

**Steel City Mennonite Church**  
**Mid-Week Connection**  
**August 15, 2017**

The **Mid-Week Connection** is being sent out on Tuesday this week. There will be No Mid-Week Connection next Wednesday. Sheryl will be on vacation August 16-23. If you have any prayer requests during this time, please text her at 610-216-4596 or e-mail [scmcsecretary@aol.com](mailto:scmcsecretary@aol.com).

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!

**Tara Willard is looking for Sunday School teachers** for the Fall quarter which begins on Sunday, September 10. We will continue using the FaithWeaver Now curriculum in which all classes learn the same Bible Story. The classes available are: Pre-K - Teacher and Helper, Kind/1st grade – Helper only, 2nd/3rd grade - Teacher, 4th/5th Grade - Teacher, Senior High - Teacher. All teachers and helpers must be regular attendees for at least one year and complete a background check. Please let Tara know if you are interested by Sunday, August 27th.

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 20, 2 Chronicles 24-26; August 21, 2 Chronicles 27-29; August 22, 2 Chronicles 30-32; August 23, 2 Chronicles 33-35; August 24, 2 Chronicles 36, 1 Thessalonians 1-3; August 25, 1 Thessalonians 4-5, 2 Thessalonians 1; August 26, 2 Thessalonians 2-3, Ezra 1, Psalms 85, 126.

**This Week: Nursery Staff,** Lisa Walters, Kylie Schmidt; **Greeter,** Joel & Lydia Mohler; **Worship Team Leader,** Dan Reed; **Ushers,** Neal Kempf, Harold Lehman, Tim Walters **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); **Becky Thatcher, Mary Ann Transue, and Jim & Cathy Troxell.**