# **Today**

**Welcome to our worship service!** We are glad you are here to join hearts and souls in celebration of our amazing God.

We take our cue from the Psalmist, "Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness." (Ps 150:1–2)

So, let us praise God together today!

This morning, Joel Mohler will open the word of God, speaking from **Ezekiel 2:8-3:3.** His sermon is **"From Lamentation to Sweetness"**. Scott Richards serves as our worship moderator.

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.

**6:30 p.m.** Discovery Bible Study, Hellertown Diner

# **This Week**

September 16 - 21

## **TUESDAY**

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

WEDNESDAY

**5:45 p.m.** Good News Club & Youth Group Dinner

**6:30 p.m.** Good News Club & Youth Group

**THURSDAY** 

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

# This Week's Bible Reading Plan

#### Week 38

- Isaiah 64-66; 2 Corinthians 2
- 2 Kings 21; 2 Chronicles 33; Psalm 71; 2 Corinthians 3
- Nahum: Psalm 149: 2 Corinthians 4
- 2 Kings 22-23; Psalm 73; 2 Corinthians 5
- 2 Chronicles 34-35; 2 Corinthians 6

#### 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.

**Discovery Bible Study** will be led by Britney Kempf tonight. See you at 6:30 p.m. at the Hellertown Diner Banquet Room.

**Pastor David, Bev and family** are in the Outer Banks of North Carolina this week. They return on Saturday, September 21. Pray for a great family time.

There is a **Photo/Video Release Form** in the church mailboxes of those with children. Please complete the form and return to Tara Willard.

**Tara Willard** is looking for a leader for games at **Good News Club** either once or twice a month. Please contact Tara if you can serve in this way.

**Good News Club and Youth Group** will resume this Wednesday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m. There will be a baked ziti dinner at 5:45 p.m. that evening. **Please sign up by today** on the sheet in the foyer or on the SCMC app if you will be attending the dinner.

**Church Council** will be meeting on Monday, September 23 at 7:00 p.m.

**Lunch Bunch** will be going to **The View at Morgan Hill** (100 Clubhouse Dr., Easton, PA) on Wednesday, September 25, at 12 noon. Sign up in the foyer or on the SCMC app if you would like to attend.

Saturday Night Alive will resume on September 28 at 7:00 pm.

**SCMC Talent Night** will be held on Sunday, September 29. Start thinking about which of your many talents you would like to share with your faith family. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer.

**Speaking of talent:** SCMC is wanting to expand our base of worship team participants to prevent burnout, especially as we add Saturday Night Alive in late September. We are also experimenting with occasional early Sunday morning (8:15) only practices to accommodate busy family schedules. Please speak to Dan Reed or Pastor David for more information.

The **Outreach Commission** will be meeting on Monday, September 30 at 7:00 p.m.

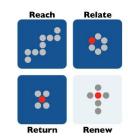
There will be a **Zion Choral Concert** at SCMC on Sunday, October 20 at 3:00 p.m. Mark your calendars now and plan to invite friends!

# **Ministry Opportunities & Events**

On **Sunday**, **September 29**, 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 \$5,900.00.

Crossroads' annual Walk for Life and 5K Run will be held on Saturday, October 5 at 10:00 a.m. Every year, the Walk for Life and 5K Run supports Crossroads Pregnancy Care. Crossroads is able to provide resources that enable women and men in the Upper Bucks area to choose life for their children. Whatever your fitness level, you are invited to run, jog, walk or push a stroller on a well-defined path through the Park at 4th (by the Univest Performance Center) in Quakertown. Register by September 20 and get a free t-shirt. Talk to Dan Reed for more information.

**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:**

Nicole Marzejon – September 16 Holly Mace-Carver – September 21

# **Attendance and Giving**

**OFFERING ON SEPTEMBER 8:** \$10,708.00

**DESIGNATED GIVING:** \$3,000.00 **WEEKLY BUDGET:** \$5,385.00 **YTD OFFERING:** \$192,957.06

YTD BUDGET: \$193,860.00

**ATTENDANCE ON SEPTEMBER 8: 148** 

# **Serving Others**

Nursery

**SUNDAY** 

Becky Brooks

Alyssa Richards Robert Bergey Worship Ldr.







Sue Reed

Dan Reed

Lindsey Richards

**NEXT SUNDAY:(Sep 22)** 

## **Sermon Notes**

## Information

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Bob Walters, as Pastor Emeritus, 610-865-3316

Randy Willard, 610-297-5083

# **Sunday School Information**

PRE-K

Led by Aleta DeToma

Room B6

**KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 1** 

Led by Becky Thatcher Helper, Lucy Litke

Room LL1

**GRADES 2 & 3** 

Led by Nancy Walters

Room LL 2

**GRADES 4 & 5** 

Led by Anita McSloy Room LL 4

## JUNIOR HIGH (GRADES 6-8) SENIOR HIGH (GRADES 9-12)

Led by Randy Willard Room LL 3

Led by Tara Willard Youth Room

#### **ADULT CLASS**

Led by Joel Mohler

Chapel

ADULT CLASS - David Ramsey

Financial Peace University Led by Robert & Beth Bergey

Sanctuary



Welcome to Worship

Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever. Fralm 107:1

# "From Lamentation to Sweetness"

Ezekiel 2:8-3:3 Guest Speaker, Joel Mohler



**September 15, 2019** 

Everyone. Everyday. Everywhere.