

Today

Welcome to our worship service! It is going to be a wonderful morning celebrating the goodness of God among us.

This morning, we will receive **Juan and Jenny Forero** into church membership through their confession of faith. Juan and Jenny have previously been baptized and members of Christ's church elsewhere. Now, they unite with SCMC.

This morning, **Pastor Bob Walters will bring the message, "Wanted: Holy People"**. Humans, by their very nature, struggle with holiness. Our sin nature says, "I'll do whatever makes me happy". Through the call to righteousness, God says, "I would rather you be holy than just happy."

Guests, please let us know of your presence 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.

11:00 a.m. Worship Commission Meeting
6:30 p.m. SOAP Bible Study

This Week

March 4 - 9

TUESDAY

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

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

This Week's Bible Reading Plan

Week 10

- Numbers 8-11; Colossians 1
- Numbers 12-14; Psalm 28; Colossians 2
- Numbers 15-18; Psalm 113; Colossians 3
- Numbers 19-21; Colossians 4
- Numbers 22-25; Luke 1

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 **Worship Commission** will be meeting today during the Sunday School Hour.

SOAP will meet tonight at 6:30 p.m. SOAP is a unique Bible study focusing on Scripture, Observation, Application and Prayer. See you tonight!

Tara Willard is looking for a **Sunday School Teacher** for the Spring quarter for **Junior High (Grades 6-8)** starting on March 10. Please contact Tara if you are able to volunteer; thank you!

The next **Fellowship Meal** will be held next Sunday, March 10. The theme will be Asian foods. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please bring a main dish and a side dish or dessert to share.

Dave Kempf will be having the Children's Message next **Sunday, March 10**, and will be giving the children and adults the opportunity to **Present their Coins for Penny Power** through Mennonite Central Committee. Remember to bring your coins!

The **Elders** will be meeting on **Monday, March 11**, at 7:00 p.m.

Pastor John Prasad Update - Several people have asked for an update on Pastor John and his brain tumor. Pastor David has recently talked with him on the phone as well as communicated with him via email. Pastor John gets tired quickly and as a result his speech becomes a bit slurred. His doctor has prescribed a medication that costs him \$300 a month. Apparently, he will need to be on this for at least three years. Pastor John is asking for all of our prayers on his behalf, for his family, for the orphans and the pastors.

David and Bev are meeting with the **Rosedale International field workers** at Summit at the end of March. **The Outreach Commission would like to send items with them to bless the workers.** We are giving all of you the opportunity to participate in financially blessing these workers. If you would like to contribute, please place your donation in the offering basket today or next Sunday, March 10, and mark the donation, "Summit." Thank you!

Dinner Party! on Saturday evening, March 30, at 6:00 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 side dish 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 by March 24** 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.

Saturday Night Alive - On Saturday evening **April 6 at 7:00 p.m., SCMC will be starting a Saturday evening worship service.** This service will focus on upbeat, powerful praise, music and messages all in 60 minutes. Why would we do this? 1) There are people who work Sunday mornings and cannot attend a worship service. 2) There are people who have family or sports obligations on Sunday mornings and cannot attend a worship service. 3) It provides an opportunity for some to learn about Jesus in a more relaxed setting. 4) This format is attractive to the 18-35-year-old demographic. These are a few reasons as to "Why?" **Help spread the word!**

Attention Ladies! All women are invited to the SCMC annual Women's Weekend on April 26 - 28 at the Bergey cabin in Tunkhannock, PA. Mark your calendars and plan to join us for this fun and inspiring weekend! More information will be coming soon.

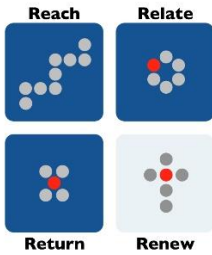
Ministry Opportunities & Events

The **Youth Group** participated in **World Vision's 30 Hour Famine** this past weekend. As part of their experience they are conducting a food drive for Everlasting Life Ministries. The Steel City community and the church community are invited to participate. Items will be collected until Sunday, March 17. Items needed are:

- Canned fruits & vegetables
- Canned soups & peas
- Dry pastas & rice
- Dry cereal, oatmeal, cream of wheat
- Granola, Nutri-grain, cereal bars
- Canned/boxed juices
- Dry pancake mixes, syrups
- Peanut butter & jelly
- Trail mix & boxed crackers

Good News Club is looking for donations to create a supply of prizes that will be used for our end of the year store in which children redeem points for prizes. We are looking for toys, books, games, puzzles, craft kits, etc. for ages 4-11.

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:

Mary Moyer – March 8

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON FEBRUARY 24: \$4,864.30

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5,385.00

DESIGNATED GIVING: \$50.00

YTD OFFERING: \$41,326.01

YTD BUDGET: \$43,080.00

ATTENDANCE ON FEBRUARY 24: 143

Serving Others

TODAY

Nursery Naphtali Walters
Elizabeth McSloy
Worship Ldr. Sandy Faust
Children's Message Sue Reed

NEXT WEEK: (Mar 10)

Lydia Mohler
Kylie Schmidt
Victor Sabatino
Dave Kempf



Information

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Sunday School Information

2 - 4 YEAR OLDS

Led by Aleta DeToma
Helper, Denise Ibach
Room B6

KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 1

Led by Katrina Schmidt
Helper, Nancy Walters
Room LL1

GRADES 2 & 3

Led by Becky Lesser
Room LL 2

GRADES 4 & 5

Led by Marc Newcomer
Room LL 4

JUNIOR HIGH (GRADES 6-8)

Led by Randy Willard
Room LL 3

SENIOR HIGH (GRADES 9-12)

Led by Becky Brooks
Youth Room

ADULT CLASS

Led by Joel Mohler
Chapel



“Wanted: Holy People”

Hebrews 12:14
Guest Speaker, Pastor Bob Walters



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March 3, 2019

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.