## Steel City Mennonite Church Mid-Week Connection October 21, 2020

The **Worship Team** will be practicing at 8:30 a.m. this coming Sunday.

The **Finance Commission** will be meeting on Monday, October 26, at 7:00 p.m.

The next **Congregational Business Meeting** will be held Sunday, November 1, immediately after the worship service. This is an opportunity to hear what is happening at SCMC, review the financials and ask questions about the workings of SCMC.

**Church Library** - If you have suggestions of books or authors you would like to read, please forward them to Sheryl Richards. It has been a while since books have been purchased for the library, so it is time to add to our selection.

**Thanksgiving Meal** - Put on your calendars, "**SCMC Family Thanksgiving**" for November 22 at noon. The catered menu includes turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, gravy, vegetable and apple crumble. Social distancing and restaurant requirements of face masks will be practiced. If you would rather have your meal "to-go", that will be an option available to you. Please RSVP to Sheryl Richards by November 15 and indicate "dine in" or "to-go".

The **Youth Group** will be doing a **Corn Maze** at Seiple Farm this coming Saturday, October 24. Plan to meet at the church at 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$10 plus spending money. <u>Please RSVP to Tara by today.</u>

**SCMC** is committed to providing you with various opportunities to worship and/or fellowship together each week. **Saturday Evening Worship Gathering** meets at 7:00 pm in the sanctuary. Face masks are optional for the Saturday service. **Sunday Morning Worship** meets at 10:00 am in the sanctuary with face masks required. Both gatherings are similar in format.

**Small groups** (see below) have been introduced. You are encouraged to participate in them.

Ron and Sandy Faust will be utilizing Right Now Media to lead "The Crazy Cycle in Marriage" by Emerson Eggerichs. This group will meet in Ron and Sandy's home every other Monday night, at 6:30 p.m. The start date is October 19 and ending November 30. There is still 1 couple opening for this group. Please contact Sandy if you are interested.

Richard Freed and Katrina Schmidt will have a small group meeting in the chapel at SCMC on Friday's at noon for prayer. Specifically, the group will focus on the Holy Spirit's guidance for our church, unity in our church and revival in our communities and nation. Special requests can be given to Richard or Katrina and the group will lift those as well. Those who cannot attend are encouraged to take Friday lunch time to pray as well. This group will run from October 9- November 20. No pre-registration is needed.

**Lydia Mohler** is leading a women's small group on a 5-week study of James. This group will be meeting at SCMC on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Ladies are still welcome to join this group, please contact Lydia if you are interested.

Join us for **Heroes Unmasked**, a fun fall festival put on by our own Youth Group! This festival will be held on **Saturday**, **October 31**, from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for ages 3 to 5<sup>th</sup> grade. (Please note the date and time change). There will be games, craft, snack, a Bible Story and learning about famous Bible heroes. Registration will be required by Wednesday, October 28th. No walk-ins will be allowed.

The **Outreach Commission** will be holding a **Trunk or Treat** event in the church parking lot on Saturday, October 31, from 6-8 p.m. You can set up your own trunks or gather with the outreach commission. Face masks are required, and if giving out your own candy, please also wear gloves.

If anyone would like to participate in a **Day of Service** on Saturday, November 7, from 9-3 with the **Philadelphia Project**, please contact Tara.

Our devotional booklets, "The Upper Room" and "Our Daily Bread," are available upon request. Due to COVID-19 precautions, they cannot be placed out for self-pick-up.

**Next Week's Bible Reading Plan: Week 44**: - 2 Corinthians 9-10; 2 Corinthians 11-13; Romans 1-2, Acts 20:1-3; Romans 3-4; Romans 5-6. **Memory Verses:** Romans 5:1; 2 Corinthians 10:4.

Please Pray For . . . Those in authority over us (government leaders); Nick Mace-Carver, Roger & Sandy Malitzki, and Carl & Danielle Mangione.

**Offering YTD:** \$237,580.73 **Budget YTD:** \$230,160.00

**REACH** those far from God **RELATE** to those near to God



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