

**WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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October 27, 2019

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: Floyd Lehman

Song Leader: Leah Rittenhouse

THEME: "Vices and Virtues: Gluttony/Temperance"

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Prayer

Opening Hymn

Congregational Sharing: "God of Love, hear our prayer."

Congregational Prayer

DISORIENTED LOVE

Scripture Reading: Glenn Lehman

Reflections on Gluttony: Kim Showalter and/or Michelle Mock

Hymn

REORIENTING TOWARDS GOD’S LOVE

Introduce and Practice Spiritual Discipline: Lectio divina

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance: 2 Corinthians 9:8

Hymn: “The Love of God” – STJ 44

NEWLY ORIENTED LOVE

Scripture reading: Glenn Lehman

Reflections on Temperance: Kim Showalter and/or Michelle Mock

Offering: Includes Mission Offering for St. Francis Sharing/Caring **Hymn**

Sending Blessing

Greeters for November: Saffron & Ruby Barrett/Ross

Bulletin Editor for November: Ellen Lehman – 288-1961

Front Table Arrangement for November: Saffron & Ruby

Church Sign for November: Myles & Sharon Shetler

Offering Holders for November: Saffron & Ruby Barrett/Ross

St. Francis Sharing & Caring Item for November: Toilet Paper

Offering: 10/20/2019 - \$1,827.00 – Regular

793.00 – Girl Named Tom -- The Band

\$2,620.50 = TOTAL

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

Fri.-Mon., Oct. 25-28 – Jayne is at 'Oriented to Love' facilitator training in Virginia

TODAY, Sun. Oct. 27 – Mission Offering for St. Francis Caring and Sharing

Mon., Oct. 28, 6:30-7:30 p.m. – Kid’s Connection

Wed., Oct. 30, 5-7:00 p.m. – Soup Night

Sunday Morning, Nov. 3 – Service of Remembrance/All Saints

Sunday Morning, Nov. 3 – Service Adventure as guests and potluck meal

Wed., Nov. 6, 7:15 p.m. – "The Bible Unwrapped" Study

Fri., Nov. 15, 9:00 a.m. – Worship Committee

Tues., Nov. 19, 7:00 p.m. – Church Council

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

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card in next two weeks: Sat., Nov. 2 – Josh Telenko

Welcome to Kim Showalter and Michelle Mock from St. Francis Sharing and Caring. They will be bringing this morning's reflections as well as sharing about their work at St. Francis.

Jayne will attempt to be in the office this week on Wednesday. She will be off on Monday and Tuesday. She is **always available** via phone (330) 224-3944.

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 Sharon Shetler know!

The **Mission offering for October** will be for St. Francis Sharing and Caring.

A great big thank you from **Girl Named Tom --The Band.** We really enjoyed leading the worship service here at Stahl last Sunday morning! The out-pouring of love, both emotionally and financially, were overwhelming. Remember us this coming year as we continue our tour. Thanks! Caleb, Joshua & Rebekah Liechty

A **fundraiser concert for Mennonite Central Committee's TriState Relief Sale** will be held at Springs Mennonite Church, 1686 Springs Rd., Springs, PA this afternoon, **Sun., Oct. 27 at 4:00 p.m.** The Mountain Anthems will sing and an offering will be taken. For more information see the poster on the bulletin board in the foyer.

We are invited join Beth Shalom Congregation as they gather to mark the passage of one year since the Tree of Life tragedy. There will be a Memorial Service this evening, **Sun., Oct. 27, 7:00 p.m.** at Beth Shalom Congregation located at 700 Indiana St., Johnstown, PA.



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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.

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reservation, please call the school at (814) 288-2588 and ask for Kristen Mock.

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A few copies of the book “The Bible Unwrapped” by Meghan Good are still available. If able and would like, you may donate \$13.50 to the church to cover the cost. It is not too late to join the 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening discussions. **The next discussion will be on Wed., Nov. 6 at 7:15 p.m.**

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