Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection September 30, 2015

The **Harvest Offering**, as presented by Pastor David this past Sunday, will be received on November 15 during a celebratory time of giving. This year's goal is \$9,000 plus 100 shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child.

The **Adult Bible Study** will be meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel this evening (Wednesday). We are using the Gospel of Luke to see Jesus through fresh eyes. Over the weeks we will examine Jesus, the man, the message and the ministry. It is ALL about Jesus! **There is something for all ages at the church this evening.** See you there!

Ignite and Connect are going to Woodland Terrace this Sunday after Sunday School. Please meet down in the senior high room after Sunday School. Make sure you remember to bring a lunch to eat while we discuss our plan for the time we are spending at the assistant living home.

The **Good News Club** is collecting items for Hygiene Kits sponsored by Mennonite Central Committee. Each kit includes a dark colored hand towel, an adult tooth brush, a good quality finger nail clipper and a bar of bath soap. All items are due to the church by October 18; please place them in the box provided on the platform in the Chapel. If you would like to donate money towards this cause, please put a check in the offering with it earmarked for Hygiene Kits in the Memo portion of the check. Monetary donations also need to be given by October 18 so that those buying supplies know how much to buy. Thank you!

World Communion Sunday is this Sunday. During the Morning Worship Service, we will observe the special sacrament of Communion recognizing the sacrifice of Jesus for our salvation. It will also be an opportunity to connect with followers of Christ around the world.

Be a part of a guided prayer time for world mission outreach on this Sunday evening, **"Shrinking the Globe".** There will also be a "Taste of Mission" component to our gathering.

"The Best Yes" Study Group meets on Monday evening at 6:45 p.m., as well as Church Council at 7:00 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!

Our next Ladies' event is on Thursday, October 15. We will be going to the Byer's Choice, Ltd. Christmas Museum and Visitor Center in Chalfont. We will meet at the Park 'n Ride in Hellertown at 9:30 a.m. We will stop for lunch on the way home. If you would like to participate, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer.

Next Week's ESV Study Bible Reading Plan: October 4, Psalm 64, 2 Samuel 24, Ezekiel 25, Romans 1:1-17; October 5, Psalm 65, 1 Kings 1:1-27, Ezekiel 26, Romans 1:18-32; October 6, Psalm 66, 1 Kings 1:28-53, Ezekiel 27, Romans 2:1-16; October 7, Psalm 67, 1 Kings 2, Ezekiel 28, Romans 2:17-3:8; October 8, Psalm 68, 1 Kings 3, Ezekiel 29-30, Romans 3:9-20; October 9, Psalm 69, 1 Kings 4, Ezekiel 31, Romans 3:21-31; October 10, Psalm 70, 1 Kings 5, Ezekiel 32, Romans 4.

This Week: Nursery Staff, Denise Ibach, Lisa Walters, T'yanna Ruiz; Greeter, Lee & Danette Walters; Worship Team Leader, Kelly Schoch; Ushers, Nick Mace, Bobby Kempf, Scott Richards.

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; Jess Bergey, as she serves with Youth With a Mission (YWAM) in Nepal; Rose Szabo, as she leaves on her missions trip to Peru on Saturday; Wendy Rush-Spinosa; Mary Ann Transue; and Tim & Cathy Troxell.