

Today

Welcome to our special commemorative worship service.

Today, we are remembering not anything we did, but what Jesus did for us. The observance of communion is the remembering of Jesus' death. In His death, Jesus paid the penalty of sin owed by every human and through His blood, Jesus sealed a covenant which restores our relationship with God.

In preparation for sharing communion together, Pastor David will be speaking on, "**In Remembrance of Me**" from the scripture text of **1 Corinthians 11:23-26**.

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 Week

July 8 - 13

MONDAY

6:30 p.m. Softball Game, Tatamy

TUESDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

6:30 p.m. Softball Game, Saucon Valley High School

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

This Week's Bible Reading Plan

Week 28

- 1 Kings 12; 2 Chronicles 10-11; Titus 1
- 1 Kings 13-14; 2 Chronicles 12; Psalm 47; Titus 2
- 1 Kings 15; 2 Chronicles 13-14; Titus 3
- 2 Chronicles 15-16; 1 Kings 16; Philemon
- 1 Kings 17-18; Psalm 119; Jude

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.

There will be **No Sunday School** during the months of July and August.

Be aware in the parking lot of two things: 1) children like to run/play in the parking lot especially when there is no Sunday School. Watch for children when moving your vehicles. 2) We have a number of individuals who have physical mobility issues. Please consider allowing the 7 parking spaces immediately in front of the main entrance to be used for these individuals. Also, be reminded that the space with the blue strips in it, is not a parking space. It is for a handicap vehicle with a side wheelchair access.

There is one **VBS DVD** left to purchase for \$15. Please let Tara know today if you would like to buy it.

The **SCMC Prayer Guide for July** is available in the foyer. Pick up your copy today.

The **SCMC Softball Team** will have their final regular season games this week. The games will be held Monday, July 8, at 6:30 p.m. vs Grace BFC at Tatamy (rain date Tuesday), and on Wednesday, July 10, at 6:30 p.m. vs Cornerstone at Saucon Valley High School (rain date Thursday).

Church Council will be meeting Monday, July 15 at 7:00 p.m.

It is time to plan for attending this year's **Catalyst Conference** in Atlanta. It will be held October 2-4. This year's theme is "Give us this day: Leading today in view of tomorrow". The choices we make today affect more than the here and now. They change our tomorrow. Join us as we discover how to engage God's gift of this day to produce a legacy that extends beyond ourselves. The cost per person is usually around \$600. If you would like to attend or want more information, please speak to Britney Kempf or Pastor David.

Gutters - A volunteer is needed for some gutter work both on the church building and at the rental property. If you can help out with this need, please notify the church office.

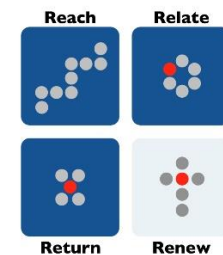
Ministry Opportunities & Events

Wilson Adoption Fund – Last Sunday, Pastor David shared about Paul and Laura Wilson and their desire to adopt a child from India. They are a little over half way on the funding needed to adopt. Cue the envelopes! On the table in the foyer were 200 envelopes labeled \$1-\$200. You were and are encouraged to pick up the envelopes totaling what God is asking you to give in support of this worthwhile undertaking. If all the envelopes are returned with the amount indicated, \$20,100 will be given to the Wilson Family Adoption fund. This is something you could share with extended family members and co-workers. Checks should be made payable to SCMC. All envelopes should be returned by July 28. (Thanks, Rachel Feenstra, for this idea.)

Joel Mohler is participating again this year in **Rosedale Mennonite Mission's "Ride for Mission"**. Bicycle riders will be riding from Louisville, KY to Plain City, OH. Joel's sponsorship for this year's ride is \$5,000. If you wish to support RMM on behalf of Joel's riding, you can give in one of three ways. (1) Give online at <http://rfm.rmmweb.org/> -- select support the ride and follow the prompts; (2) write a check to Rosedale Mennonite Missions with "RFM: Joel Mohler" in the memo line and place it in my mailbox at church; or (3) take a pledge form from the table in the lobby & sign up on the sheet for the record. Joel greatly appreciates the support of the church!

CMC Multiply 2019 (formerly the annual conference of the Conservative Mennonite Conference) is being held July 26-28 in Plain City, Ohio. This year's theme is Irresistible Evangelism. Check out the program at cmcrossdale.org. It is always a great time of spiritual encouragement to be together with brothers and sisters united around a common vision.

REACH those far from God
RELATE to those near to God



RETURN blessing as blessed
RENEW a right spirit within

Birthdays and Anniversaries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Debbie Faust – July 7

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

Marc & Val Newcomer – July 10

Joel & Lydia Mohler – July 12

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON JUNE 29: \$278.06

OFFERING ON JUNE 30: \$9,035.26

DESIGNATED GIVING: \$400.00

VBS OFFERING: \$268.60

CARING FUND: \$1,703.00

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5,385.00

YTD OFFERING: \$141,886.13

YTD BUDGET: \$140,010.00

ATTENDANCE ON JUNE 29: 31

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Serving Others

SUNDAY

Nursery Sue Reed
Lindsey Richards

Worship Ldr. Robert Bergey

NEXT SUNDAY:(Jul 14)

Rose Szabo
Alyssa Richards
Sandy Faust



Information

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“In Remembrance of Me”

1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



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July 7, 2019

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.