

WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH

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March 15, 2015

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.

First Things – Adult Upstairs

Acts – Adult Kitchen

Heaven and Hell – Youth Basement

Elementary Class (Ages 2 to Grade 6) – Basement

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Worship Leader: Zachary Lehman

Song Leaders: His Word and Worship

Lent 4 – God Amidst the Shadows

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering Song

Opening Prayer

Offering

Singing

Children's Time: Sonya Horsley

Scripture: John 3:14-21 read by Christian Zimmerman

Call to Authenticity & Call to Grace

Sermon: Bob Brown

Song of Response

Reader's Theater: Dave Miller, Glen Lehman,

Heather Cotchen, Cindy Lehman

Scripture: Christian Zimmerman

Sharing of Joys and Concerns: God of Love, Hear our Prayer

Sending Song

Call to Commitment (Benediction)

Greeters for March: Boyd & Bernie Lehman

Bulletin Editor for March: Ellen Lehman – 288-1961

Front Table Arrangement for March: Worship Committee

Church Sign for March: Zachary Lehman

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

Offering: 3/8/2015 - \$1,780.00 = Regular

263.00 = Honduras

\$2,043.00 = TOTAL

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

Mon., Mar. 16, 6:30 p.m. – Rice and Beans Potluck in the Church
Basement

Tues., Mar. 17, 6:45 a.m. – Teen Breakfast

Tues., Mar. 17, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. – Kid's Connection

Wed., Mar. 18, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. – Souper Wednesday

Thurs., Mar. 19, 6:00 p.m. – Lay Leader's Meeting

Sun., Mar. 22, 7:00 p.m. – *Listening for Grace* viewing

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

Beans & Rice month will be our mission for March. Consider eating simple meals so that we can share our resources with those who have less than us. Potlucks will be held on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. (during March) in the Church Basement.

March is our month to connect with the **Service Adventure Team**. They will be worshipping with us again on Sunday, March 22nd. They also plan to attend our Rice & Beans potlucks on Monday evenings. Please consider bringing in some of the items (that were on the bulletin insert) which they are in need of.

Please sign up to make soup for Wednesday nights. **Souper Wednesday** will end for the season on April 1st.

THIS AFTERNOON, Sun., Mar. 15, from 2 – 4:00 p.m. – The Conemaugh Township High School Music Department will be hosting a Meet-N-Greet for the Cast of Shrek The Musical! Come enjoy a glass of Swamp Punch and get a sneak peak of the talented characters. For the youth, there is a coloring contest with prizes and face painting. Shrek Ears and a Gingy Cookie Creation can be purchased for a small fee. Autograph books are available to purchase. The event will be full of surprises and will be one you don't want to miss!

Stahl Mennonite will host a viewing of the **Ted & Co. performance** *Listening for Grace* on Sunday, March 22 at 7:00 p.m. Due to the weather for the original performance, we were allowed to record it for this one time viewing.

Sonya and Jacob Horsley will be making a **missions trip** this next August to Honduras. They will be selling soup and peanut brittle after worship during the month of March to raise funds. Also, Jacob is available for yard work to fund raise.

We **still need volunteers** to arrange the front table, greet on Sunday mornings and also arrange the church sign. Please sign up for these opportunities!

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

LaVon Coutret	Jeff Hooper	Abby Shetler
Rodney Lehman	Owen Sheridan	Benny Perry
Wendy Melikant	Helen Cotchen	Brenda Kline
John Bender	Megan Ott	Phyllis Wilson
Willie Lehman	Taylor Sunday	Quenna Smith
Sarah Barrett	Jimmy Charniskey	Alan Frye
Braxton Clark	Deb & Dan Gates	Ted Kuntz
Dan Ross	Hap Miller	Carol Salley
Allegheny Conference		Larry Gindlesperger
Dave Birch & Family (death)		Eddie Deezen

Praise God for the language-learning progress that Mennonite Mission Network's Radical Journey team in Southeast Asia has made. Pray that they will use their increased fluency to share God's love in words as well as deeds.

March 22

Passionfest, held in New Zealand last month, is an annual celebration of Jesus, community, and justice. Pray for Mark and Mary Hurst of Mennonite Mission Network, based in Australia, as they follow up on contacts they made during the festival.

March 29

Janet Stucky of Mennonite Mission Network serves as a nutritional consultant at Bethesda Hospital in Benin. Pray for funding to implement a program to improve the diets of pregnant women, children under 5 years old, and people living with HIV/AIDS.