

Today

Welcome to the worship of our Amazing and Awesome God! May you delight in His presence today.

Life's journey can be exhausting and weary making at times. The experience of life is filled with ups and downs, twists and turns. Most of which are unexpected. How do we prepare for these occasions?

Today, in his message titled, "On Eagle's Wings", Pastor David will share the not-so secret, but not-so practiced "how to" prepare for the unexpected.

This Week

August 22-27

TUESDAY

8:00 a.m. Koffee & Konversation, Hellertown Diner

7:00 p.m. Elder's Meeting

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

FRIDAY

7:00 p.m. Finance Commission Meeting

This Week's Discipleship Journal Reading Plan

August 21 Catch up day

August 22 Luke 19:11-27, Titus 2:1-10, Proverbs 15:1-17, Esther 1

August 23 Luke 19:28-38, Titus 2:11-15, Proverbs 15:18-33, Esther 2

August 24 Luke 19:39-48, Titus 3:1-8, Proverbs 16:1-16, Esther 3-4

August 25 Luke 20:1-8, Titus 3:9-15, Proverbs 16:17-33, Esther 5-6

August 26 Luke 20:9-19, Philemon 1-11, Proverbs 17:1-14, Esther 7-8

August 27 Catch up day

Announcements

We have **Hearing Assist Units** available for those who may have difficulty hearing the service. Please speak to the person in the sound room to receive your unit for the morning.

We have a **Staffed Nursery** to care for your children through age three. In addition, there is a **Cry Room** at the rear of the sanctuary to attend to the needs of infants.

Today, following church, there will be a meeting for all Ignite and Connect Youth Group parents in the Fellowship Hall.

There will be an **Elder's Meeting** on Tuesday at 7:00 pm.

The **Finance Commission** will be meeting Friday at 7:00 pm.

Our **Quarterly Business Meeting** will be on Sunday, August 28, immediately following the Morning Worship Service. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Attention all Ladies! The Fellowship Commission would like to invite you to a **Bridal Shower for Malina Knechel** (Phil Olsen's fiancé) on Sunday, August 28, immediately following the Business Meeting. A light lunch will be served. Malina is registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond.

Our **August Lunch Bunch** will be Wednesday, August 31, at 12 noon. We will be going to LongHorn Steakhouse in Easton. The restaurant is located at 3784 Dryland Way, Easton. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

Wesley Loar and **Rebecca Olsen** would like to extend an invitation to all of their SCMC church family to attend their wedding. The wedding will be held at the church [at 3:30 pm on Sunday, September 4, 2016](#). Reception to follow is by invitation only.

UPDATED Church in the Park information: This service will be held Sunday, September 4, at 10:00 a.m. at Louise Moore Park. The lunch menu has been finalized, but we need a head count by next Sunday, August 28. Please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer. 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. Remember, this is a great opportunity to have your friends and co-workers join us in "God's Cathedral".

The **Fall Women's Bible Study** will begin again on September 20. We will be using the new Beth Moore Study on 2 Timothy called "Entrusted." If you would like to participate in this Bible Study, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

Ministry Opportunities & Events

On **September 17th** in conjunction with the Steel City Community Yard Sale, the youth group is renting out parking spaces in the church parking lot for \$10 each. Come and sell your unwanted treasures and junk from 8:00am-2:00pm. Please sign up in the foyer and indicate if you would like a table provided or if you will be bringing your own table.

If you would like to donate any items for the **Mennonite Central Committee School Kits**, now is a good 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. Purchased items can be placed on the platform in the Chapel.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Britney Kempf – August 24

Randy Willard – August 25

Jim Troxell – August 25

Tim Faust – August 25

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON AUGUST 14: \$7409

ATTENDANCE ON AUGUST 14: 106

Serving Others

	<u>TODAY</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK: (Aug. 28)</u>
Nursery	Lisa Walters Yen Truong (Alt.) Rachael Litke	Lydia Mohler Meghan Cella (Alt.) Alyssa Richards
Greeters	Kevin & Deanna Olsen	Dan & Sue Reed
Worship Ldr.	Robert Bergey	Kelly Schoch
Ushers	Chip Shimko Bob Kemmerer Rob Ibach	Greg Feenstra Bobby Kempf Scott Richards
Children's Message	Lisa Walters	Tara Willard

Information

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But those who **hope**
in the **Lord** will
Renew their **strength**.
They will **soar**
on wings like eagles;
they will **run**
and not grow weary, they will
walk and not be faint.
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“On Eagle’s Wings”

Isaiah 40:28-31
Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



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