

Steel City Mennonite Church
Mid-Week Connection
March 4, 2020

There will be a dinner for **Good News Club and Youth Group** families tonight (Wednesday) at 5:45 p.m. Good News Club and Youth Group will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Daylight Saving Time begins this Sunday morning (2:00 am). Remember to turn your clocks ahead one hour.

Saturday Night Alive gathers every Saturday evening at 7:00 p.m. for one hour of worship and teaching from scripture.

Discovery Bible Study meets Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the Banquet room of the Hellertown Diner.

The **Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Breakfast** will be held in the fellowship hall this coming Sunday, March 8, at 8:30 a.m. Teachers, please RSVP to Tara by today.

Dave Kempf will be having the Children's Message on Sunday, March 8, 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!

The next **Fellowship Meal** will be held this coming Sunday, March 8. The optional theme for this month is Mexican foods. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please bring a main dish and a side dish or dessert to share.

Our Sister Church Line Lexington, is having a **Hymn Sing** on Sunday, March 15 at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is invited!

The **March Lunch Bunch** will be held on March 25 at 11:00 a.m. (note the earlier time) at **The Hampton Winds Restaurant**. The Hampton Winds Restaurant is the training ground for Northampton Community College's highly-regarded Culinary Arts program. The restaurant is located at Northampton Community College, 3835 Greenpond Rd., Bethlehem. Please sign up on the SCMC app or in the foyer by **March 15**.

Whether you are the hostess with the mostess, or the best guest, SCMC has an opportunity for you! **Guess Who's Coming to Dinner** is coming Sunday March 29, at 5:00 p.m. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you would like to host (along with the number you can host), or be a guest (along with the number attending) and you will be matched up for a fun night of dinner and conversation! The guests will be asked to bring a side dish or dessert. SSSHHH....it will be a surprise who will be attending. Please sign up no later than **March 22**.

Holy Week Services - Maundy Thursday Service, April 9 at 7:00 p.m.; Saturday Night Alive Easter Celebration, April 11 at 7:00 p.m.; Sunrise Service, April 12 at 7:00 a.m. and Resurrection Service, April 12 at 9:30 a.m. Please put these dates in your personal calendar and plan on attending.

Attention Ladies: All women are invited to sign up in the church foyer for the **Women's Retreat at Sugar Hollow** in Tunkhannock, PA on April 24-26. The cabin is approximately 1 hr. 45 minutes from the church. The suggested donation is \$40 per person. Looking forward to seeing you there! If you have questions you can call Becky Bergey at 215-872-8080.

Save the Date! Vacation Bible School will be held on Sunday July 12 – Thursday July 16 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. (The date has changed this year from our normal June week to July).

Our next **SCMC "Silver Saint" Trip** is scheduled for October 12-17, 2020. We are planning on going to Gatlinburg/Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. The plans may include the Gatlinburg Craftsmen's Fair, Music/Comedy Dinner shows and other site seeing in the area. Exact cost will be determined as the itinerary is finalized. Please indicate your interest in this trip through the sign-up sheet in the foyer.

There are still slots available to serve at **Bethlehem Emergency Shelter** in March. Please visit the link below to sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094AAEAC22AAF49-bethlehem>

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 Bible Reading Plan: Week 11: - Numbers 20, 27:12-23; Numbers 34-35; Deuteronomy 1-2; Deuteronomy 3-4; Deuteronomy 6-7.
Memory Verses: Deuteronomy 4:7; Deuteronomy 6:4-9.

This Week: **Nursery Staff**, Deanna Olsen, Kylie Schmidt; **Worship Team Leader**, Robert Bergey.

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; **Rolando & Andrea Zelaya** serving in Spain; Those in **authority over us** (government leaders); **Jason & Jaime Lesser**, **Jeremy & Lydia Lesser**, and **Bill & Lucy Litke**.

REACH those far from God
RELATE to those near to God



RETURN blessing as blessed
RENEW a right spirit within