Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection January 11, 2017

A HUGE "Thank You" to all those willing hands that ministered to the Brunstetter family this week. From the set-up to the food prep to the clean up, you were amazing!! It is greatly appreciated. Thanks again!

Church Council will be meeting tonight (Wednesday) at 7:00 p.m.

There will be **No Worship Team Practice** tomorrow night (Thursday).

There will be an **Elder's Meeting** on Monday, January 16 at 7:00 p.m.

Dave Kempf will be having the Children's Message this Sunday, January 15, and will be giving the children and adults the opportunity to **Present their Coins for Penny Power** through Mennonite Central Committee. Remember to bring your coins!

Parents of Pre-teens and Teenagers - Please join us for a special viewing of Pam Stenzel's DVD, Parents Matter-Raising Kids with Integrity, this coming Sunday, January 15th from 6:30-8:00pm. We will meet again on Sunday, January 29th from 6:30-8:00pm to view the Question and Answer Session and have more time for discussion on this topic. Invite your friends! If you have any questions, please see Tara Willard.

The **Youth Group will be having a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser on Saturday, January 21,** for their Missions Trip to the Appalachia area of Tennessee this summer. You can purchase your tickets this Sunday in the foyer. There are three time slots available for your meal, 4:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$10 for adults; \$5 for children 6-12; and children ages 5 and under are free.

The **Fellowship Commission** is responsible to have someone supply a meal for those in the congregation who may recently have come home from the hospital or may have other health issues that prevent them from easily preparing a meal for their family. Occasionally, they like to update their list of individuals who have indicated that they are willing to supply a meal in the event one is needed. If you would like to serve in this way, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer. Thank you.

We will be taking pictures for a new **Lifetouch Pictorial Church Directory** on January 26, 27 & 28. If you have not already signed up please do so as soon as possible. If you would like to schedule your appointment online please go to: https://www.securedata-trans14.com/ap/steelcitymennonitechurch/index.php?page=10 and follow the simple step-by-step instructions. We also have a sign-up sheet in the foyer, if you do not have access to a computer. (The online website will be disabled on Sundays to prevent double booking of a time slot.) We would like as many of the congregation in the directory as possible. This is so helpful for people when they first begin attending SCMC to learn to know us.

Meet for **Weekly Koffee and Konversation** at the Hellertown Diner on Tuesday mornings at 8:00 a.m. Come and enjoy a great time of fellowship together!

Next Week's Let's Read the Bible Together Plan: January 15, Acts 5-6, Genesis 6-7; January 16, Acts 7-8, Genesis 8-9; January 17, Acts 9-10, Genesis 10-11; January 18, Acts 11-12, Genesis 12-13; January 19, Acts 13-14, Genesis 14-15; January 20, Acts 15-16, Genesis 16-17; January 21, Acts 17-18, Genesis 18-19.

This Week: Nursery Staff, Val Newcomer, Lisa Walters (Alt.), Alyssa Richards; **Greeter**, Jim Brunstetter; **Worship Team Leader**, Kelly Schoch; **Ushers**, Chip Shimko, Bob Kemmerer, Rob Ibach; **Children's Message**, Dave Kempf.

Please Pray For . . . Phillip & Betsy Rhodes Fisher, as they serve in Morocco; Bart & Jessica Tossenou, and their work in China; Nicolas & Jennifer Haddad, serving in Lebanon; Jess Bergey, as she serves with Youth With a Mission (YWAM); David & Yen Truong, Bob & Emily Walters and Lee & Danette Walters.