

WELCOME TO  
**STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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**February 11, 2024**

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:30 A.M.**

**Theme:** “Transfiguration”

**Worship Leader:** Sonya Horsley

**Music:** Stahl Musicians

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Lighting the Peace Lamp**

**Gathering Song(s)**

**Call to Worship:**

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was the light of life.

**O God, let your light shine in us.**

Jesus said, “You are the light of the world; let your light so shine that others may see and glorify God.”

**O God, let your light shine in us.**

Sleeper, awake, and rise from the dead, and God will shine upon you.

**O God, let your light shine in us.**

**Prayer**

**Sharing Our Joys and Concerns:** “*God of Love, Hear our Prayer*”

**Singing**

**Scripture:** Mark 9:2-9

**Message:** “Revealing a Mystery”

**Response:** Transfiguration Prayer

**Sending Song**

**Sending Words**

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**Bulletin Editor for February:** Shana Lichtenfels – 814-288-0171

**St. Francis Sharing & Caring Item for February:** Toilet Paper

**Offering:** 02/04/2024 – \$1,878.70 – General Fund

2.00 – LVV Dining Room Project

35.00 – Saturday’s Kitchen

\$1,915.70 = TOTAL

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**February Mission Offering:** Laurel View Village Dining Project

**Wed., Feb. 14, 7:00 pm:** Ash Wednesday Service

**Sat., Mar 2:** AMC Spring Delegate Session via Zoom

**Sun., Mar 3, 12:00:** Rice and Beans Meal for Lahash

**Wed., Mar 5, 7:00:** Lenten Small Group

**Sun., Mar 31, 6:45am:** Easter Sunrise Service

**May-July:** Jayne’s Sabbatical

\*\*\*\*\*NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\*\*\*\*

**Jayne hopes to be in the office on Wed and Thurs.** She can be contacted at any time by calling or texting 330-224-3944 or emailing [stahlmennonite@gmail.com](mailto:stahlmennonite@gmail.com).

**Hearing assistance headphones** are available at the back of the sanctuary.

**A sign-up sheet to do the front table or outside sign is on the bulletin board.** Check it out and see if there is a month you might like to help.

**Our Mission Offering for February is Laurel View Villages special campaign to Dining Area Project.** Healthy eating habits and nutrition influence overall wellbeing of residents. This along with the social interaction provided by gathering for meals is a crucial part of residential life. LVV has begun a project to replace tables, chairs and update dining areas to improve this important aspect of LVV life together.

**This Wednesday, Feb 14, we will have an Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00.** If you are willing to help with scripture reading, please see Jayne before then. **We will have an Ash Wednesday Service on Wed, Feb 14 at 7:00.** Come to receive the sign of Ashes to begin your Lenten journey this year.

**During Lent you are invited to participate in a weekly small group.** Each Wednesday evening, we will use the Soil and the Seed resource. This will be an opportunity to read the upcoming scriptures and reflect on how this Season can be incorporated into your daily life.

**If you got a phone call from Oklahoma this week, it wasn't spam.** We are using a new phone tree call service based there. Our old service is no longer available. So, if you get a call from Oklahoma, go ahead and answer it. Then add that number to your contact list as "Stahl Phone Tree". **If you did not get a phone call and would like to be added** to the phone list in addition to the email list, please let Jayne know.

**We will be sending Care Packages of goodies to students and others who would benefit from knowing we care about them.** Bring packaged cookies, snacks or candy or other fun items to be added to the boxes.

**Vol 9 of the Soil and the Seed Project, Lent//Easter//Pentecost, is available at the mailboxes.** Or, you can download a digital copy at [thesoilandtheseedproject.org](http://thesoilandtheseedproject.org).

**If you would like to support Keystone Family Alliance at a fundraiser dinner,** please let Jeanette know you would like a seat at their table. It will be held on Feb 27 at 5:30 at Bakersville Banquet Hall.

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Mark 9:2  
"He was transformed in front of them"

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