

WELCOME TO  
**STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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**July 31, 2016**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.**

*Toward a New Creation* – Adults & Youth (Fellowship Hall)

Elementary Class (Ages 2 to Grade 6) – Basement Classroom

**MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.**

**Parables and Picnic**

**Worship Leader:** Joy Cotchen

**Song Leader:** Anthony Frasier

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Gathering Song**

**Call to Worship & Prayer**

**Offering**

**Singing**

**Children's Time:** Joy Cotchen

**Readers Theater:** Luke 10:30-37 read by Will Horsley, Floyd  
Lehman, Shana Lichtenfels, Ed Mackel, Sharon Shetler,  
Bill Smith, Quenna Smith & Donna Steitz

**Meditation:** "Who is the Samaritan?" by Bob Brown

**Song of Response**

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

**Sending Song**

**Blessing Our Meal**

**Greeters for August:** Myles & Sharon Shetler  
**Bulletin Editor for August:** Shana Lichtenfels – 288-0171  
**Front Table Arrangement for August:** Sharon Shetler  
**Church Sign for August:** Sharon Shetler  
**Sharing & Caring Items for August:** Cereal/Oatmeal, Bar Soap,  
**Offering Holders for August:** and Canned Soup  
**Offering:** 07/24/16 – \$1,510.00 = Regular

\*\*\*\*\*COMING EVENTS\*\*\*\*\*

**Tues., Aug. 2, 6:00 p.m.** – Search Committee Meeting  
**Wed., Aug. 3, 7:00 p.m.** – Council Meeting  
**Thurs., Aug. 4, 3–6:00 p.m.** – Community Market at St. Francis  
Caring & Sharing. Every week there is fresh produce  
available along with a variety of Specialty Vendors.  
**Fri.-Sun., Aug. 5-7** – Allegheny Conference Gathering at  
Laurelville Mennonite Camp  
**Sun., Aug. 7** – Worship at 10:30 a.m. with no Sunday School  
**Fri., Aug. 12** – Lay Leader meeting  
**Sun., Aug. 14** – Turn in Church Directory updates  
**Wed., Aug. 17** – Worship Committee Meeting

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

**Happy Birthday:** Wish the following a Happy "Belated" Birthday:  
Mon., July 18 – Christian Zimmerman; Wed., July 20 – Curt  
Lichtenfels; Fri., July 22 – Chris Lehman; Sat., July 23 – Gianna  
Lushko; Wed., July 27 – Jude Lehman; Wed., July 27 – Carol  
McKool. Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or by sending  
them a card this week: **TODAY**, Sun., July 31 – Cindy Lehman;  
**TOMORROW**, Mon., Aug. 1 – Alex Platt

**Happy Anniversary:** Wish the following a Happy "Belated"  
Anniversary: Tues., July 26 – Steve & Shannon Hathaway;  
Thurs., July 28 – Neil & Ellen Lehman, Abe & Lindsey Lehman;  
Fri., July 29 – Zac & Tina Lehman; Richard & Jen Kaltreider

Last week, through the discernment of the Lay Leaders and by lot,  
we selected our **Pastoral Search Committee**. The members are as  
follows: Joy Cotchen (chair), Rachel Allen, Sonya Horsley, Jacob  
Horsley, Floyd Lehman, Nancy Thomas and Chris Yoder.

**Service Adventure** is looking for host families. The commitment would be Tuesday evenings starting at 6:30 and lasting from mid-August to mid-June. Contact Leah at (724) 205-5081 to sign up.

We are updating the **Church Directory**. If you have had any changes in phone numbers, email, addresses, birthdays, anniversaries or your phone tree preferences since March 2015, please let Bob know by August 14. You can fill out the sheet in your bulletin with any updates and put it in the offering plate.

We are in need of **teachers for Children's Sunday School**. Please sign up on the bulletin board for any dates you are able to help our children learn about the story of God. Curriculum is provided if you are willing to teach Children's Sunday School.

**We need a few volunteers** to serve as Offering Holders and to update the Church Sign for the rest of the year. Please check your calendar and serve the church in this simple way.

**Interested in Websites?** Stahl is in need of a Website Editor since Lauren Brown is leaving town. We currently use Weebly and Google Calendar to edit the website, so it is fairly simple. This volunteer position is also empowered to use social media to promote the ministries of Stahl.

**YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE!** You are the person who helped make the **Tristate Relief Sale** a success and a blessing. From Jr. Youth to Senior Saints – you dug in and showed your support in many ways. Thank you for using your hearts, hands, feet and arms to bless many around the world! We are awed by your support and will keep you informed as financial information becomes available.

\*\*\*\*\***PRAYER REQUESTS**\*\*\*\*\*

Linda Barrett	Charlotte Barrett	Debbie Thomas
Ondrea Jones	Carlton Yoder	Jack Jordan
Linda Gindlesperger	Toby Duffy	Terry Lauper
Owen Sheridan	Helen Kresnicky	Dan Gates
Evan Yoder	Braxton Clark	Warren Paul
Taylor Sunday	Chuck Aurandt	Dan Yost
Lynnwood Moyer	Marilyn Reott	Dennis Naugle
Joanne McKool	Barrett-Fox Family	