

Steel City Mennonite Church
Mid-Week Connection
March 18, 2015

Holy Week Services: April 3, Good Friday Service with Foot-washing and Communion, 7:00 p.m.
April 5, Sunrise Service, 7:00 a.m.
April 5, Galilean Breakfast, 7:30 a.m.
April 5, Easter Service, 9:30 a.m.

Good News Club and Youth Group meet tonight at 6:30 p.m.

Join your friends tonight for an evening of discussion and prayer focused on our upcoming Revival meetings. Tonight's key aspect of personal renewal: "Surrender". See you at 6:45 p.m.!

Tomorrow is the Ladies "field trip" to the Country Grapevine and our lunch at **Hampton Winds Restaurant**. We will meet at 9:30 a.m. Hampton Winds Restaurant at Northampton Community College and carpool from there to the Country Grapevine.

We have been invited by another church in Nazareth for a **Christian Skate Night at Bethlehem Skateaway** tomorrow evening from 6-8 p.m. Tickets are \$4 plus \$2 skate rental. Only Christian music will be played during this skate night. Come out for a fun evening together!

There is a **Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Breakfast** this Sunday at 8:30 a.m. for all who are currently teaching Sunday School. We appreciate you investing in our children and adults this quarter! Please RSVP to Tara today.

Childcare Volunteers are Needed! We will offer childcare during all services of our Revival Meetings. To accomplish this, we need volunteers for Sunday evening through Wednesday evening. Please contact Bev to indicate when you can help out.

One of the greatest criticisms of the church is that they always ask for money. To make sure this negative perception isn't perpetuated during our Revival Meetings, we will not be receiving an offering at the evening services. The estimated costs associated with this life-changing event are \$2,000.00. If you are able to additionally contribute toward these expenses, that would be awesome. Designate as such on your giving envelopes.

Join our **Sunday Evening Bible Study** as we look at a study titled "People of the Passion". There is a varied cast of characters surrounding Jesus the last week of His earthly ministry that we want to individually study.

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!

Our **March Lunch Bunch** will be on Thursday, March 26 at 12 noon. We will be going to Rudy's Diner, Bar & Grill, at 1406 Center Street in Bethlehem. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer.

We are having an **Easter Egg Hunt with a Skit** on Saturday, March 28, at 10 a.m. This event is for children ages 1 through 5th Grade. Bring your own baskets and plan on having a fun time!!

Sunday morning, March 29, is **Music Sunday!** We will praise our Lord and King with voices united. Dave Kempf will be leading traditional hymns; Dan Reed will be leading Southern Gospel hymns; and Robert Bergey will be leading contemporary worship music. It will be a great morning of vocal worship!

Attention Women of Steel City Church! Mark your calendars for a **Women's Weekend at Sugar Hollow** on April 10-12. We hope that you can join us for an awesome time of fellowship, games, hiking, and studying God's Word together! Lydia Mohler will lead us in our discussion time. Each participant will be asked to work with several others to prepare one of the meals, and a donation of \$40 is requested (checks payable to SCMC). A sign-up sheet is in the foyer. We hope that you can join us, and feel free to bring a friend!

"Freshening Up in the Spirit" is the working title for our Renewal Meetings which will be held April 19-22. Phil Stutzman will be our speaker. After twenty years of serving as a pastor in two churches, Phil and his wife, Elsie, felt the time was right to launch a ministry of their own. In 2008, **Souls4Him Ministries** was established, enabling them to travel extensively ministering in churches, prisons, youth events, conferences and various outreaches, both in the United States and abroad. Phil's heart for evangelism is expressed through his passionate and authentic preaching style which ignites enthusiasm in his audience and propels people towards their role in fulfilling the Great Commission.

Next Week's ESV Study Bible Reading Plan: March 22, Psalm 81, Exodus 26, Nehemiah 7, Romans 16; March 23, Psalm 82, Exodus 27:1-19, Nehemiah 8, 1 Corinthians 1:1-17; March 24, Psalm 83, Exodus 27:20-28:43, Nehemiah 9, 1 Corinthians 1:18-31; March 25, Psalm 84, Exodus 29, Nehemiah 10, 1 Corinthians 2; March 26, Psalm 85, Exodus 30-31, Nehemiah 11:1-12:26, 1 Corinthians 3; March 27, Psalm 86, Exodus 32, Nehemiah 12:27-47, 1 Corinthians 4; March 28, Psalm 87, Exodus 33, Nehemiah 13, 1 Corinthians 5.

This Week: Nursery Staff, Darlene Hein, T'yanna Ruiz and Lisa Walters; **Greeter,** Neal Kempf; **Worship Team Leader,** Dan Reed; **Ushers,** Chip Shimko, Bob Kemmerer, Rob Ibach, Greg Feenstra and Nick Mace; **Children's Message,** Rachel Feenstra.

Please Pray For . . . Phillip & Betsy Rhodes Fisher, preparing to leave this summer to serve through Rosedale Mennonite Missions in Morocco; **Bart & Jessica Tossenou,** and their work in China; **Nicolas & Jennifer Haddad,** serving in Lebanon; **Jim Brunstetter;** **MaiMy Bui;** and **Brian & Diane Cassel.**