

Steel City Mennonite Church
Mid-Week Connection
May 31, 2017

Tonight (Wednesday), Youth Group will be meeting at 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. We will be recognizing two seniors who have been involved in our youth group for the past six years. We will meet combined with junior and senior high. Let's give our seniors a great send off into the college world and gain some insight from their middle school and high school years.

Prayer Walk: Tonight at 7:00 p.m. Pastor David will be leading a "prayer walk" through the Steel City community. This is the first concentric circle of SCMC's influence. Many residents are "living in darkness" and we will be bringing the "light of Christ" into those homes. We will meet at the church. In case of rain, we will still gather for prayer in the Chapel.

There will be a **Softball Game** tomorrow night (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. at Promiseland.

The Summer Book Study begins this Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. with the **book study of BEFRIEND by Scott Sauls**. Please indicate your interest by signing up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

Our **Steel City Worship Team** has again been invited to OPEN the 2017 Sonlight Praise Fest in Shippensburg, Saturday June 24, 2017. The Praise Fest starts at 12:00 noon and goes until 8:00pm. There are over 30 vendors, great food and activities for kids. It would be GREAT to have our church members come to support us! Come enjoy worshiping and praising our Lord with multiple local groups, and multiple musical styles! Contact Dan Reed with festival questions.

If you are planning to help with VBS, please sign up on the board in the chapel ASAP!! It helps with planning to know who is able to help ahead of time. Thank You!! VBS will be June 26-30 from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. There is also a snack sign-up sheet to donate snacks. You can also purchase music CD's, DVD's, or music download cards of all the VBS music. Sign-up sheets for that are on the bulletin board as well. Flyers to hand out to friends, family, and neighbors are available in the foyer as well as registration forms or register online at www.scmc4.me. Begin praying now for the children and families that will be impacted!

Baptism/Church Membership Classes: Pastor David is planning Baptism and Church Membership classes which will be held immediately following our worship service in July (There is no Sunday School during July and August). Baptism is an outward demonstration of what God has done on the inside. Church membership is an intentional commitment demonstrating your partnership with the local church. If you have interest in baptism and/or church membership, please speak with Pastor David. Parents, please speak to your older children about baptism.

Prayer Room - don't forget to make use of our Prayer Room (room on the piano side of the sanctuary). Stop by during the day. Arrive early on a Sunday morning. Stay awhile after a meeting. Meet there with others during Sunday School. The possibilities are endless! Just Pray!!

The **Conservative Mennonite Conference Annual Assembly** will be held Thursday evening, July 27 through Sunday noon, July 30, 2017, in Kidron, Ohio (Kidron is 6.5 hours from Bethlehem). This year's theme is "Lead: Make the Most of Every Opportunity". Registration will begin soon. If you are interested in attending and would like more information, please speak with Pastor David.

Vision Statement:

*Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) will invite **everyone, everyday, everywhere** to journey together in developing a life-changing relationship with our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

Mission Statement:

Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) is a Bible-believing community connected by a common need for a Savior with the passion of cultivating Christ-followers in the Lehigh Valley and to the ends of the earth.

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: June 4, Judges 7-8, Ephesians 4; June 5, Judges 9-10, Ephesians 5; June 6, Judges 11-12, Ephesians 6; June 7, Judges 13-14, Psalm 3; June 8, Judges 15-16, Psalms 4; June 9, Judges 17-18, Psalm 5; June 10, Judges 19-20, Psalms 6.

This Week: **Nursery Staff**, Lydia Mohler, Lindsey Richards; **Greeter**, Mary Eleanor Kochsmeier; **Worship Team Leader**, Sandy Faust; **Ushers**, Chip Shimko, Bob Kemmerer, Rob Ibach; **Children's Message**, Sue Reed.

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; Those in **authority over us** (government leaders); **Rachel Lesser, Shirley Liedig, and Bill & Lucy Litke**.