

## Today

"How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts! My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God." Psalm 84:1-2 (ESV)

Welcome to our time of worship this morning! We are delighted you are here.

Ryan Walters will be leading worship this morning. Bob Brennan will be sharing the ministry of the Word this morning. The Holy Spirit will encourage your soul.

## This Week

August 8-13

### TUESDAY

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

**4:00 p.m.** Ladies Swim/Dinner at Sandy's home

### THURSDAY

**7:30 p.m.** Worship Team Practice

### FRIDAY

**3:00 p.m.** Youth Group Camp Out

## This Week's Discipleship Journal Reading Plan

<b>August 7</b>	Catch up day
<b>August 8</b>	Luke 15:11-32, 1 Timothy 5:16-25, Proverbs 8, Ezra 10
<b>August 9</b>	Luke 16:1-9, 1 Timothy 6:1-10, Proverbs 9, Nehemiah 1-2
<b>August 10</b>	Luke 16:10-18, 1 Timothy 6:11-21, Proverbs 10:1-16, Nehemiah 3
<b>August 11</b>	Luke 16:19-31, 2 Timothy 1:1-7, Proverbs 10:17-32, Nehemiah 4-5
<b>August 12</b>	Luke 17:1-10, 2 Timothy 1:8-18, Proverbs 11:1-15, Nehemiah 6
<b>August 13</b>	Luke 17:11-19, 2 Timothy 2:1-13, Proverbs 11:16-31, Nehemiah 7

## 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.

All Ladies are invited to a **Swim Party/Picnic** at Sandy Faust's home this **Tuesday, August 9**, 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 **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.

The **Fall Women's Bible Study** will begin again in mid-September. We will be using the new Beth Moore Study on 2 Timothy called "Entrusted." There will be six sessions. We will be meeting on Tuesday evenings this year, in hopes that more ladies will be able to be in attendance, from 6:45-8:45 p.m. The tentative dates are September 20 & 27, October 11 & 25 and November 8 & 22. If you would like to participate in this Bible Study, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

"**Church in the Park**" will be held Sunday, September 4, at the Louise Moore Park beginning at 10:00 am. The music group, "Crow Hill", will bless our worship service. 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.

## Ministry Opportunities & Events

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.

**New toys** are needed in the nursery downstairs. Any new toys donated need to be with all pieces and in working condition. If you would like to donate, please place the toys on the bench outside the nursery. Thank you!

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Geoffrey Reed – August 7  
Skyla Lesser – August 10  
Moriah Walters – August 12  
Tommy Rohn – August 13

## Attendance and Giving

**OFFERING ON JULY 31:** \$4867.55

**ATTENDANCE ON JULY 31:** 127

## Serving Others

	<b>TODAY</b>	<b>NEXT WEEK: (Aug. 14)</b>
<b>Nursery</b>	Becky Bergey Lisa Walters (Alt.) Jaylen Lesser	Sue Reed Rose Szabo (Alt.) Elizabeth McSloy
<b>Greeters</b>	Karlton & Crystal Neal	Marc & Val Newcomer
<b>Worship Ldr.</b>	Sandy Faust	Dan Reed
<b>Ushers</b>	Lee Walters John Cressman Randy Willard	Neal Kempf Harold Lehman Tim Walters
<b>Children's Message</b>	Kelly Schoch	None

## Information

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## *“Set Your Hearts”*

Ezra 7:1-10  
Guest Speaker, Bob Brennan



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