## Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection May 27, 2015

You are needed to make our **Vacation Bible School** program a success!! We are especially in need of crew leaders to walk around with the children to the stations. Even if you can only come one or two nights, please sign up for those nights. We would like to have 4 leaders per crew, which is 16 volunteers and we currently have a total of six—**one of whom is Pastor David!!!**Anyone 6th Grade and up can volunteer. Also, sign up for the snack items that you would like to provide that are needed for the week. Included on the bulletin board is a sign-up sheet to pre-order the VBS CDs and DVDs that has the songs that the children will be singing during the week of VBS. There are Registration Forms provided in the foyer or you can register online at scmc4.me. All children must be registered, ages 2 through grade 5. VBS will be held June 22-26, 2015.

Tonight at 6:30 p.m. is our last night of Good News Club. Bible Study is at 6:45 p.m. in the Chapel.

Our **May Lunch Bunch** is tomorrow (Thursday) at 12 noon. We will be going to Cheeburger Cheeburger at 336 Northampton Street in Easton. If you would like to attend and haven't signed up, please sign up tonight or text or call Bev at 610-730-8007.

Come out for a **Church League Softball Game** tomorrow night at Promised Land at 6:30 p.m. Our record is three and three; cheer our team to victory!!

**Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.,** Pastor David will be opening another "Can of Worms (COW)". The COW topic is "How to Identify an Evil Person".

There will be a very special **Youth Group Meeting** this Sunday evening from, 6:30-8:30 p.m. We will be honoring our seven high school seniors and giving out the summer schedule.

**Church Council** will meet on next Monday evening at 7 p.m.

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!

Dave and Debbie Faust, Amy Smith and Anita McSloy are inviting the church family to a combined **Graduation Party for Nick Mace, Trevor Faust, Frank Smith and Alicia Carriotte (Smith)** on Saturday, June 13, from 12-4 p.m., at the church. This is any Open House, so come when you can. Please RSVP to Deb Faust, Amy Smith or Anita McSloy by June 6, if you plan to be in attendance.

Are you ready for some...BASEBALL?!! SCMC Family Night at the Iron Pigs is on Friday, July 31, beginning at 6 p.m. with an all-you-can-eat buffet at the PPL Patio Pavilion! Hot dogs, hamburgers, bbq chicken, pasta marinara, redskin potato salad, coleslaw, bbq baked beans, potato chips, fresh seasonal fruits, assorted cookies and cold beverages. The buffet will be served from 6-8:30 p.m. and unlimited soft drinks will be served through the 8th inning. The game begins at 7:05 p.m. and there will be fireworks after the game. The cost per ticket is \$18 (the church is subsidizing \$9 toward the \$27 ticket) and children two years and under are free. Sign up as soon as possible: tickets are first come, first serve! Money for the tickets is due on Sunday, June 28.

**Mennonite World Conference Assembly Pennsylvania 2015** (Harrisburg, July 21-25) will be the largest gathering of global Anabaptists held in the United States for at least the next 24-30 years. For some, this will be a "once in a lifetime" event to attend. They are currently taking reservations for daily registrants. The fee for each day is \$120, which includes two meals and parking. Another option available to us is to share a full time registration (\$595). This would mean sharing the "badge" from one day to the next. Please indicate your potential interest in attending by signing up on the sheet in the foyer.

**Sign up for SCMC Text Messaging Program** to receive prayer concerns, cancellations or other church family items in a more timely manner. You will need to opt-in to this program. You opt-in by texting the keyword SCMC to 313131 from your cell phone. <u>FYI, you may receive a text in response when you go to set this up saying that there is a charge for these texts.</u> This means, like any other text you receive, if you have unlimited texting, there is no additional charge, but if you pay by the text, you will be charged for these texts also

**Next Week's ESV Study Bible Reading Plan:** May 31, Psalm 150, Deuteronomy 1, Jonah 1, 2 Timothy 1:1-7; June 1, Proverbs 1:1-7, Deuteronomy 2, Jonah 2, 2 Timothy 1:8-18; June 2, Proverbs 1:8-19, Deuteronomy 3, Jonah 3, 2 Timothy 2; June 3, Proverbs 1:20-33, Deuteronomy 4, Jonah 4, 2 Timothy 3:1-9; June 4, Proverbs 2, Deuteronomy 5, Hosea 1:1-2:1, 1 Timothy 3:10-4:8; June 5, Proverbs 3:1-12, Deuteronomy 6, Hosea 2:2-23, 2 Timothy 4:9-22; June 6, Proverbs 3:13-20, Deuteronomy 7, Hosea 3, Titus 1:1-4.

**This Week: Nursery Staff,** Lois Halsel, Randy Willard and Nick Mace; **Greeters**, Dan & Doris Meehan; **Worship Team Leader**, Dave Kempf; **Ushers**, John Cressman, Randy Willard, Neal Kempf, Harold Lehman, Tim Walters; **Children's Message**, Anita McSloy.

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; Bobby & Britney Kempf; Dave & Susie Kempf; and Neal Kempf.