

Steel City Mennonite Church
Mid-Week Connection
August 9, 2017

ICYMI - This past Sunday, the youth and chaperones who went on a Missions trip to Kingsport, TN shared about their ministry experiences. During the time away, Rachel Litke gave her life to the Lord! We rejoice with the angels at Rachel's decision.

Tonight (Wednesday) the **Youth Group** will be going mini golfing at Putt U. Plan to meet at the church at 6:00 p.m.

Chuck Hittinger update: Chuck will be returned to Manor Care yesterday. He is scheduled to have the front part of his left foot removed (about an inch below the first toe joint) next Wednesday.

All Ladies are invited to a **Swim Party/Picnic** at Sandy Faust's home on Wednesday, August 23, at 4 p.m., beginning with swimming, if you wish, and then having our meal at 5:30 p.m. We will be having taco salad together. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you would like to attend; if you can bring an item, sign up for the one item you are willing to bring. Once all the food items are signed up for, sign up on one of the other lines and just bring yourself!! Come as your schedule permits—for the whole evening or just for a short time!! We hope to see many women in attendance!

Our **August Lunch Bunch** will be Wednesday, August 30, at 12 noon. We will be going to Castle Diner & Family Restaurant in Quakertown. The restaurant is located at 1030 North West End Blvd., Quakertown. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

The 2nd Annual Church in the Park will be held Sunday, September 3, at Louise Moore Park beginning at 10:00 am. Join us for a day of worship, fellowship, and food. Recording artist, Leslie McKee will be our special musical guest. Please plan on bringing chairs or blankets to sit on. If you have outdoor games like Washer Toss, Corn Hole, Ladder Golf, Quoits or Volleyball, please bring those as well. Lunch will be catered by Moyer's Catering and will include: pulled pork, hamburgers & hot dogs, bbq chicken, potato & macaroni salad, ring bologna & cheese, hot baked beans, pickles & olives, and chips, pretzels, & rolls. If you are planning to attend, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer or sign up on the new SCMC app under **Registrations**.

SCMC Fall Community Day will be held on Saturday, September 23, from 3 - 6 p.m. There will be free food and many activities for the children. Mark the date on your calendar now and stay tuned for more details!

The **Worship Commission** is planning an **Old Time Hymn Sing** for Sunday, September 24 at 6:00 p.m. Mark your calendars now!

If you would like to donate any items for the **Mennonite Central Committee School Kits**, now is a great time to go shopping as most stores are selling back to school supplies. Here is the list of items requested by MCC. New items only please: 4 spiral or perforated notebooks (8 ½ x 10 ½ and 70 sheets); 8 unsharpened pencils; 1 ruler (flat, flexible plastic, with both 30 cm and 12 in); 12 colored pencils (in packaging); 1 large pencil eraser. If you would prefer to donate money, please designate *MCC School Kits* on your check and place in the offering basket. Purchased items can be placed on the platform in the Chapel.

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: August 13, 2 Chronicles 6-7, Psalms 97-99; August 14, 2 Chronicles 8-9, Psalms 47; August 15, 2 Chronicles 10-12; August 16, 2 Chronicles 13-15; August 17, 2 Chronicles 16-18; August 18, 2 Chronicles 19-20, Psalms 46, 82, 115; August 19, 2 Chronicles 21-23.

This Week: **Nursery Staff**, Lydia Mohler, Kylie Schmidt; **Greeter**, Vaughn Miller; **Worship Team Leader**, Sandy Faust; **Ushers**, Lee Walters, John Cressman, Randy Willard; **Children's Message**, Danette Walters.

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); **Amy Smith, Wendy Rush-Spinosa, and Rose Szabo**.