

WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH

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May 14, 2023

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:30 A.M.

Theme: “Come Holy Spirit”

Worship Leader: Joy Cotchern

Music Leaders: Rachel, Elizabeth, Sonya & Dave

Opening Music: “I Will Fear No Evil” The Soil & the Seed vol 6 #2

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Gathering Song

Call to Worship: Psalm 66:8-9, 13-17, 20

Opening Prayer:

**We are not left alone,
Holy Spirit, you are with us!**
Our Helper
Our Counselor
Our Comforter
**We are not left alone,
Holy Spirit, you are with us!**

Helper, you come along beside us
Counselor, you reveal Jesus to us
Comforter, you are always with us
We are not left alone,
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Sharing Our Joys & Concerns: *“God of Love, Hear our Prayer”*

Singing

Scripture: John 14:15-21; 1 Peter 3:13-22; Acts :22-31

Message: “The Show” – David Mishler

Response

Sending Song

Sending Words: VT 1067

Bulletin Editor for May: Ellen Lehman – 814-288-1961

Front Table for May:

St. Francis Sharing & Caring Item for May: Toilet Paper

Offering: 05/14/2023 – \$2,668.90 – General Fund Total

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

May Mission Offering: The Christian Children’s Home

Mon., May 8, 6:30 pm: Lay Leaders

Wed., May 10, 7:00 pm: Church Council

Sat. May 20, 8:00 am: Work Day at Church

Mon.-Sun., June 5-11: Jayne on Vacation

Wed., June 14, 7:00 pm: Church Council

Tue., June 27, 6:00 pm: Lay Leaders

Mon.-Sat., July 3-8: MennoCon23 in Kansas City, Missouri

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

Welcome to Dave Mishler, our speaker for this morning. Dave is our Allegheny Mennonite Conference Minister and has deep roots at Stahl.

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or by sending them a card this week: Tues., May 16 – Jeffrey Dombrosky; Thurs., May 18 – Shana Lichtenfels; Fri., May 19 – Myles Shetler; Fri., May 19 – Neil Lehman; Sat., May 20 – Lauren Cotchen

Happy Anniversary: Wish the following a Happy Anniversary today or by sending them a card this week: Tues., May 16 – Ron & Joyce Telenko

Jayne plans to be in the office on Wed and Fri. She can be contacted at any time by calling 330-224-3944 or emailing stahlmennonite@gmail.com

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

The Mission Offering for May is the Christian Children's Home. The Christian Home is a non-profit, non-sectarian agency that provides Independent Living programs and services for at-risk adolescent youth ages 14-23, and in the care of Cambria County Children and Youth. It also offers an unsupervised Independent Living Shelter (Lacey House) for homeless older youth aged 18-23 years.

Work day has been postponed until May 20, for work on the outside of the church.

We are announcing the **opening of the St. Francis Sharing and Caring Community Market** this summer every Thursday beginning May 25, and ending on August 18, 2023. The hours that they will be open are from 3-6:00 pm.

St. Francis Sharing & Caring is looking for someone who might be interested to volunteer providing hot food during the Community Market from 3-6:00 pm on Thursdays. The dates available to volunteer are as following: May 25; June 1, 7 & 29; July 6, 13, & 27 and August 3, 10, 24 & 31. If you are interested in helping, please call Bob Wilke at 814-525-1224.



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Johnstown, Pennsylvania

May 14, 2023

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The **TriState Auctions to benefit Mennonite Central Committee -- Springs** will be having their sale on July 15th. The **Johnstown Area Sale** will be held August 11th & 12th. Contact Yvonne Devers at 814-421-9008 for questions and donations.

Check your mailbox for a copy of a Vision Team Update and Report from the Workshop we had in February and observations of the results from the Vision Team. Over the summer be open to the Spirit's leading in new ways and ideas for showing radical hospitality. Keep this process in prayer as you travel and experience God's world. You are welcome to share any ideas with any member of the Vision Team at any time (Neil Lehman, Daniel Dunmore, Rachel Allen, Jeanette Hunsberger, Matt Stahl or Jayne Byler). The Vision Team will meet in the fall to discern the next steps.

You have responded to the needs of the congregation with your generous giving. Giving has increased to help keep up with the increased costs of our life together. **Thank You!** Sharing your time and talents on Sunday morning and throughout the week helps keep our ministry alive. Without each of you we would not be able to do the work of the church. An easy way to make sure your offering is not missed when you are away, is through the electronic giving option on our webpage. (Remember that you can cover the cost of processing the donation as well.) However you give, know that **the work of Stahl Mennonite Church cannot happen without you!**

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

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