: Dave Myer's small group  
Offering: Church Ministries and Missions  
Host Family: Steve and Wilma Wagler

**CDS OF THE MESSAGE ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOYER.**

MINISTRY

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Today** The Sunday School Committee needs a teacher for the third and fourth grade class. Contact Racheal Smucker if interested.

Thanks to each one who supported the youth's citrus fruit fundraiser. Fruit will be arriving on Tuesday, December 9.

**Dec. 14** A Christmas program, "The First Christmas," will be held during the morning service. Invite family and friends to attend.

**Dec. 21** A Christmas breakfast will be served from 8:30-9:45 a.m. A sign up sheet has been placed in the hallway to sign up if you plan to attend.

**Jan. 18** Mark your calendars for Guess Who's Coming for Dinner at 5 p.m. A sign up sheet is in the hallway. You should indicate whether you want to be a guest or a host and the number people in your group. Youth and single adults can sign up with their families or with a group of friends. Guests should plan to bring a salad or dessert. This will be a continuing of camp out for sharing God stories with those in attendance that evening. Deadline to sign up is January 4.

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Alyssa Hackel: [aruth@emailmyway.com](mailto:aruth@emailmyway.com)

OTHER EVENTS

"Journey to Bethlehem" will be held at Woodcrest Retreat weekend nights of December 12, 13 and 19 and 20. The Christmas story comes alive in six unique scenes as you walk by candlelight along quiet wooded trails with the Biblical characters. Visit [www.WoodcrestRetreat.org](http://www.WoodcrestRetreat.org) for more details. Groups may call the office for guaranteed admission details at 738.2233.

**And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us,  
And we beheld His glory,  
the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,  
full of grace and truth.  
John 1:14**

**PRAYER  
REQUESTS  
FOR  
12/7/14**

♦Lancaster Youth Intervention volunteers as they show Christ's love to teens at the center.

♦Drama Committee and those involved with the Christmas program next Sunday.

♦Youth as they carol to residents at United Zion Retirement Community next Sunday.

♦Mission Committee as they meet tomorrow night.

♦Pray that our congregation will show Christ's love this Christmas season.

## **YOUTH CORNER**

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- Dec. 9** Citrus fruit will be here for pick up from 3-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. See Drew or Kathryn if you have any questions. Thanks for all your hard work in selling!!
- Dec. 10** Small group, 7:30 p.m. Snack: Brooklyn S. Girls: Bring Redefined workbooks and memory verse albums.
- Dec. 14** Christmas caroling, 6-8 p.m. at United Zion Retirement Community, 722 Furnace Hills Pike (Rt. 501), Lititz. We can park anywhere in the parking lots and meet in the front foyer. We will be caroling inside and outside. Afterwards we will be going to Alan and Nathan Stoner's for hot soup and fellowship. Bring along a finger food to share.
- Dec. 17** Christmas banquet, 6:30 p.m., Meeting Room. Sign up on bulletin board. Pay Breanna \$10 and plan to bring along a \$5 gift for "Now you have it; Now you don't". Brian and Katrina Strawbridge are in charge of the meal. A sign up on the bulletin board for parents to help with the food. Dress is semi-formal.
- Dec. 21** No Youth Church.
- Jan. 30-Feb. 1** Winter Retreat. Details coming soon!!