

February 3, 2013 9:30 AM

Welcome to Worship!

Songs to Gather Us for Worship

Worship Team

Making Others Glad They're Here

Invocation and Welcome

Children's Message Dave Kempf

Our Giving to God's Work

"Bridge Builder" Moment Lydia Lesser

Bringing Glory to God in Song Worship Team

Message: "Falling in Love with Jesus Again—The Rest

He Gives"

Song in Response Worship Team

Announcements

Sending Out

Out of courtesy to others, it is important that distractions during the Worship Service be minimal. 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

You are Encouraged to submit prayer requests and praises via the communication card by placing it in the offering basket at the appropriate time.

Compact Discs of the Morning Worship Service are available in the foyer shortly after the closing prayer. You are encouraged to use these CDs to share with other people who might be uplifted by the music and/or the message of the morning.

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

Please read the insert regarding the **Annual Conservative Mennonite Conference Assembly**. If you can commit to attend and are willing to volunteer some of your time, please fill out the information requested on the forms on the table in the foyer. Thank you!

Those desiring to **Experience More of God** are invited and encouraged to participate in a time of fasting this week, for one day or several days. Fasting is an amazing spiritual discipline for you to practice to heighten your awareness of God in your life.

The **Back to the Manger Cast Party** for all those who signed up is today from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Fellowship, Food and Football! Tonight, come to the church to watch the "Big Game"! Please bring tailgate-type food to share. There will also be the opportunity to play table games if you are not interested in football. Kickoff is at 6:30 p.m.

The **Beth Moore Study Group** meets tomorrow evening at 7 p.m.

There is an **Elders' Meeting** tomorrow evening at 7 p.m.

Meet for **Weekly Koffee and Konversation** on Tuesday mornings at 8:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome. We meet at the Hellertown Diner. Come and enjoy a great time of fellowship together.

The **Weekly Prayer Meeting** meets on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Come and be blessed.

The **Moms in Prayer Group** meets this Friday morning at 9:30 a.m. Child care is provided.

We have a **Fellowship Meal** next Sunday following Sunday School. Everyone is encouraged and welcome to attend. Please bring a main dish and a side dish or dessert to share.

Tara will be having a **Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting** on Wednesday, February 20, from 7-8 p.m. Anyone interested in helping to organize VBS is welcome to attend.

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner on Saturday evening, February 23, at 6 p.m.?! Everyone is encouraged to participate in this event and sign up to be either a Guest or Host for the evening. Hosts will provide the main meal for the Guests coming to their house, and Guests will be asked to bring either a salad or dessert to the home where they will be assigned. But shhh... it's a surprise! Don't tell others where you are going! Each Host will be told ahead of time how many Guests to expect but not who will be coming. Sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer to indicate that you are wishing to participate and whether you would like to be a Host or Guest.

SCMC Marriage Retreat, March 8-10, 2013! Check out these topics that will be presented: "New Marriage, Same Spouse"; "Friend with Benefits"; "Men and Marriage"; "The Respectful Wife"; "Taking Out the Trash"; "Sex: Gross, God or Gift?"; "Disgrace or Grace"; "The Porn Path"; "Selfish Lovers and Servant Lovers"; "Can We _____?"; and "Reverse Engineering Your Life and Marriage". Utilizing Mark and Grace Driscoll's material, "Real Marriage", Pastor David will lead our retreat. The cost is \$350/couple. Sign up in the foyer.

SCMC Men's Retreat will be held on April 26-28, 2013, at Sugar Hollow (Bergey's) Cabin near Tunkhannock, PA. The theme is "The Surrendered Life", which will be lead by Mike McNamee and Jeff Severn of the Glen Eyrie Conference Center in Colorado Springs, CO. Cost to be determined.

The **Women's Retreat at Sugar Hollow** is scheduled for May 31-June 2. Lydia Mohler will again be the discussion leader. Mark your calendars!

This Week's Chronological Bible Reading Plan Schedule:

February 3, Exodus 13-15; February 4, Exodus 16-18; February 5, Exodus 19-21; February 6, Exodus 22-24; February 7, Exodus 25-27; February 8, Exodus 28-29; February 9, Exodus 30-32.

Please use the **Communication Card** included in this worship folder to update personal information for the church office, as well as requesting further information about congregational life. Visiting friends are encouraged to complete this card so that we can get better acquainted. Please place your completed card in the offering basket this morning.

THIS WEEK AT SCMC

Today: Back to the Manger Cast Party, 12-2 PM

Superbowl Fellowship, 6:30 PM

Beth Moore Study Group, 7:00 PM Monday:

Elders' Meeting, 7:00 PM

Koffee & Konversation, 8:00 AM Tuesday:

Prayer Meeting, 7:00 PM

Thursday: Worship Team, 7:30 PM Moms in Prayer, 9:30 AM Friday:

Jr. Youth Retreat at Spruce Lake Fri.-Sun.: **Saturday:** Sr. Youth Ice Skating, 6:30-10:15 PM

Sunday: Fellowship Meal, 12:15 PM

Sunday Evening Service, 6:30 PM

THIS WEEK: NEXT WEEK: (Feb. 10)

Nursery: Wayne Matthews Lisa Gustofson Jess Bergey Maya Washington Greeters: Guy & Becky Lesser Jason & Jaime Lesser

Worship Team: Robert Bergey Sandy Faust **Ushers:** Chip Shimko Lee Walters **Bob Kemmerer** John Cressman Rob Ibach Randy Willard

Children's Story: Dave Kempf Deanna Olsen

OFFERING ON JANUARY 27: \$5.346.85 ATTENDANCE ON JANUARY 27: 173

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Walter Murphy – February 3 Alma Geosits - February 4

Larry Korpics – February 4

Sandy Faust – February 6 Kylie Schmidt – February 7

John Cressman – February 7

Meghan Cela - February 8 Avery Cassel – February 9

SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION

1- AND 2-YEAR OLDS 3- AND 4-YEAR OLDS Led by Denise Ibach Led by Katrina Schmidt Helper, Britney Kempf Helper, Donna Cox **Upstairs Nursery** Room B6

KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 1

Led by Deanna Olsen

Room LL1

GRADES 2 – 3

Led by Nancy Walters

Room LL2

GRADES 4-5

Led by Sandy Faust

Room LL3

JUNIOR YOUTH (GR 6-8) Led by Randy Willard

Room LL4

SENIOR YOUTH

Led by Ron & Becky Bergey

Youth Room

ADULT CLASS

David Cook Uniform Lesson

Led by Joel Mohler

Chapel

ADULT CLASS

"Respectable Sins: Confronting the Sins We Tolerate" by Jerry Bridges

Led by Pastor David

Sanctuary

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