

WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH

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November 23, 2014

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.

First Things – Adult Upstairs

Acts – Adult Kitchen

Another World Is Possible - Creation – Youth Basement

Elementary Class (Ages 2 to Grade 6) – Basement

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Ephesians 6

Worship Leader: Wayne Wyar

Song Leader: Tina Lehman

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering Song

Call to Worship & Prayer

Offering

Singing

Scripture: Ephesians 6:10-17 read by Darden Horsley

Sermon: "Metaphor" by Bob Brown

Song of Response

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Sending Song

Benediction

Greeter for November: Arlene Moser

Bulletin Editor for November: Ellen Lehman – 288-1961

Front Table Arrangement for November: Pat & Joy Cotchen

Church Sign for November: Pat & Joy Cotchen

Sharing & Caring Item for Nov.: Toilet paper, rice, canned soup

Offering: 11/16/14 - \$2,094.00 = Regular

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

Tues., Nov. 25, 6:45 a.m. – Teen Breakfast Club

Tues., Nov. 25, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. – Kid's Connection

Wed., Nov. 26, 5 -7:00 p.m. – Souper Wednesday

Sat., Nov. 29, 4:45 p.m. – Sitting Bull sled hockey

Thurs., Dec. 4, 7:00 p.m. – Theology Pub at Crow's Next

Sat., Dec. 6, 7:00 p.m. – *Listening for Grace* at University
Mennonite Church

Sun., Dec. 14, 6:00 p.m. – Children's Christmas Program

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

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or by sending them a card this week: Fri., Nov. 28 – Arlene Moser

Discernment sheets for the 2015 church service positions must be returned to Cathy or Joyce or the offering plates TODAY.

We are **updating the phone list**. If you have any additions/corrections/changes, please fill out a phone sign-up sheet (next to the mailboxes) and give it to Bob.

For **November's Mission**, we are collecting tissues and Christmas gift bags for the Family Kitchen. Please put them on the table in the back! If you have any questions, please talk to Linda or Debbie.

Souper Wednesday happens every week from 5 to 7 p.m. If you would like to bring soup, please sign up on the bulletin board, or contact Joy by Tuesday morning.

We are ordering **poinsettias for Christmas**. If you are interested, please contact Joyce Telenko by Sun., Dec. 7th. Choose between white, pink or burgundy poinsettias

Sat., Nov. 29, 4:45 p.m., the Sitting Bull sled hockey game before the 7:00 p.m. Tomahawks hockey game. Our very own Amaya will be playing. Tickets are \$10 adults, \$6 kids. Tickets are for both games. Sign up on the bulletin board for tickets.

Ted Swartz will be performing his new play called ***Listening for Grace at University Mennonite Church*** on Sat., Dec. 6, 7:00 p.m. If you are interested in coming, please sign up on the bulletin board. We are hoping to car-pool to State College. The Lay Leaders are encouraging us to attend this play to help us discuss the church's relationship to gay people.

Julie Chaves and Jeanette Hunsberger will be leading a team for a week of service with **MAMA in Honduras** August 1-8. We are looking for more members. This team will join doctors and dentists, deworming, administering Vitamin A, and screening for malnutrition in the rural populations of Honduras. No experience necessary to serve. Check www.mamaproject.org or contact either Jeanette (479-2251) or Julie (288-7049) for more information.

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Saint Francis Food Pantry is looking for a volunteer on the first Monday of the month from 9 a.m. to 12:00 noon. If you are interested, please contact Bob Brown.

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

Dan Ross, Sr.	Melanie Quinn	John Lehman
Loveda Liechty	Wendy Melihan	Gianna Donate
Allison Eash	Megan Ott	Jennifer Gobber
Kaitlan O'Donnell	Dave & Sharon Birch	Carol Salley
Ben Waltermire	John Bender	Willie Lehman
Sarah Barrett	Bob McKool	Owen Sheridan
Jimmy Charniskey	Braxton Clark	Deb & Dan Gates
Helen Kresniky	Taylor Sunday	Brenda Kline
Benny Perry	Allegheny Conference	
Rodger & Phyllis Wilson		Schrock Family (death)
Audrey Lambert (death)		



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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.

November 2.**November 9**

Robin Gingerich teaches and serves in administrative roles at LCC International University in Lithuania through Mennonite Mission Network. She requests prayer for LCC's 70 Ukrainian students who are preoccupied with their families' safety, their financial situations, and security in their hometowns.

November 16

Praise God for two recent events that fostered dialogue and nurtured unity among Israeli Christian Arabs and Messianic Jews. Pray for the Mennonite Mission Network personnel who have ministered long-term in the Middle East breaking down barriers that divide people.

November 23

Benin Bible Institute, a Mennonite Mission Network partner in West Africa, celebrated its 30th anniversary last month. Praise God for the more than 1,000 church leaders BBI has trained for ministry, and pray for the resources necessary the school's continuation.

November 30

Nearly 50 participants are three months into their Mennonite Voluntary Service assignments, a Christian Service program of Mennonite Mission Network. Pray for these young adults as they adapt to life in community and work in fields that include public health, immigration law, and home repair.