

**WELCOME TO  
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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**Pastor:** Jayne Byler

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**September 9, 2018**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.**

Uniform Series – Upstairs Sunday School Class

Bible Study – Basement Kitchen Class

**MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.**

**Worship Leader:** Sonya Horsley

**Song Leader:** Rachel Allen

**Agreeing and Disagreeing in Love**

**Welcome/Announcements**

**Lighting the Peace Lamp**

**Gathering Song**

**Call to Worship:**

Leader: Let us return to Love,  
in this act of our gathering here.

People: Let us return to Love,  
Leader: in this season of longing and lengthening,

People: Let us return to Love,  
Leader: in our wondering and wandering,

People: Let us return to Love,  
Leader: in our surest moments of knowing the One who is  
Love and moments of knowing it least,

All: Let us return to Love.

**Prayer**

**Offering**

**Sharing our joys and concerns:** “*God of Love, Hear our Prayer*”

**Singing**

**Scripture:** Philippians 2:1-4 (Donna Thomas)

**Message:** Oriented to Love” - Jayne

**Sending Song**

**Benediction**

For all that God can do within us,  
for all that God can do without us,

**Thanks be to God!**

For all in whom Christ lived before us,  
for all in whom Christ lives beside us,

**Thanks be to God!**

For all the Spirit wants to bring us,  
for where the Spirit wants to send us,

**Thanks be to God!**

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**Greeters for September:** Dale & Donna Steitz

**Bulletin Editor for September:** Shana Lichtenfels – 288-0171

**Front Table Arrangement for September:** Worship Committee

**Church Sign for September:** Shana Lichtenfels

**Offering Holders for September:** Dale & Donna Steitz

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

**Offering:** 09/02/2018 - \$1,338.00

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

**Sept. 17-24** – Jayne on vacation

**Friday, Sep. 28, 9:30 a.m.** – Worship Committee

**Wednesday, Oct 3, 7:00 p.m.** – Church Council

**Sunday, Oct 7** - World Communion Sunday

**Sunday, Oct 14** - Scottdale Mennonite Church joining us for  
Worship

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

**Happy Birthday:** Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card this week: Today, Sept. 9 – Ammon and Barron Shetler; Wed., Sept. 12 – Zac Lehman; Thurs., Sept. 13 – Jennifer Kaltreider

**TODAY, Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2–5:00 p.m.** - Open House will be held at Stahl Mennonite Church celebrating Glenn & Martha Lehman's 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary. Join us for hors d'oeuvres and desserts. No gifts please.

**TODAY, Sun. Sept. 9 at 6:30 p.m. at Thomas Mennonite Church:** Several pastors, including Guy Myers & Wes Yoder will speak on scripture portions of the “Beatitudes”. Please join us for this service.

**Spiritual Growth Group** will begin meeting monthly on Wed, Sept 12 at 7:15. It will meet the second Wed of the month. This group will include scripture, prayer, hands on activity, journaling, silent reflection and sharing. The goal is to work together to build personal spiritual life growth and help one another in our discipleship journeys. Talk to Jayne for more information.

**Spuds of Faith** grows potatoes each year for local food pantries. Would you be able to help pick and bag them? The picking date is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 15 at 8:30 a.m. at the Laurel Vista Farm, 1665 Coxes Creek Rd., Somerset, PA. If you are interested in helping, please contact Michelle Mock at 814-242-5829 for more information.

**Jayne** will be leaving after worship on **Sunday, Sept 16** to go to the beach with her family for a week of vacation! If an emergency or

need arises, please call one of the Lay Leaders (Sonya Horsley, Dave Miller, Joy Cotchen). She will be back in town on the 24<sup>th</sup> and in the office on Sept 26<sup>th</sup>.



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Johnstown, Pennsylvania

August 26, 2018

We commit to love and obey God, and through the power of the Holy Spirit follow Jesus, sharing the story of God's love, forgiveness, and grace, making God's kingdom of peace and justice more present on Earth.

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