

Living Ink

“Turning Over a New Leaf” As we turn over the page of each chapter in the grand covenant narrative, we find ourselves invited to “re-turn” to the open arms of Christ and his good news of reconciliation.



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WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH

1201 Soap Hollow Rd, Johnstown, PA 15905

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Lent 4 – March 6, 2016

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.

Christian Community Comes Alive – Adult Upstairs

Fruits of the Spirit – Adult Kitchen and Youth

Elementary Class (Ages 2 to Grade 6) – Basement

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Worship Leader: Bob Brown

Song Leader: Tina Lehman

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Welcome

Gathering Song

Call to Worship

Offering

Singing

Children's Time: Sarah Barrett interviews David Miller

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 and Luke 15:1-3; 11b-32 read by
Ron & Joyce Telenko

Sermon: "Roll Away Your Stone" by Ben Miller

Song of Response

Journaling

Joys & Concerns: *God of Love; Hear our Prayer*

Sending Song

Benediction

Greeters for March: Boyd & Bernice Lehman

Bulletin Editor for March: Ellen Lehman – 288-1961

Front Table Arrangement for March: Worship Committee

Church Sign for March:

Sharing & Caring Items for Mar.: Spaghetti Sauce, Peanut Butter

Offering Holders for March:

Offering: 02/28/16 – \$2,245.00 = Regular

357.00 = Missions

\$2,602.00 = TOTAL

*****COMING EVENTS*****

Mon., Mar. 7, 6:00 p.m. – Rice & Beans potluck at Floyd & Chris Lehman's home. (174 Lost Valley Dr., Boswell, PA)

Wed., Mar. 9, 5:00–7:00 p.m. – Soup Night

Thurs., Mar. 10, 6:00 p.m. – Lay Leader Meeting

Wed., Mar. 16, 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting

Sun., Mar. 20, 2:00 p.m. – Kids' Connection Easter Egg Hunt

Sun., Mar. 27, 9:30 a.m. – Easter Breakfast

Sat. & Sun., April 23 & 24, 2016 – Church Retreat at Laurelville

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

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or by sending them a card this week: Thurs., March 10 – Emily Kaltreider; Fri., March 11 – Richard Kaltreider

We will be having Rice & Bean potlucks every Monday in March starting at 6:00 p.m. in a different home each week. Please bring a Rice and Beans dish to share. Here is the schedule:

Mon., Mar. 7: Floyd & Chris Lehman – 174 Lost Valley Drive, Boswell, PA 15531 – 479-7230

Mon., Mar. 14: Sarah Barrett & Dan Ross – 1212 Christy Drive, Johnstown, PA 15904 (Richland) – 341-9410

Mon., Mar. 21: Arlene Moser – 866 Soap Hollow Road, Johnstown, PA 15905 – 288-2788

Mon., Mar. 28: Zac & Tina Lehman – 158 Maplebrook Lane, Johnstown, PA 15905 – 288-3208

Our **final Souper Wednesday** for the season will be on Wednesday, March 30th.

Anyone who would like to **order tulips or lilies** to be on display in the church for Easter, please contact Joyce Telenko at 479-7092. The cost is \$8.50.

At the **Business Meeting on Sunday Feb. 28th**, the trustees raised a number of issues to the church about the rental units. A motion was made and seconded to tear down the structure, but the vote has been postponed until April 3rd during our worship time. Floyd will briefly present and offer time to ask questions about the situation next Sunday, March 13th during worship.

We still need volunteers to help with collecting the offering and the church sign. Please sign up to serve the church if you are able.

Ed Mackel has been released from prison. He is staying at Tomorrow's Hope transitional housing in Coal Port. He is not allowed to leave the campus for the first two weeks of his stay. Hopefully he will be able to worship with us on March 13th.

*******PRAYER REQUESTS*******

Paul Eugene Thomas	Ron Telenko, Sr.	Jim Harkcom
Dwight Gindlesperger	John Muir	Bob Oylee
Helen Kresnicky	Justin Klaus	Dan Gates
Isaiah Kimmel	Evan Yoder	Megan Ott
Chuck Aurandt	Taylor Sunday	Ronald Boast
Owen Sheridan	Robb Goe	Sue Sablotski
Sanford Alwine	Braxton Clark	Dan Yost
Lynnwood Moyer	Marilyn Reott	Jack Jordan
Rhoda Baldwin	John Lehman	Rick Widdell

Alisha and Josh Garber of **Mennonite Mission Network** teach and mentor students at LCC International University in Lithuania. Throughout the winter, Josh has battled bronchitis. Pray for renewed energy for Josh and for the health of Alisha and their first child expected in May.