

**WELCOME TO  
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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**February 2, 2020**

**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:** Joy Cotchen

**Song Leader:** Leah Rittenhouse

**"2020 VISION BEGINS"**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Lighting the Peace Lamp**

**Gathering Song**

**Call to Worship**

**Prayer**

**Offering**

**Prayer for 2020 Ministry Positions**

**Sharing Our Joys and Concerns:** *"God of Love, Hear our Prayer"*

**Singing**

**Scripture:** Habakkuk 2:1-4 – Shana Lichtenfels

**Message:** "Waiting for a Vision" - Jayne

**Prayer of Confession:**

For ignoring the vision  
breathed by the living Spirit  
churning deep within our souls;

**Lord have mercy,  
Lord have mercy,  
Have mercy upon us.**

For refusing to look at the vision  
alive within those  
who look or act or sound different from us;

**Christ have mercy,  
Christ have mercy,  
Have mercy upon us.**

For choosing familiarity, ease, and comfort  
rather than risking the opportunities  
afforded in the vision

**Lord have mercy,  
Lord have mercy,  
Have mercy upon us.**

**Sending Song  
Benediction**

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- Greeters for February:** Curt & Shana Lichtenfels
- Bulletin Editor for February:** Shana Lichtenfels
- Front Table Arrangement for February:** Ruby Barrett-Ross
- Church Sign for February:** Pat & Joy Cotchen
- Offering Holders for February:** Curt & Shana Lichtenfels
- St. Francis Sharing & Caring Item for February:** Toilet Paper

**Offering:** 01/19/20 – \$1,823.00 – Regular  
385.00 - MCC  
 \$2,208.00 = TOTAL

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

**Mon., Feb 3, 6:30** – Kid’s Connection Resumes

**Tues., Feb 4, 6:00** – Budget Committee Meeting

**Wed., Feb 5, 7:15** - Bible Unwrapped Discussion resumes

**Wed., Feb 12, 7:00** – Church Council

**Sun., Feb. 23** – Annual Congregational Business Meeting

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

**Happy Birthday:** Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card this week: Tues., Feb 4 – Autumn Miller; Wed., Feb. 5 – Brody Hartzler; Fri., Feb. 7 – Katie Moser

Under the table with the bulletins in the foyer are **Activity Bags for the kids**. Feel free to take one and use it during worship then return it before you head home. If you have ideas of something else you would like in them, let Jayne or Leah Rittenhouse know!

**Jayne will strive to be in the office this week on Wed and Fri.** She is available other times by calling 330-224-3944.

**Volunteer Sign-Up Sheets** for offering holders, front table, church sign and greeters are posted on the bulletin board. Take a look and see where you might want to serve. Thanks!

**Kid’s Connection** will resume meeting tomorrow, Feb 3 at 6:30. Let the fun begin... again!

Study of the book **“The Bible Unwrapped”** will resume, after a short winter break, this Wednesday evening, Feb 5 at 7:15. We meet the first and third Wed of each month. If you haven’t been a part of this discussion yet, it is not too late to join!

**Crossroads invites** you to help pack Mennonite Central Committee **Relief Buckets** for Syria on Friday, February 7. (Please note the date change from previous announcements). The evening will begin with a soup supper at 6 pm and followed by packing buckets.



# 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.

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| Darrel Holsopple             | Jay Cable         | Shirley Yacynych      |
| Jayne Byler                  | Katie Juarez      | Merle & Carol Horner  |
| Laura Miltenberger           | Traveling Mercies | Louise (Deb's friend) |
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