

Today

Welcome to worship! You have been invited by an Awesome God to join in worship of Him this morning.

When someone new moves into the neighborhood, it raises the anxiety level among the longer-term residents. "What will the new neighbors be like?" "Will we get along with them?" These questions and many more get asked in our minds when the furniture gets carried in.

Today, using the scripture text of John 1:14, Pastor David will speak on "A New Neighbor" that not only moves in next door, but transforms the whole neighborhood.

This Week

February 20-25

TUESDAY

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

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

This Week's Let's Read the Bible Together Plan

February 19	Leviticus 1-3
February 20	Leviticus 4-6, Psalm 40
February 21	Leviticus 7-9, Psalm 37
February 22	Leviticus 10-12
February 23	Leviticus 13-15
February 24	Leviticus 16-18
February 25	Leviticus 19-21

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.

We have **Sunday School** for all ages. Please refer to the back of your bulletin to see where each class will be meeting.

The Youth Group is having a hoagie fundraiser for their summer **Missions Trip to the Appalachia area of Tennessee**. Hoagies will be available for pick up at the church on Wednesday, March 1 from 12:30-2:30 p.m. or 6:00-8:30 p.m. They must be picked up by 8:30 p.m. Hoagies cost \$5.00 each. **Please place your order, put money in an envelope with your name, and put in the offering plate today.** There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer.

Ladies! Our next event is Thursday, March 16, at 9:30 a.m. We will be going to the Country Grapevine, a country store in Bath that a lot of us enjoyed going to last year, and we will once again have lunch at Hampton Winds Restaurant. The Hampton Winds Restaurant is the training ground for Northampton Community College's highly-regarded Culinary Arts program. We will be meeting at the Hampton Winds Restaurant at 9:30 a.m. If you prefer to only go to the restaurant for lunch, you can plan to meet there at noon. Please make a note on the sign-up sheet if you will only be meeting for lunch.

On Sunday evening, March 26, at 6:00 p.m., we are having a **Talent Night at SCMC!** If you would like to share your talent (and we hope you are willing!), **sign up** on the sign-up sheet in the foyer. This is always a fun time together.

Ministry Opportunities & Events

LVCHS is launching a "sneaker campaign." They are partnering with a foundation created to provide new or slightly used footwear to the people in the Democratic Republic of Congo. There is an urgent need for footwear in that country and they hope to provide 1,000 pairs of shoes toward meeting that need. Your participation would be greatly appreciated as they seek to meet a need halfway across the globe. **There is a container in the foyer to put the rubber soled shoes in.** Please bring in your donation by the end of February.

Tara Willard mentioned a few weeks ago when she introduced the prayer pals for 2017 that we are now including **young adults or college age youth prayer pals**. This program is optional. There are prayer cards on the sign-up sheet table in the foyer with the names and information of the young adults including our current seniors through those who graduated within the past four years. If you feel led, please take a card and pray for that young adult. Now many of these young adults we do not see at church regularly anymore, so it is asked that you make some type of effort to let this person know that you are praying for them. We want our young adults to know that we at SCMC still love and care for them and pray that they continue on the path of following Christ with their whole lives. You never know the impact your prayers can have on them.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Beth Bergey – February 20
Rebecca Nguyen – February 21
Peyton Abrams – February 22
Luke Schmidt – February 23
Dave Kutzura – February 24
Wes Loar – February 24

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON FEBRUARY 12: \$3535

ATTENDANCE ON FEBRUARY 12: 121

Serving Others

	<u>TODAY</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK: (Feb. 26)</u>
Nursery	Naphtali Walters Val Newcomer (Alt.)	Lisa Walters Lydia Mohler (Alt.) Jaylen Lesser
Greeters	Kathleen Drescher	Dave & Debbie Faust
Worship Ldr.	Kelly Schoch	Robert Bergey
Ushers	Greg Feenstra Bobby Kempf Scott Richards	Lee Walters John Cressman Randy Willard
Children's Message	Danette Walters	Kelly Schoch

Information

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Sunday School Information

2-3 YEAR OLDS

Led by Janet Heft
Helper, Naphtali Walters
Upstairs Nursery

PRE-K

Led by Becky Lesser
Helper, Mary Lou Shimko
Aid, Danielle Mangione
Room B6

KIND. & GRADE 1

Led by Lydia Lesser
Helper, Doris Meehan
Room LL1

GRADES 2 & 3

Led by Anita McSloy
Helper, Lucy Litke
Room LL2

GRADES 4 & 5

Led by Katrina Schmidt
Room LL3

GRADES 6-10

Led by Sandy Faust
Room LL4

ADULT CLASS & 11th-12th GRADES

Led by Pastor David
Chapel



“A New Neighbor”

John 1:14
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