## Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection March 18, 2020

**SCMC will not hold any worship gatherings again this weekend.** There will be an online service offered through Facebook Live at 10:00 am Sunday. During this time of being the church "scattered", Pastor David will be offering daily encouragements via email and through Facebook.

This time of forced closures of businesses can be very hard on those who have lost income due to decisions outside their control. If you are experiencing financial hardship because of lack of income, contact your credit companies (charge cards, mortgage institutions, car loan companies, etc.) to explain your situation. Also, please inform Pastor David or Sheryl Richards. **SCMC would like to make sure no one suffers unduly during this time.** 

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner has been canceled.

The Youth Group Hoagie Fundraiser has been postponed until further notice.

**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.

**Bethlehem Christian School** will be having their annual **Auction & Gala** on Friday, April 17, 2020, from 5:30-9:00 p.m. at Lehigh Valley Hotel/Best Western in Bethlehem, PA. Don't miss out on this special evening with featured speaker, Darryl Strawberry. The evening includes a silent and live auction, hors d'oeuvres and dinner, and a VIP meet and greet for event sponsors. You can purchase tickets at <a href="https://www.bethlehemchristianschool.org">www.bethlehemchristianschool.org</a>.

**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 <u>Sunday July 12 – Thursday July 16</u> 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.

**Next Week's Bible Reading Plan: Week 13**: - Joshua 5:10-15, 6; Joshua 7-8; Joshua 23-24; Judges 2-3; Judges 4. **Memory Verses:** Joshua 24:14-15; Judges 2:12.

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); Carl & Danielle Mangione, Wayne Matthews, and Jim & Rhonda McMahon.

**REACH** those far from God **RELATE** to those near to God



**RETURN** blessing as blessed **RENEW** a right spirit within