

## Today

**Welcome to this weekend's worship encounter!** It is always a meaningful time when we meet God together.

An often-quoted motivational statement is "Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars." Norman Vincent Peale, through this statement, encourages all to dream big. In dreaming big, one easily loses sight of the small beginnings required.

In the message, "**Small Beginnings**", Pastor David focuses on **Zechariah 4:10** to encourage us not to lose sight of or despise how we begin a new project, goal or season of life.

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

June 30 – July 6

### SUNDAY

6:30 p.m. Prayer Walk

### MONDAY

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

### TUESDAY

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

### THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

### SATURDAY

5:30 p.m. SCMC Night at the Iron Pigs

## This Week's Bible Reading Plan

### Week 27

- 1 Kings 10-11; 2 Chronicles 9; 1 Timothy 6
- Ecclesiastes 1-3; Psalm 45; 2 Timothy 1
- Ecclesiastes 4-6; Psalm 125; 2 Timothy 2
- Ecclesiastes 7-9; Psalm 46; 2 Timothy 3
- Ecclesiastes 10-12; 2 Timothy 4

## 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.

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

In our **Sunday morning service**, we will be receiving two offerings. One will be the regular offering and the second goes to support the **Caring Fund**. This quarter we met congregational and community needs totaling around \$600.00.

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

A **Prayer Walk** will be held Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. Plan on meeting here at SCMC.

Next Sunday, **Communion** will be shared as a part of our worship gathering.

Thank you to the many volunteers for all the work you did to make this year's **Vacation Bible School** an amazing time of showing God's love to His children. Attendance this year was 56 Sunday, 63 Monday, 62 Tuesday, 63 Wednesday, and 64 Thursday.

**Sunday School** is not meeting until September. Thank you, teachers, for giving of yourselves to disciple us by applying God's Word to our lives.

The next **Softball Game** will be held this Monday, July 1, at 6:30 p.m. at Saucon Valley.

**SCMC Family Night at the Iron Pigs** will be held this Saturday, July 6, beginning at 5:30 p.m. with an all-you-can-eat buffet at the Berks Foods Picnic Patio. If you ordered tickets for the game, they will be in your church mailbox.

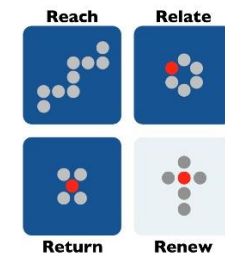
It is time to plan for attending this year's **Catalyst Conference** in Atlanta. It will be held October 2-4. This year's theme is "Give us this day: Leading today in view of tomorrow". The choices we make today affect more than the here and now. They change our tomorrow. Join us as we discover how to 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.

## Ministry Opportunities & Events

**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. Please speak with Joel for more details.

**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](http://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:

Kathleen Drescher – July 1

Travis Faust – July 3

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

Dave & Pat Kutzura – June 30

Bob & Betty Kemmerer – July 6

## Attendance and Giving

**OFFERING ON JUNE 22:** \$149.00

**OFFERING ON JUNE 23:** \$4,496.20

**DESIGNATED GIVING:** \$250.00

**WEEKLY BUDGET:** \$5,385.00

**YTD OFFERING:** \$132,572.81

**YTD BUDGET:** \$134,625.00

**ATTENDANCE ON JUNE 22:** 22

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## Serving Others

### SUNDAY

**Nursery** Becky Brooks  
Emily McSloy  
**Worship Ldr.** Dan Reed

### NEXT SUNDAY:(Jul 7)

Sue Reed  
Lindsey Richards  
Robert Bergey



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*“Small Beginnings”*

Zechariah 4:10  
Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



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**Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.**