

April

Apr 6: Living Free bible study by Beth Moore. Session Six "Enjoying God's presence". Do you enjoy God? What does it mean to enjoy His presence in everyday life. How do we get into God's presence?

Apr 13: Easter Break

Apr 20: Question and Answer with Bonnie Greiner. She's a wife and mom of eight, and most recently an author to "There's an Easier Way: 21 ways to lovingly raise your children without regrets" among other books. Come with questions on mothering, household tips, homeschooling, marriage, de-cluttering, faith, or something altogether different. Let us soak in her wisdom through God and experience!

Apr 27: It's All About Plants. We will spend the morning assembling beautiful planters and having a perennial swap. Bring along any perennials you would like to include in the swap. Flowers and planters will be available to purchase, or bring your own.

May

May 4: Living Free Bible Study by Beth Moore. Wrap up! We will discuss some of the ways this study has or is changing our lives. What have you gained from this study? How has it impacted your faith journey?

May 11: Farewell Brunch. This is our last morning this year. We'll go out like we came in, eating and laughing! Even if you haven't been able to make it much this year, please feel free to come out for the farewell brunch (and bring something yummy to share)!



IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER

If Lampeter-Strasburg school district is one-hour late, Tea Time meets from 10:00am to 12pm.

If Lampeter-Strasburg is two hours late or canceled, Tea Time is canceled.

At times we may feel Tea Time and preschool should be closed when schools are open. WGAL (channel 8), WJTL (90.3) and WDAC (94.5) give information on Willow Street Preschool and Tea Time.

You're Invited!



WHEN:

EVERY THURSDAY MORNING FROM
SEPTEMBER 15 - MAY 11.

WHERE:

WILLOW STREET MENNONITE CHURCH,
CORNER OF PENN GRANT ROAD & HANS HERR DR.

WHO:

WOMEN OF EVERY AGE AND STAGE OF LIFE

WHAT:

FRIENDSHIP, SPIRITUAL GROWTH, AND PRACTICAL ADVICE IN ALL
AREAS OF OUR LIVES ALONG WITH A LOT OF "JUST FUN" ACTIVITIES.

WHY:

WHETHER YOU'RE LOOKING FOR NEW FRIENDS, WANT TO LEARN MORE
ABOUT GOD, OR JUST NEED A BREAK FROM YOUR DAILY ROUTINE,
COME!

CHILDCARE FOR INFANT UP TO THE 6TH GRADE HOMESCHOOL CLASS IS
PROVIDED FOR THOSE ATTENDING TEA TIME FOR A SUGGESTED
DONATION OF \$1 PER CHILD. SEE "CHILDCARE GUIDELINES" FOR MORE
INFORMATION.

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Women Encouraging Women



• THURSDAY MORNING •

REFRESHMENTS 9:00 - 9:15 SHARING TIME 9:15 - 9:45

PROGRAM 9:45 - 10:45 PICK UP 10:45 - 11:00

September

Sept 15: Welcome Brunch. It's the beginning of a new year of Tea Time and we are excited to see you! Please join us for a morning of food and laughter.

Sept 22: True or False. Join us as we learn about one another through a fun true and false game.

Sept 29: Home Management. The phrase "a well oiled machine runs smoothly" applies to taking care of our homes and families. Learn tips and tricks on couponing, home remedies and organization to take care of your household and keep it running smoothly.

October

Oct 6: Living Free. Introduction to Beth Moore's study - "Living Free" as we focus on the radical idea that we can't please God by being perfect. Join us as we embark on learning how to keep a Godward focus in life while beginning to incorporate the key benefits of prayer and Bible study.

Oct 13: Marriage with Pam Lapp - During their 41 years of marriage they have faced many challenges and trials that ultimately brought them closer to the Lord and each other. Pam will bring encouragement to us that whether in times of trial or not, we can have the courage to take steps to insure survival as well as a blessed and fulfilled marriage.

Oct 20: Service Project Morning. We will work together to bless others. Projects will include making freezer meals in our kitchen, and yard work at a neighbor's house. (weather permitting!)

Oct 27: Harvest Party. Remember "Four on a Couch," "Train Wreck" and "Swat"? Join us as we revisit these youth group games or learn them for the first time! We will have food to enjoy as well.

November

Nov 3: Living Free Bible study by Beth Moore. Session one - "Demolishing Strongholds". What is a stronghold? How can it hold us back from intimacy with God? How can Christ be our stronghold so we do not need to live in fear?

Nov 10: Pinterest Party. Join us this morning as we create our own Pinterest décor. Come feeling crafty, or just ready to watch, learn and chat.

Nov 17: Breaking Free Deb Kilheffer - Many of us have been wounded or continually pulled into sin. How do we get spiritual healing and break of generational sin to live a joy filled life?

2016-2017 Tea Time Schedule

Nov 24: Thanksgiving Break

December

Dec 1: Living Free bible study by Beth Moore. Session two- "To Know God and Believe Him". Have you struggled with believing in God? Or maybe your experiences have taught you that God might not be that good. Let's search together as we unpack who God is and what He intends for us.

Dec 8: The Power of Praise. Join us for a morning of worship; both as a group & as individuals share their gifts in music.

Dec 15: How do we make Christmas really meaningful for our families in a culture of consumerism? Let's reorient and recover from the culture's view of the holiday season. Mike Sigman and company will help prepare us to honor Christ this Christmas.

Dec 22: Christmas Break

Dec 29: Christmas Break

January

Jan 5: Living Free bible study by Beth Moore. Session three- "To Glorify God"- Have you ever wondered how you can possibly live up to God's expectations? We will discuss God's glory and how we can reflect it to honor and please God, even in the midst of our failures.

Jan 12: Peace Like A River. We just got through the holidays which can be, oh so busy! The New Year brings in time to reset, quiet ourselves and refocus on God and his peace. This morning we will practice relaxing yoga while meditating on God and His word.

Jan 19: Parenting. The days are long but the years are short. It's those long days, that we need wisdom on how to parent well, raise a strong family and still have fun in the seemingly short span we are impacting our children. We will listen to Mark and Mari Cunningham share of their 20+ years of parenting.

Jan 26: Midwinter Tea. It may be frosty outside, but come inside for warmth, encouragement and refreshment!

February

Feb 2: Living Free bible study by Beth Moore. Session four- "To find satisfaction in God"- We falsely believe that possessions, power or people will make us happy. What would it be like to be completely satisfied by our

relationship with Jesus.

Feb 9: Spa Day! It's the middle of winter, and the perfect time to turn some of our "drab to fab". Whether its make-up tips, a new easy hairstyle or a stress relieving massage, let's pamper ourselves as the beautiful women of God we are!

Feb 16: Mediocre Marriage? Nope! We're not doing that. With John and Cheryl Drouillard- How does a marriage thrive in this culture rather than just merely survive? With great intention and purpose, it doesn't have to be hard work. The choice to keep your love on is worth the connection you will build with your spouse to withstand anything that comes your way!

Feb 23: Love Yourself Party. Who isn't looking for a reason to party? We will learn how to make a decorated cupcake and celebrate...ourselves! We are made in the image of God. That makes us lovely in every way.

March

Mar 2: Living Free bible study by Beth Moore. Session five- "Experiencing God's peace". Peace is a real and practical benefit to a relationship with God. We will work through how to have peace no matter our current circumstance.

Mar 9: Spring Cleaning Auction. What better time to clean out your home than the upcoming springtime. Bring along your no longer wanted treasures to be auctioned on in a play money auction. This morning you are in for a fun, and a sure to entertain time.

Mar 16: Unlocking What is Inside of You. Matt Buckwalter and his wife Naomi have been married for 21 years and are enjoying the process of raising their 5 children who currently range in age from 19 to 6. He will be sharing stories of God's faithfulness as he leads us through a time of letting go of disappointments as we seek to embrace the new phase of life the Father is calling us into.

Mar 23: Laughter and Hidden Talents. "Laughter is an instant vacation" So let's have a mini "vacay" as we share humorous stories, or a hidden talent or skill.

Mar 30: Seeking to Run the Race Well. Join us for a discussion with a multi-generational panel of women, as we look for direction from some ladies who are striving to "run the race" with intention and purpose.