#### Today

Welcome to our weekend of worship and adoration. May you be extremely blessed through our time together.

SCMC is in the final stretch of the Fast to Feast 2020. Our 21-day season of fasting and prayer has centered around the four aspects of who we are called to be: Renew, Reach, Relate and Return.

This weekend, Pastor David examines what it means for the follower of Jesus to relate with "**One Another**." His scripture text for the weekend is **1 Peter 4:8-10**. Pray for ears to hear and a willing heart to employ what God is saying.

Please check in today by filling out a Communication Card which can be found in the foyer or through our smartphone app. You can also share prayer concerns through these two options.

This Wee	k January 19 - 25
SUNDAY	
6:30 p.m. MONDAY	Discovery Bible Study
7:00 p.m. TUESDAY	Long Term Care Insurance Webinar
8:00 a.m. WEDNESDAY	Koffee & Konversation, Hellertown Diner
5:45 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Good News Club & Youth Group Dinner Good News Club & Youth Group
THURSDAY 7:30 p.m. SATURDAY	Finance Commission Meeting
7:00 p.m.	Saturday Night Alive

#### This Week's Bible Reading Plan

#### Week 4

- Genesis 27-28
- Genesis 29-30:24
- Genesis 31-32
- Genesis 33, 35
- Genesis 37

#### **Memory Verses**

- 2 Corinthians 10:12
- 1 John 3:18

#### 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 (Sundays only)** 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 (Sundays only)** for all ages. Please refer to the back of your bulletin to see where each class will be meeting.

**Discovery Bible Study** meets Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the Banquet room of the Hellertown Diner.

In response to the **Financial Peace University** discussion related to Long Term Care Insurance, a webinar has been scheduled with Tom Gilmore through Zander Insurance on Monday, January 20 at 7:00 p.m. Tom Gilmore specializes in Long Term Care Insurance. During the webinar, he will address the complexities of this type of insurance. There is absolutely no pressure to purchase through him or Zander Insurance! You can participate in the webinar from your home or office through computer or phone. To access the webinar, go to join.me/scubadivers and enter the conference ID 238-064-956. If you need assistance in joining a webinar, please ask Pastor David.

The **Good News Club and Youth Group Dinner** on Wednesday, January 22, will be cold Chicken Salad Sandwiches and Chips. Please RSVP through the SCMC App or sign up on the sheet in the foyer. Good News Club and Youth Group will be meeting at 6:30 p.m. that evening.

The **Congregational Business Meeting** will be held during the Sunday School time on Sunday, January 26.

**2020 Leadership Nominees:** The following individuals have been asked to serve SCMC through various leadership and commission positions. Prayerfully consider affirming these nominees presented. The affirmation process will take place during the morning worship on **Sunday, January 26. Board of Elders** – Scott Richards; **Church Council** – Richard Freed, Marc Newcomer, Katrina Schmidt; **Education Commission** – Jazmyn Cunningham, Danette Walters; **Fellowship Commission** – Val Newcomer, Nancy Walters; **Finance Commission** – Britney Kempf, Kevin Olsen; **Outreach Commission** – Toni Cressman, Juan Forero, Anita McSloy; **Technology Commission** – Ryan Walters; **Worship Commission** – Dan Reed.

Our **January Lunch Bunch** will be Wednesday, January 29, at 12 noon. We will be going to Cactus Blue Mexican Restaurant in Bethlehem. The restaurant is located at 2915 Schoenersville Road in Bethlehem. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer or on the SCMC App.

**Instant Church Directory is almost here!** If you haven't done so already, please send your picture to be included in the directory. If you do not have a current picture and would like one taken at church, please contact Sheryl. Once the directory is ready, instructions will be sent out with how to access the app or online version.

Valentine's Day Special - The Church Has Left the Building on another endeavor into the community. This time we are going to bless those who may not feel the love on Valentine's Day. We will visit Saucon Manor in Hellertown on Northampton St., Country Meadows in Bethlehem, and St. Luke's Hospice in Bethlehem. We will be distributing a red carnation and a small bag with a few Hershey Kisses and with a card enclosed. We will converse with those we meet and maybe even offer up prayers. Please sign up using Sign Up Genius at <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040d4da5ab2aa6fb6-youve</u> to join in the blessing.

#### **Ministry Opportunities & Events**

The Youth Group will be having a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser on Saturday, January 25, for their Missions Trip to the Philadelphia Project this summer. On Sunday, tickets will be on sale in the foyer, or contact Sheryl if you would like to purchase tickets. <u>Please purchase tickets ahead of time if possible as this</u> <u>helps with planning</u>. There are three time slots available for your meal, 4:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$10 for adults; \$5 for children 6-12; and children ages 5 and under are free.

We are still in need of volunteers to serve at **Bethlehem Emergency Shelter** in January, February and March. Please visit the link below to sign up. <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094AAEAC22AAF49-</u> <u>bethlehem</u>

India 2020 - Pastor David and Bill Litke are planning to travel to India on February 1 and return on February 12. Please pray for their ability to encourage the already believers there, the orphans and widows and the over 200 pastors from the region who will gather for the Pastors Conference. Also, pray against the powers of evil that would like to hinder/halt the message of Jesus. Pastor David is going this time with a tremendous burden for the pastors in Pastor John's network of churches. A spoken need they have is for PA systems to loudly broadcast their services into the community. There are 17 churches that need these systems at a cost of \$250 each. Pray for this need. As some of you have asked about donating things to take to the orphans, we plan on taking sports balls, little toys and chocolates. You can also give financially to provide rice/food for the orphans and widows. You can give online or by earmarking your contribution in the offering.

#### **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Roger Malitzki – January 18 Rhonda McMahon – January 19 Deanna Olsen – January 20 Jordan Smith – January 23

#### Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON JANUARY 11: \$225.00

**OFFERING ON JANUARY 12: \$4,900.00** 

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5,480.00

**YTD OFFERING:** \$11,824.47

**YTD BUDGET:** \$10,960.00

**ATTENDANCE ON JANUARY 11: 19** 

**ATTENDANCE ON JANUARY 12: 137** 

#### **Serving Others**

#### **SUNDAY**

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**NEXT SUNDAY:**(Jan 26)

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#### Information

#### CONTACT

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#### **PASTORAL TEAM**

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**CHURCH SECRETARY** Sheryl Richards, 610-216-4596

#### **ELDER TEAM**

Ron Faust, 610-428-1904 Bill Litke, 484-375-8389 Joel Mohler, 484-809-5557 Bob Walters, as Pastor Emeritus, 610-865-3316 Randy Willard, 610-297-5083

#### Sunday School Information

PRE-K Led by Aleta DeToma Room B6

GRADES 2 & 3 Led by Nancy Walters Room LL 2

JUNIOR HIGH (GRADES 6-8) SENIOR HIGH (GRADES 9-12) Led by Randy Willard Room LL 3

ADULT CLASS Led by Marc Newcomer Chapel

**KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 1** Led by Joel & Lydia Mohler Room LL1

**GRADES 4 & 5** Led by Jenny Forero Room LL 4

Led by Katrina Schmidt Youth Room

**ADULT CLASS –** David Ramsey **Financial Peace University** Led by Robert & Beth Bergey Sanctuary

## Above all

LOVE COVERS ALL

**GOD'S GRACE** 

### "One Another"

1 Peter 4:8-10 Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



January 18/19, 2020

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.