

WELCOME TO  
**STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

1201 Soap Hollow Rd, Johnstown, PA 15905

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**October 16, 2016**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.**

Uniform Series – Upstairs Sunday School Class

*"Life Together in the Spirit"* – Kitchen Class – teacher Jill Miller

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

**MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.**

**Worship Leader:** Joy Cotchen

**Music Leader:** Jeanette Hunsberger

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Gathering Song**

**Call to Worship & Prayer**

**Offering**

**Joys and Concerns:** God of Love, Hear our prayer!

**Commissioning of Leah Rittenhouse, Pastoral Intern**

**Song**

**Scripture:** 1 John 4:7-21 Tina Lehman

**Sermon:** Leah Rittenhouse

**Song**

**Baptism of Ryan Kaltreider**

**Greeting Ryan and Leah**

**Sending Song**

**Benediction**

**Greeters for October:** Pat & Joy Cotchen

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

**Front Table Arrangement for October:** Shana Lichtenfels

**Church Sign for October:** Pat & Joy Cotchen

**Sharing & Caring Items for October:** Cereal, Oatmeal and  
Canned Vegetables

**Offering Holders for October:** Whitey & Linda Gindlesperger

**Offering:** 10/09/16 – \$1,063.00 = Regular

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

**Tues., Oct. 18, 6:30-7:30 p.m.** – Kid’s Connection

**Wed., Oct. 19, 5:00-7:00 p.m.** – Souper Wednesday resumes

**Fri., Oct. 28, 6:00 p.m.** - New Day Fall Fundraising Banquet at  
Oakwood Restaurant.

**Sun., Oct. 30** – Worship at Scottdale Mennonite

**Sat., Nov. 5, 5:30 p.m.** – Johnstown Christian School Fall Banquet  
at Pasquerilla Conference Center

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

**Happy Birthday:** Wish the following a Happy Birthday today  
or by sending them a card this week: Mon., Oct. 17 – Wayne  
Wyar; Thurs. Oct. 20 – Ellen Lehman

**Tonight: "Divided We Fall: Americans in the Aftermath of  
9?11.** This evening we will offer an opportunity to view an  
important piece of film for our current time. Anyone seeking to  
understand race and religion in America and wanting to be part of  
creating a loving and connected community that welcomes diversity,  
please come and join us at 6 pm this evening. All are welcome in  
the name of peace.

**Souper Wednesday’s have started** - 5:00–7:00 p.m. There is  
a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for people to sign up to  
make a pot of soup. Pass the word!

You are invited to **Even(ing) Stitches** at Kaufman Mennonite Church. Come to quilt, knot or learn to do both! The last one will be held on Tuesday Oct. 18. Contact Yvonne Devers at (814) 421-9008 with any questions.

Thank you for your generous gift of time as you help to prepare and serve guests at **Family Kitchen on Sunday, October 23**. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board. You can join us for the entire time, or choose to help prepare from 9-10:30 or serve from 11-1.

On **Sunday, October 30**, we will be traveling to Scottdale to worship with the **Scottdale Mennonite Church** and have a fellowship meal together. We will plan on leaving the church at 9:00 AM. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board; a place to sign up if you are going and a place to sign up if you have a van/car and are willing to drive. Please sign up by Sunday, October 23 so we can let Scottdale know how many to expect.

**Johnstown Christian School will be holding its Fall Banquet** on Saturday evening, November 5, 2016 at the Pasquerilla Conference Center in Downtown Johnstown. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 5:30 p.m. and the complimentary meal will begin at 6:00 p.m. with a program following. Opportunity will be given to share in the ministry of JCS. For reservations call the school at 814-288-2588, ext 225 or email ([jyoder@jcsfamily.org](mailto:jyoder@jcsfamily.org))

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

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| Joe Marisa, Sr.    | Cody Stager               | Sharon Nisley      |
| Jack Jordan        | Jack Hoffman              | Shirlene Monteith  |
| Toby Duffy         | Terry Lauper              | Evan Yoder         |
| Dallen Lehman      | Marilyn Reott             | John Bender        |
| School Students    | Paul Eugene Thomas        | Chris's Co-Workers |
| Jess & Naomi Engle | Pastoral Search Committee |                    |
| Rose Bender Family | Jalen Kauffman            |                    |



# STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH



Johnstown, Pennsylvania

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.