

Today

Welcome to our weekly expressions of worship! Our God, the Living God, is so pleased when we express the adoration and praise of our hearts to Him.

Photographs are a great way to capture what people looked like at one specific moment in time. Looking at pictures of the same person taken over time and you quickly realize that they no longer look the same as they did years before.

The Apostle Paul paints a great portrait of the people in Ephesus. His portraits are a “before” and “after” collection of the congregation. In many ways, his portraits stand as a timeless reflection of our congregation today.

Pastor David will be sharing about Paul’s portraits in his message, “Not The Same As I Used To Be”. The scripture text is Ephesians 2:1-10.

11:15 a.m. Business Meeting

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.

Our **Quarterly Business Meeting** will be held today, immediately following the Morning Worship Service. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Following our **Quarterly Business Meeting**, there will be a lunch with the Council members and Elders. We are continuing to work at implementing our vision and mission statements. We have invited Marlin Ebersole, our CMC Overseer, to bring a broader church perspective into our discussion.

Our **May Lunch Bunch** will be this Wednesday, May 24, at 12 noon. We will be going to Diana’s Cafe in Center Valley. The restaurant is located at 4907 Rt. 309 in Center Valley. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet provided in the foyer.

This Wednesday, May 24, is our last night of **Youth Group and Good News Club** for the school year. We will be having a picnic that day at Louise Moore Park - pavilion #3, 151 Country Club Rd. Easton, PA 18045. The picnic begins at 5:00 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. Please sign up to bring a side item or dessert by today. This is open to all Youth Group and Good News Club families!

The **Men’s Bible Study** will be meeting this Thursday evening at 8:30 p.m.

Summer School begins June 4 at 6:30 p.m. with the book study of BEFRIEND by Scott Sauls. Please indicate your interest by signing up on the sheet provided in the foyer. This helps in preparing for the class.

Ministry Opportunities & Events

Your help is needed to make VBS a success for the children! VBS will be June 26-30 from 6:30 until 8:30pm. Volunteers can sign up to help on the bulletin board in the chapel. There is also a snack sign-up sheet to donate snacks. You can also purchase music CD’s, DVD’s, or music download cards of all the VBS music. Sign-up sheets for that are on the bulletin board as well. Flyers to hand out to friends, family, and neighbors are available in the foyer as well as registration forms or register online at www.scmc4.me. Begin praying now for the children and families that will be impacted.

Vision Statement:

*Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) will invite **everyone, everyday, everywhere** to journey together in developing a life-changing relationship with our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

Mission Statement:

Steel City Mennonite Church (SCMC) is a Bible-believing community connected by a common need for a Savior with the passion of cultivating Christ-followers in the Lehigh Valley and to the ends of the earth.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Gary Halsel – May 21
Bob Kemmerer – May 22
Gladys Clemens – May 25

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

Greg & Rachel Feenstra – May 22
Scott & Sheryl Richards – May 27

Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON MAY 14: \$6565.75

ATTENDANCE ON MAY 14: 143

This Week

May 22-27

MONDAY

6:30 p.m. Softball Game, Promiseland

TUESDAY

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

6:30 p.m. Softball Game, Tatamy

WEDNESDAY

12:00 p.m. Lunch Bunch

5:00 p.m. Good News Club & Youth Group Picnic,
Louise Moore Park

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

8:30 p.m. Men’s Bible Study

This Week’s Let’s Read the Bible Together Plan

May 21 Joshua 3-4, 2 Corinthians 3
May 22 Joshua 5-6, 2 Corinthians 4
May 23 Joshua 7-8, 2 Corinthians 5
May 24 Joshua 9-10, 2 Corinthians 6
May 25 Joshua 11-12, 2 Corinthians 7
May 26 Joshua 13-14, 2 Corinthians 8
May 27 Joshua 15-16, 2 Corinthians 9

Serving Others

	<u>TODAY</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK: (May 28)</u>
Nursery	Sue Reed Rachael Litke	Lisa Walters Jaylen Lesser
Greeters	Harold & Bertha Lehman Guy & Becky Lesser	
Worship Ldr.	Victor Sabatino	Robert Bergey
Ushers	Lee Walters John Cressman Randy Willard	Neal Kempf Harold Lehman Tim Walters
Children's Message	Lisa Walters Rachel Feenstra	

Information

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Sunday School Information

2-3 YEAR OLDS

Led by Deanna Olsen
Upstairs Nursery

PRE-K

Led by Becky Lesser
& Lois Halsel
Aid, Danielle Mangione
Room B6

KIND. & GRADE 1

Led by Becky Thatcher
Helper, Lucy Litke
Room LL1

GRADES 2 & 3

Led by Katrina Schmidt
& Lydia Mohler
Room LL2

GRADES 4 & 5

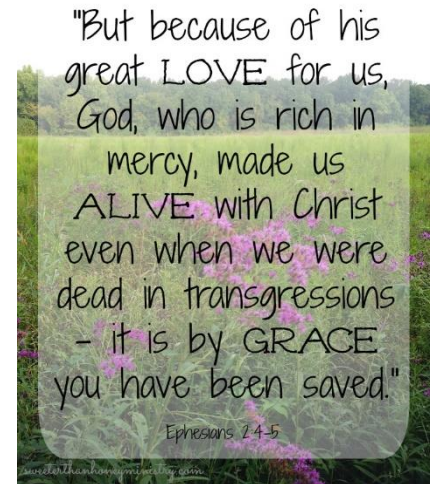
Led by Randy Willard
Room LL3

GRADES 6-10

Led by Sandy Faust
Room LL4

ADULT CLASS & 11th-12th GRADES

Led by Pastor David
Chapel



“Not The Same As I Used To Be”

Ephesians 2:1-10
Pastor David K. Kochsmeier



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May 21, 2017

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.