

LOCATION

The Gathering
Place
6 Pine Street
Mount Joy, PA.
(717) 653-5911

DIRECTIONS

From Lancaster

Take Route 283 W. to Manheim- Mount Joy exit. Turn left onto Manheim - Mount Joy Road, go 1.8 miles. After crossing a bridge, immediately turn left onto Barbara Street, go several blocks, turn left onto Pine and into The Gathering Place parking lot.

From Harrisburg

Take Route 283 E. to Manheim- Mount Joy exit. Turn right onto Manheim - Mount Joy Road, go 1.8 miles. After crossing a bridge, immediately turn left onto Barbara Street, go several blocks, turn left onto Pine and into The Gathering Place parking lot.

PROGRAM

This is our 21st banquet and we have planned an exciting evening. There will be dinner at 6:00 prepared by The Gathering Place, followed by a business update of the past year, picture presentation and music..

FINANCIAL APPEAL

We continue to receive project proposals and requests for assistance from Shirati Hospital and the Tanzania Mennonite Church. The donations received at this Banquet will go toward completing the x-ray purchase and remodeling project and the purchase of medicine and medical supplies.

We appreciate your continued support and ask that you invite your friends to join us for this fun evening.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION**

RSVP BY MARCH 8 2010

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Lancaster, PA 17605
(215) 822-4037
Or

E-mail: banquet@friendsofshirati.org

Yes, I/We will attend the 3-13-10

Dinner: # of attendees _____

No, I/We cannot attend but I am

enclosing my donation of \$_____00

to support your work.

Name: _____

Address _____

DONATIONS:

Make checks payable and send to:

Friends of Shirati

P.O. Box 10903

Lancaster, PA 17605-0903

Or

By Credit Card

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Donations are tax deductible

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HISTORY OF FRIENDS OF SHIRATI

In 1978, employees and staff of Lancaster General Hospital gave \$25,000 to Eastern Mennonite Mission to buy medicine and medical supplies for Shirati Hospital.

In 1996 an advisory group was formed and since that time we have had a yearly banquet to raise financial support for Shirati Hospital.

In 2004, Shirati Hospital requested additional assistance for equipment and remodeling of the hospital.

In 2005, the Friends of Shirati advisory Board applied for and received the legal status of a 501 C 3 nonprofit organization.

Our mission is to provide medical, educational, and developmental assistance to East Africa.

Our current goals encompass assisting Shirati Hospital and the Shirati Community to provide better medical facilities, more educational opportunities for employees, and sustainable development.

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Invitation



FRIENDS OF SHIRATI

2010 Fundraiser Banquet

March 13, 2010