

Vision of Hope Metropolitan Community Church
November 21, 2010
Order of Worship

Pre-Worship Praise

Welcome

Prayers

*High Energy Praise

Children's Focus

Practicing Generosity
(1st General Fund 2nd Benevolence Fund)

Teaching Moment

Reflective Praise

Scripture

Spiritual Instruction – Pastor Deb Coggin

Going Forth

With Holy Communion and/or Prayer
Instructions

As you face the front of the sanctuary, we offer communion on the right and healing prayer on the left. Please allow the ushers to direct you. The line forms on the window side for each and you may exit down the center aisle. Communion is served with non-alcoholic grape juice and a short personal prayer. The station to the far right as you face the altar is for communion only with no personal prayer. Healing prayers are offered for body, mind, emotions and spirit on the left side. Please come and receive either or both or feel free to stay in the sanctuary. We ask you to remain quiet in respect for others. When you are ready, we invite you downstairs for a time of hospitality. May God bless your week.

VOHMCC...WELCOMES YOU

A Special Word for Our Guests

If this is your first time joining us, please feel free to ask questions of our staff, greeters, and welcome team. We want your worship experience to be comfortable and meaningful so that is why we have implemented a Welcome Team in order that we may greet you and get you connected with others in the congregation. Our Welcome team will offer you a Guest Packet which will provide you with important information about our Vision & Mission. Please fill out a Guest Card if you are comfortable doing so. These cards help us to keep in touch with you about future events and connect you to the body of Christ at VOHMCC. The cards are for our information only. As a first time guest, we do not expect you to contribute to today's offering – just relax and enjoy your time with us. We're glad you are here! Please join us downstairs for a time of fellowship after the service.

Mailing Address

Vision of Hope MCC
130 East Main Street
Mountville, PA 17554

Or Call Us At:
717) 285-9070

E-Mail Addresses:

Church: info@visionofhopemcc.org
Office Staff: vohoffice@visionofhopemcc.org

Web Site Address:
www.visionofhopemcc.org

Your Vision Notes

E- Mail Newsletter

Would you like to receive our e-mail newsletter and the latest news? If so, send your e-mail address to YourVisionNotes@visionofhopemcc.org

Staff Information: if you need to reach us, please...

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Important Information About Vision of Hope MCC



Thursday, November 25th
Thanksgiving Day Service
at 10:30am
with Thanksgiving Dinner after service

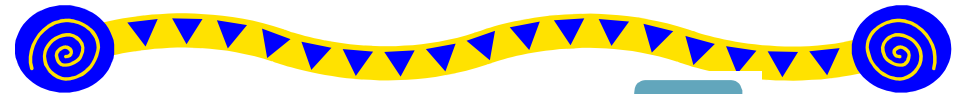


Join Us and Invite a Friend

Vision of Hope Core Values

Our Core Values are the values upon which we Stand as a community of faith. Our core values keep us focused and are key in our decision making. Understanding our core values is a good way to understand us as a church body.

1. Worship: Jesus focused, Spirit filled, God is alive and active.
2. Going out with God's love to rock our community, world and those yet to come.
3. All have a place in ministry.
4. Love: loving God, loving ourselves, & loving others.
5. All have a direct relationship with God.
6. Prayer changes us so we can change the world.



DID YOU KNOW?



Additional Parking

Did you know that extra parking is available at Sloan's Pharmacy off Stony Battery Road? It is an easy walk to the church and leaves extra spaces close to the church for first-time guests. So, if you are able, please park at the pharmacy parking lot. Thanks!

Becoming A Friend

Are you new to the church and wondering how you get connected? One way to connect is to become an official friend. See a member of our Welcome team or staff, who will give you the details about what it means to be a friend of Vision of Hope. Becoming a friend let's us encourage you on your journey and your name is placed on our attendance sheets so we can keep in touch.



Jesus Night Out!

Next Gathering:

Thursday, December 9th at 7pm

In prayer, there is a connection between what God does and what you do. For instance, you can't get forgiveness without also forgiving others. Join us on Thursday, December 9th at 7pm as our "Jesus Night Out" focuses on using prayer to learn that if you refuse to do your part, you cut yourself off from God's part.

Jesus Night Out is a special time is offered the 2nd Thursday of every month so that we may praise God, receive prayer, and learn more to help us grow spiritually.

Our time begins with a time of praise, followed by a time of teaching to support us on our journey, and ends with a time of prayer.

There is a saying that goes – Prayer changes things. And one reason this is true is because prayer changes us. We need to pray! So join us.

Everyone is invited to join us! Let us pray together so that indeed we may be "led by Christ, empowered to ROCK the world. Questions: talk with Scott Callaham. You may call Scott at 717-295-7240.

A CERTAIN SMALL SHEPHERD

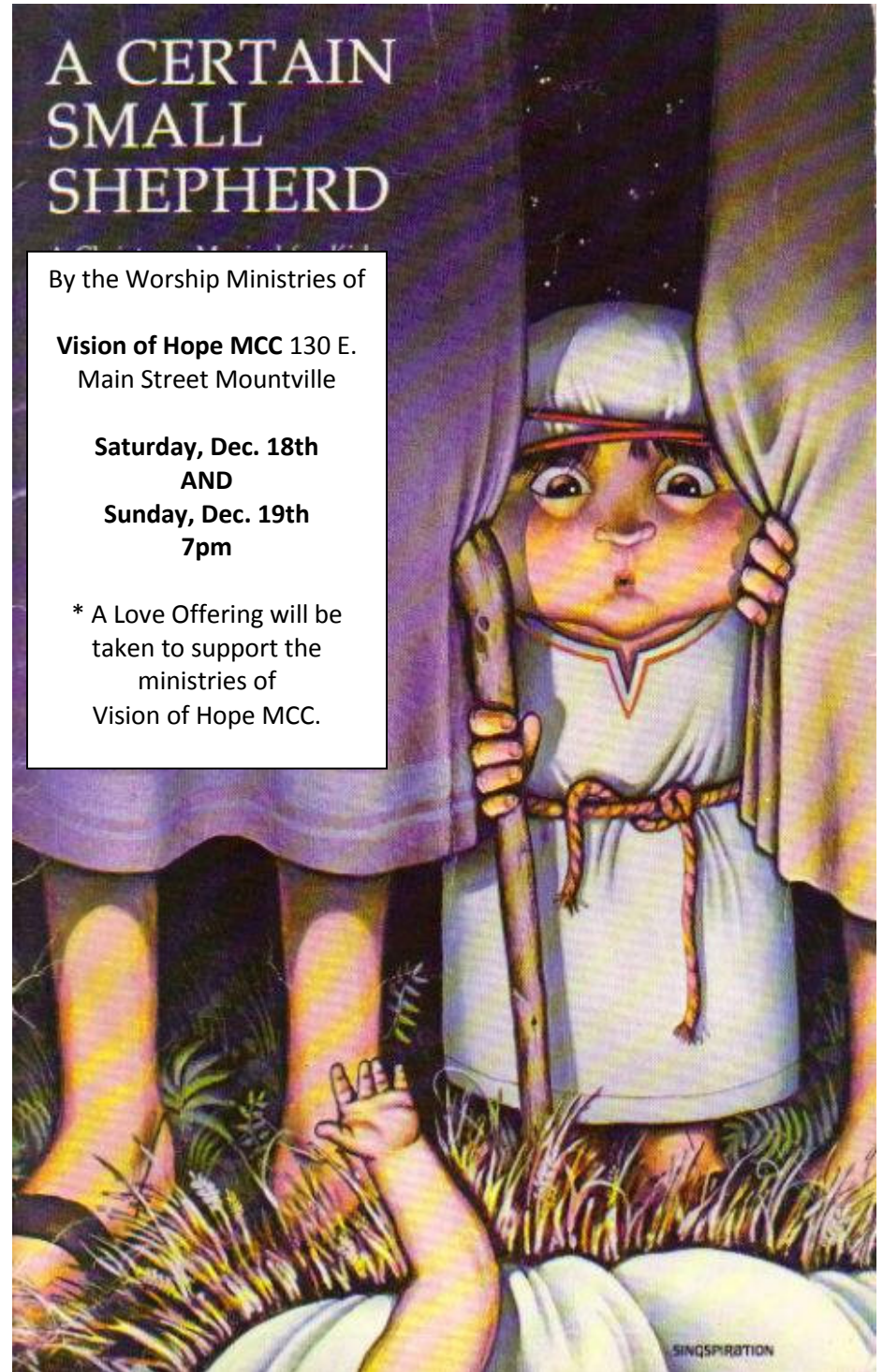
By the Worship Ministries of

**Vision of Hope MCC 130 E.
Main Street Mountville**

**Saturday, Dec. 18th
AND**

**Sunday, Dec. 19th
7pm**

* A Love Offering will be taken to support the ministries of Vision of Hope MCC.



Important Information From Your Board of Directors & Staff



FYI Board Notes

The Board of Directors met November 4, 2010. Most of our time was spent working on the 2011 budget and preparing for the annual congregational meeting.

✓ **The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on December 12, 2010 right after church service. Please make every effort to attend!**

✓ In preparation for the Congregational Meeting, **please attend at least one of the budget forums**, where you will have the opportunity to review the proposed 2011 budget, ask questions, etc. The schedule of budget forums is as follows:

- YORK: November 21st after service
- READING: December 5th at 5:00 pm before the service
- MOUNTVILLE: November 21st and December 5th after the morning service.

✓ Fundraisers:

- Tee shirts are on sale (\$18 and \$20)
- Raffle tickets are on sale for a wide-screen TV (\$5 each)

IN TIME FOR SUPERBOWL AND FOR THE CHRISTMAS SPECIALS!!!

- The second drag bingo is tentatively scheduled for January.

Board of Directors Meeting Information

Our next Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 2, 2010 at 7:00. We will discuss more about preparing for the Congregational meeting and we will have had some feedback from the first budget forum. All are welcome to attend; the Board meetings are open to everyone.

Important Announcement:

If you have bought any items to the church (the IRS calls this "In-Kind Donations"), please turn in your

Receipts ASAP! You can consider this to be a donation, or you can ask for reimbursement. Either way, please turn in the receipts so that we can track expenses so that we will have the most accurate information when it comes time to do budgets in future years.

If you have purchased items in kind as a donation:

- YES, we will add the value to your giving statement.
- YES, the IRS will let you take the deduction if you Itemize your income.
- HOWEVER, please be advised that the IRS is VERY STRICT – You must keep receipts in case you are audited. (If you make an in kind donation, we will return the receipts to you when we are done with them, so you will have them for your records).

Inclement Weather, Cancellations and Delays

What do you do when the weather is bad and something is happening at church?

Vision of Hope MCC will announce delays and cancellations in the following ways:

You can always call the church (717-285-9070) to check for special announcements regarding inclement weather. If you do not have internet access, then be sure that you call the church and listen for any special messages.

For those who have email, you will receive an email regarding delays or cancellations due to inclement weather. Please make sure the office has your current e-mail address – this is very important so that you can be sure to receive timely notices.

You can check WGAL.COM for Sunday Services only on their Closings & Delays section. Please note, this year their services have changed and **you can only check online for our cancellations** – WGAL will no longer list our Sunday Services on the TV.

In addition, we will list our delays and cancellations for Sunday Services on Facebook. Are you a “Friend” on Facebook? Please make sure you have connected with us there.

Every event listed in the bulletin or emails will have contact information for the individual responsible for that activity; so if you are not sure, please contact the individual listed for information and cancellations.

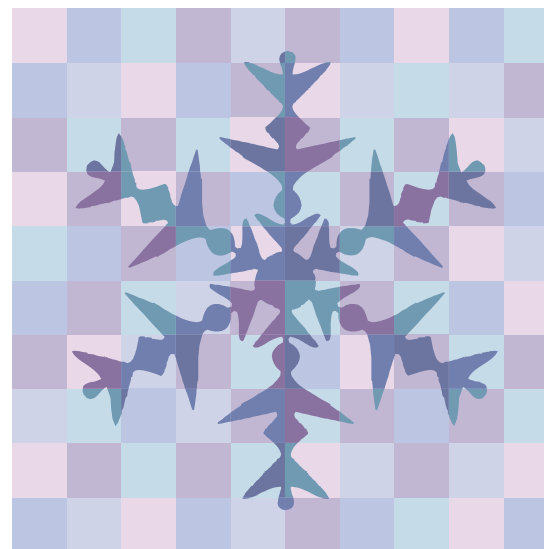
IMPORTANT: Please use your own judgment when deciding about driving in winter weather. If you don't feel it is safe to travel - DON'T GO. We'll miss you, but we'd rather know you are safe at home, than worry about you driving.

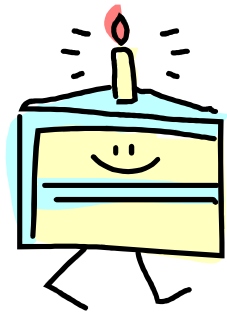
Please remember - if services are canceled due to inclement weather, the church still needs your support. Your tithe may be mailed to Treasurer c/o Vision of Hope, 130 E. Main Street, Mountville, PA 17554.

READING AND YORK CANCELLATIONS:

Pastor Jen will make decisions regarding cancellations for Reading events. You may reach her at jenglass@visionofhopemcc.org

Pastor David will make decisions regarding cancellations for York events. You may reach him at RevRDavidSmith@aol.com





BIRTHDAYS IN NOVEMBER!

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|----------------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| <i>Brenda Heiner</i> | <i>11/01</i> | <i>James Snyder</i> | <i>11/22</i> |
| <i>Dee Fenninger</i> | <i>11/05</i> | <i>Paul Aument</i> | <i>11/23</i> |
| <i>Dawn Safko</i> | <i>11/06</i> | <i>Josh Koh-Swineford</i> | <i>11/25</i> |
| <i>Mykal Slack</i> | <i>11/08</i> | <i>Tammy Fuller</i> | <i>11/29</i> |
| <i>Nilda Roman</i> | <i>11/17</i> | <i>Kathy Jones</i> | <i>11/29</i> |



A huge thank you to Dan Radlbeck and all "the girls" who hosted and did a fantastic job with our very first Drag Bingo! The Drag Bingo event raised \$627.00 for our ministries here at Vision of Hope. A big thank you to all the performers and everyone who made this event such a night of fun. Thank you to all those who donated prizes and provided snacks.

Upcoming Events

Calendar of Events

November

- Nov 21 – Mountville Budget Forum – after service
York Budget Forum – after service
- Nov 24 – Reading Bible Study begins at 7pm
Quaker Meeting House in Reading
- Nov 25 – Thanksgiving Service/Thanksgiving Dinner
Service at 10:30, dinner after service
- Nov 29 – Leadership Groups 1 & 2. We will be having
dinner together here at the church.

December

- Dec 01 – World's AIDS Day Service
- Dec 04 – Christmas Extravaganza – VOH is partnering
with First Reformed UCC to work with AIDS
Community Alliance & Spanish American
Civic Assoc to provide a Santa's workshop
for children – see flyer for details
- Dec 05 – Reading Budget Forum – before service
- Dec 03 or Dec 10 – Caroling at St Peter's Apartments
- Dec 11 – Church Xmas Party
- Dec 12 – Congregational Meeting – after service
- Dec 14 – Reading Bible Study conclusion 7pm
Quaker Meeting House in Reading
- Dec 18 & 19 – A Christmas musical for all ages
A multi-ministry affair
- Dec 24 – Children's Christmas Eve Service 5 pm
Christmas Eve Service, either 7 or 9 pm

Details of Upcoming Events

Thursday, Nov 25th – Thanksgiving Day Service and Dinner – 10:30am – You are invited to join us for our special Thanksgiving Day service and thanksgiving dinner after worship. Join us and invite a friend. We ask that you please RSVP by Sunday, Nov 21st and if you can donate items needed for dinner. Please see Ann Shultz or call her at 717-475-9423. There will be a sign up sheet hanging outside the kitchen for the items needed. This is a great day for giving thanks and eating some really good food!

Wednesday, Dec 1st – World's AIDS Day Service 7pm – A very special service you do not want to miss.

Saturday, Dec 4th – Christmas Extravaganza with Santa's Workshop – Noon to 4pm, First Reformed UCC, Lancaster, PA. An opportunity for children ages 4 to 12 in situations of either living in below the poverty level households or households affected and infected with HIV/AIDS to experience and learn about giving.

Saturday, Dec 11th – Church Wide Christmas Party Children first at 4pm, everyone invited at 6pm – Drop off your children at 4 here at Vision of Hope for their own special pizza/Christmas Party. Everyone is invited at 6pm. Bring your favorite holiday treat (finger food or dessert) to share. Don't miss out on this great holiday event with music, great conversations, time together, and some exciting games to fill the evening. Please plan on joining us and bring a friend. Have any questions or want to help, please contact Ann Schultz at (717) 475-9423.

VISION OF HOPE MCC FUNDRAISER

WIN A 40 INCH LCD FLAT PANEL TV



TICKET COST - \$5.00

**See Jo Becker, Kim Trexler, or
Dee Fenninger to buy tickets!**

Please pray for our fundraiser!!



T-Shirt Sale

T- Shirt Fund Raiser

COST: \$18.00 S, M, L, XL, & XXL
\$20.00 2XL, 3XL, 4XL AND 5XL

**SHIRTS ARE ON DISPLAY IN UPPER SOCIAL HALL !
PLEASE TALK WITH PERSON AT DISPLAY.**

ORDER & PAY TODAY AND RECEIVE IN 2 WEEKS.

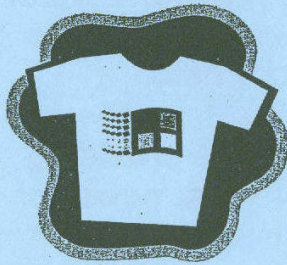
4 GREAT STYLES:

Black and White Logo

Rainbow Cross

Tye-Dye Vee

Tye-Dye Spiral



Information on Congregational Care

We have made some changes in our congregational care program so we might better serve our community of faith.

Flock Watchers: Do you have a need in which we can assist you? If we can help you along this journey of life, please let us know. If you have any congregational care needs, we have a team of people called *Flock Watchers* ready and willing to help.

Team Leader: *Donna Geist*
Contact Info: 717-209-0686
itsjustme2704@aol.com

Team Members: *Connie Bauer*
Contact Info: 717-517-1857
Conniescout2@aol.com
Fran Hess
717-664-1537
franhess@dejazzd.com
Missy Royer
717-989-0169
Roger Weaver
717-575-2805
rog137@ptd.net

Here is how the process works: If you or someone you know has a need in any of the following areas: hospital visitation; home visitation; care calls; meals; transportation needs; spiritual consultation and/or direction; prayer; housing; and financial assistance, call either the flock watchers team leader or any of the flock watchers (contact information listed above). We have a list of volunteers who are willing to help. Our flock watchers will connect people in need with those willing to help.

Additional Information on Congregational Care

...and prayer

Prayer is a vitally important aspect of life at VOH. We have a dedicated prayer team, who will pray for you. If you have a prayer request for the prayer team, please send your prayer request to Bev Bauer, at 717-394-5250 or email at VOHMamaBev@aol.com

...and cards

VOHMCC provides cards to those who need encouragement, a word of thanks or welcome – a card lets someone know that someone is thinking about them, cares about them– that they haven't been forgotten. If you know someone who could use a card, contact our Card Ministry leader, Bev Bauer, at 717-394-5250 or email at VOHMamaBev@aol.com

...and emergencies

If you have an emergency and need immediate contact, please call **(717) 413-3575**.

Congregational Care is part of our Extreme Hospitality ministry. Pastor Deb is responsible for this area of ministry with Mykal Slack assisting. You may reach them at church (717) 285-9070 or Pastor Deb by cell phone (717) 682-1873 or by e-mail vohpastordeb@verizon.net or contact Mykal Slack or by e-mail mykal.slack@gmail.com or by cell phone (717) 406-4485. We are here to help.

How You Can Help: Are you available to help people? Do you feel God calling you to make a difference by helping someone in need? You can by filling out a "Love Thy Neighbor" survey located in the back of the sanctuary at the welcome table. By filling out this survey you are placed on our list of helpful volunteers so when a need arises you may be called on to help out. If you have any questions, please talk with Donna Geist, our flock watcher team leader. Contact Info: 717-209-0686 or itsjustme2704@aol.com.



VISION OF HOPE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 11th
Location: Church

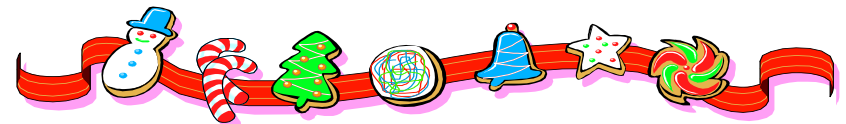
Children First! Parents can drop their children off at church on Saturday, December 11th at 4:00pm. Please let Mary Ann Durborrow know if your child is attending by talking with her or call her at (717) 364-811. While you do whatever parents do, the kids will have their own Christmas Party. Don't worry, we will have pizza with the kids before your return.

Parents are invited back at 6:00 pm.

6:00pm – Everyone is invited to join us for VOH's Christmas Party. Bring your favorite holiday treat (finger food or dessert) to share. We will have Christmas music, great conversations, time together, and some exciting games to fill the evening.

Join us and invite a friend.

If you would like to help plan the party, please call Ann Schultz at (717) 475-9423.





If You Want To Walk On Water, You've Got to Get Out Of The Boat

Vision of Hope Reading Bible Study

Please consider joining the new Bible Study in Reading. We will be using the book If You Want To Walk On Water, You've Got To Get Out Of The Boat by John Ortberg.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND!

All gatherings will take place at the Quaker Meeting House,
108 N. 6th Street, Reading, PA
at 7pm on the following Tuesdays:

- September 14: Introduction
- September 28: Chapter 1 – On Water-Walking
Chapter 2 – Boat Potatoes
- October 12: Chapter 3 – Discerning the Call
Chapter 4 – Walking on Water
- October 26: Chapter 5 – Seeing the Wind
Chapter 6 – Crying Out in Fear
- November 10: Chapter 7 – That Sinking Feeling
Chapter 8 – Focusing on Jesus
- November 24: Chapter 9 – Learning to Wait
Chapter 10 – How Big is your God?
- December 14: Conclusion

Got Questions or want more Information? Contact Rev. Jen Glass, jenglass@visionofhopemcc.org. Thanks!

WHO WAS LILLIITH?

VISION OF HOPE-YORK PRESENTS:

WHAT HAPPENED AFTER THE FLOOD?

TALES OF THE BIBLE!!

A WRESTLING MATCH WITH GOD?

ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS AND MANY MORE!

BROTHERLY COMPETITION? MOTHER'S PET?

FATHER ABRAHAM? A ROLE MODEL?

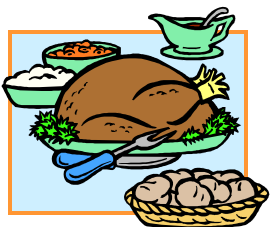
WHO PASSED HIS WIFE OFF AS HIS SISTER, TWICE?

WHO MARRIED HIS WIFE'S SISTER FIRST?

**CLUB XS YORK
36 W. 11TH Ave.
TUESDAYS
7:30PM-9 PM
START – OCT. 5**

DINNER AND A SONG SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Please join us for this great social event
hosted by Vision of Hope MCC – Reading!



We'll be having Thanksgiving
dinner at 5pm.

Karaoke will
start at 7pm.



WE HAVE LIGHTED, ONSITE PARKING!

**Contact Information: Rev. Deb Coggin (717) 682-1873 or
Rev. Jen Glass (610) 350-9803 (Se habla Español)
or e-mail Reading@visionofhopemcc.org**

Vision of Hope MCC – Reading is a Jesus focused, Spirit filled, God is alive and active community of faith. We are led by Christ, empowered to rock the world. This event is sponsored by Vision of Hope MCC – Mountville. Vision of Hope MCC – a multi-racial, intergenerational GLBTQ community and those who walk the journey with us – is a church where all people are welcome. We are part of the Universal Fellowship of Metropolitan Community Churches.

Website: www.visionofhopemcc.org.



Christmas Extravaganza with Santa's Workshop

**Saturday, December 4
Noon to 4 pm
First Reformed UCC, Lancaster, PA**

For 2010 Vision of Hope MCC's Christmas Extravaganza Project will provide an opportunity for children ages 4 to 12 in situations of either living in below the poverty level households or households affected and infected with HIV/AIDS to experience and learn about giving. In order to accomplish this we will again be working with **AIDS Community Alliance (ACA)** of Lancaster, and additionally the **Spanish American Civic Association (SACA)**.

We are partnering with **First Reformed UCC** and at their church we will provide a Christmas Extravaganza with a "Santa's Workshop" where children can shop for free Christmas presents for family members. The gifts will be wrapped by Santa's helpers and the kids will attend a Christmas party either before or after shopping which will include food, games and photos with Santa!

This year we will be asking for help with gifts for the children, wrapping paper and tape, volunteers to help with the event, and any money contributions you may wish to contribute.

PLEASE LOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON
and if you have any questions you can ask either Pastor Deb or
Pastor Jen!

Ministries At Vision Of Hope MCC

Priesthood of All Believers – The Ministers of Vision of Hope MCC

Reverend Deb Coggin
Reverend Jen Glass
Reverend David Smith
Mykal Slack

Lead Pastor - vohpastordeb@verizon.net
Staff Pastor - jenglass@visionofhopemcc.org
Staff Pastor – RevRDavidSmith@aol.com
Staff/Clergy Candidate- mykal.slack@gmail.com

Worship Teams

A/V & Sound Board Ministry Team
Altar Team
Joyful Noise Choir
Jubilation Praise Team
Movement of Praise Dance Team
Puppets Team

Dawn Safko - amazingoz@aol.com
Dan Radlbeck - radlbeck32@aol.com
Mykal Slack – mykal.slack@gmail.com
Mykal Slack – mykal.slack@gmail.com
James Snyder – James.Snyder@Alvernia.edu
Roger Weaver – Rog137@aol.com

Congregational Care Teams

Card Ministry
Call Care Team
Good Will Towards Others
Hospital Visit Team
Hospitality Team
Prayer Team
Welcome Team

Bev Bauer – VOHMamaBev@aol.com
Connie Bauer – Conniescout2@aol.com
Donna Geist - itjustme2704@aol.com
Connie Bauer – Conniescout2@aol.com
Ann Shultz – (717) 475-9423
Mykal Slack - mykal.slack@gmail.com
Dee Fenninger - HockeyDee60@verizon.net

Congregational Life Teams

Community Feast
Fun Bunch/Social Events

Ann Shultz – (717) 475-9423

Rock The World Ministries

Rock Moldova
Voices of Equality

Hope Harrison - imedingeo@yahoo.com
Kim Trexler - serenekim@yahoo.com

Practicing Our Faith Ministries

Find Your "Place" In Ministry Team
Couple's Group
Men's Group
TransHope Group
Ribbon of Hope

Pastor Deb - vohpastordeb@verizon.net

Mykal Slack - mykal.slack@gmail.com

Next Generation

Sunday School

MaryAnn Durborow -
redheadedpenguin@comcast.net

Administration

Board of Directors

Tracy Akerley – tracybird1962@comcast.net
Jo Becker - canceledstamps@comcast.net
Jack Bowser - goffins2@yahoo.com
David Daub
Kim Paulson - queendiva1@comcast.net
Chuck Romberger – cromberger@comcast.net

Office

Larry Bingaman

Thanksgiving Day Dinner



As always it takes a community to throw a party. We need your help to make this event a success. We need volunteers for clean up and dinner preparations. **Please contact Ann Shultz for further information at 717-475-9423**

Items Needed For Dinner

POTATOES
SWEET POTATOES (NOT CANNED)
BREAD / BREAD CUBES
CELERY
BUTTER
ONIONS
EGGS
BROWN SUGAR
CORN
BROCCOLI
DINNER ROLLS
DESSERTS

CASH DONATIONS ARE ALWAYS EASY AND HELPFUL SO WE CAN PICK UP THINGS WE NEED.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR DINNER AFTER THE THANKSGIVING WORSHIP SERVICE

We ask that you please RSVP by Sunday, **November 21st** so that we can prepare. **Please contact Ann Shultz for further information at 717-475-9423 or place this sheet in the offering basket.**

I will attend

Number Adults _____

Number Children _____



I Can Help With

Set Up ___ Clean Up _____

I Can Bring a Dessert YES/NO

Name _____

E-mail or Phone _____

Pastor's Corner

By Deb Coggin, Lead Pastor



Ministry is Your Responsibility

After He washed the disciple's feet, He put on his robe, returned to the table and said to them "Do you know what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord – and you are right, for that is what I am. So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet (John 13:12-14)

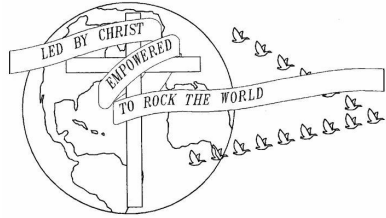
As we might pass along a prized possession or heirloom to someone we love, Jesus passed along his teaching ministry to the disciples and the Apostle Paul passed it along to us. "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom.

It is from this rich dwelling place that we can teach one another. When Christ keeps house within us, we can reproduce what we have received. When we teach and admonish one another, presenting our learning, sharing our insights, challenging, supporting, questioning, guiding, we become communicators of Christ to each other. We teach by example and by a well placed wise word here and there, these are our responsibilities and we must model a God-can-do spirit.

| Date | Pastor's Schedule |
|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sunday 11/07 | Mountville Worship 10am |
| Monday, 11/08 | OFF |
| Tuesday, 11/09 | D-Min Class / Writing |
| Wednesday, 11/10 | Meetings / Staff |
| Thursday, 11/11 | Thanksgiving Service and Dinner |
| Friday, 11/12 | Holiday |
| Saturday, 11/13 | Reading Event |

Our Vision Statement

Led by Christ, empowered to rock the world!



Vision of Hope Metropolitan Community Church – a multi racial intergenerational GLBTQ community and those who walk the journey with us - is a church where all people are welcome.

We will provide a transformational encounter with the living God. We commit to creating, developing, and supporting opportunities where all people can participate. We are a church committed to becoming deep disciples through extreme hospitality, powerful worship, larger-than-life generosity, deliberate faith development and audacious service.

We are empowered by God-centered prayer, worship, and the sharing of our gifts. We are supported by effective staff. We share the Gospel of Christ and reach out in the Spirit to welcome and adopt all whom we encounter, so that we might be "Led by Christ, empowered to rock the world!"