

## Today

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart,  
and do not lean on your own understanding.  
In all your ways acknowledge him,  
and he will make straight your paths.  
Be not wise in your own eyes;  
fear the Lord and turn away from evil.” Proverbs 3:5-7 (ESV)

Welcome to today's worship gathering. God has a special word of encouragement for you today. It may come in the quiet voice of a friend or it may come in the collective voice of song. It may come in a moment of prayer or it may come in the ministry of the Word. Listen intently for God will speak!

Joel Mohler will be bringing the message, “Obadiah's Faithfulness”. His message is from 1 Kings 18:1-16. Scott Richards will lead our time of worship this morning.

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.

## This Week

May 7 - 12

**MONDAY**  
6:30 p.m. Softball Game, South Mountain

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

**WEDNESDAY**  
6:30 p.m. Good News Club, Sr. & Jr. Youth Group

**THURSDAY**  
7:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

## This Week's Bible Reading Plan

**May 6** Mark 9  
**May 7** Mark 10  
**May 8** Mark 11  
**May 9** Mark 12  
**May 10** Mark 13  
**May 11** Mark 14  
**May 12** Mark 15

## 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.

This weekend, **Pastor David and Bev** are in Ohio celebrating Josh Kochsmeier's graduation from Cedarville University. Monday, Pastor David will be leading the Rosedale Mennonite Missions (RMM) board meeting. Then on Wednesday morning, he will be meeting with the Conservative Mennonite Conference (CMC) Executive Board. They will be traveling home Wednesday afternoon.

There will be an **SCMC softball game** on Monday evening at 6:30 p.m. at South Mountain. There are game schedules on the table in the foyer available for those who would like one.

**Good News Club, Senior & Junior Youth Group** will all meet on Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m.

**Volunteers Needed!** Tara Willard is looking for volunteers to do a **Children's Message** periodically, possibly every 6 weeks. If you would like to serve in this way, please contact Tara. Thank you!

**Attention Ladies and Little Ladies!** The Fellowship Commission is planning a **Ladies and Little Ladies Tea** for Saturday, May 19, at 1:00 p.m. There is no charge for this event. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you would like to attend.

The **Outreach Commission** will be meeting on Sunday, May 20, at 8:00 a.m. in the senior high youth room.

The next **Fellowship Meal** will be held on Sunday, May 20. The theme for this month will be Mexican. Please bring a Mexican themed main dish and side dish or dessert.

**SCMC Field Trip to the MUSEUM OF THE BIBLE** in Washington, DC will be on Saturday, June 23. We have reserved a 35-passenger bus (with bathroom) to take us to and from the Museum. We will leave SCMC at 6:00 am and return by 8:00 pm. We will plan on stopping at a travel plaza on the way down and then having dinner at a Chick-fil-A on the way home. The cost for the field trip is \$58/adult; \$53/children (5-11years old). These prices include \$46 for transportation and \$12/\$7 admission to the museum.

It does not include meals or extra attractions offered by MOTB (\$8/person). There is a children's interactive/play area for children up to 9 years of age. There are also two places for snacks/food while in the museum. Sign up either through the SCMC app or in the foyer. The deadline to sign up for this trip is **May 13** as a final headcount must be given to both the museum and the bus company. Individual payments are due by **June 3**.

## Ministry Opportunities & Events

Thanks to all who donated decoration supplies for **Vacation Bible School!** At this time, no more decoration supplies are needed.

**VBS Volunteers Needed!!** Sign-up sheets for volunteers are up on the large white board in the chapel. Please sign up where you would like to help and indicate whether you need a tie-dyed t-shirt and what size. If you already have a tie-dyed shirt, please use that one. In order to have enough shirts available, **all volunteers need to sign up by Sunday, June 10.**

A **snack donation** sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board too as well as DVD and CD requests. DVD's are \$15 and CD's are \$ 7and are available for purchase now from Tara.

**VBS** is for children age 2 through those who completed 5th grade. Online registrations will be opening shortly or paper registrations will be on the sign-up sheet table. Please pre-register all church children and put paper registrations in Tara Willard's mailbox.

**VBS decorations** will be going up soon. Please encourage your children to be respectful of decorations so they will last through VBS week. Any questions about decorations, please talk to Rachel Feenstra.

Please spread the word and invite your friends to VBS! Flyers are available on the sign-up sheet table to give out to others.

### 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:

Mary Eleanor Kochsmeier – May 9  
Amy Frace – May 9  
Dan Meehan – May 11

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

John & Toni Cressman – May 9  
Larry & Denise Korpics – May 10

## Attendance and Giving

OFFERING ON APRIL 29: \$4,730.01

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5,794.00

DESIGNATED GIVING: 0.00

YTD OFFERING: \$85,617.03

YTD BUDGET: \$98,498.00

ATTENDANCE ON APRIL 29: 114

## Serving Others

### TODAY

**Nursery** Val Newcomer  
Alyssa Richards

**Greeters** Bobby & Britney Kempf

**Worship Ldr.** Sandy Faust

**Ushers** Scott Richards  
Lee Walters  
John Cressman

**Children's Message** None

### NEXT WEEK: (May 13)

Rose Szabo  
Lindsey Richards

Dave & Susie Kempf

Victor Sabatino

Randy Willard  
Harold Lehman  
Bob Kemmerer



## Information

### CONTACT

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## Sunday School Information

### 2 & 3 YEAR OLDS

Led by Aleta DeToma  
Upstairs Nursery

### KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 1

Led by Rose Szabo  
and Becky Thatcher  
Room LL 1

### GRADES 4 & 5

Led by Wayne Matthews  
Room LL 4

### ADULT CLASS

Led by Joel Mohler  
Chapel

### PRE – K

Led by Becky Lesser  
Room B6

### GRADES 2 & 3

Led by Lydia Mohler  
Room LL 2

### JUNIOR HIGH

Led by Jess Bergey  
Room LL 3



## “Obadiah’s Faithfulness”

1 Kings 18:1-16  
Guest Speaker, Joel Mohler



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May 6, 2018

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.