**WELCOME TO**

 **STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

 1201 Soap Hollow Rd**,** Johnstown, PA 15905

**Pastor:** Jayne Byler

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 **July 7, 2019**

 **SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.**

 Uniform Series – Upstairs Sunday School Class

 Bible Study *–* BasementKitchen Class

 **MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.**

**Worship Leader:** Quenna Smith

**Song Leader:** Jeannette Hunsberger

**THEME: "Come to the Welcome Table: A Place of Salvation"**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Lighting the Peace Lamp**

**Invitation**

**Gathering Song**

**Call to Worship:**

Leader:  Come, let us worship the God who came to seek and save the lost!

**People: Let us worship the God who came to seek and save each of us!**

Leader: Let us welcome God into our homes, to sit at our tables.

**People:** **Let us give of ourselves in this worship time that we may know God.**

 ***All:*  *Let us joyfully and with gratitude worship God!***

**Prayer**

**Offering**

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

**Song of Gratitude and Praise**

**Scripture:** Luke 19:1-10 – Zacchaeus’ Table – Bill Hunsberger

**Message:** Deb Gates

**Response**

**Sending Song**

**Sending Words**

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**Greeters for July:** Myles and Sharon Shetler

**Bulletin Editor for July:** Ellen Lehman

**Front Table Arrangement for July:** Sharon Shetler

**Church Sign for July**: Sonya Horsley

**Offering Holders for July:** Myles and Sharon Shetler

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

**Offering:** 06/30/2019 - $2,542.00 = Regular

 387.88 = New Day

 20.00 = MYF Stock

 $2,949.88 = TOTAL

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

**Wed. July 17** – Provide packed lunch for New Day Camp

**Fri., July 19, 9:00 a.m. –** Worship Committee

**Fri.-Sat., July 19-20 –** TriState MCC Relief Sale

**Sun., July 28 –** Mission Offering for Summer Bible School

**Sun., July 28 –** Youth Stockholders Lunch

**Sun., July 28 to Thurs., Aug. 1 –** Summer Bible School with
 Thomas Mennonite Church

**Fri.–Sun., Aug. 2-4 –** AMC Summer Celebration of Congregations

**Sat.–Sun., Sept. 28-29** – Church Retreat at Laurelville

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

**Happy Birthday:**  Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card this week: Tues., July 9 – Donna Thomas;

Tues., July 9 – Chris Lehman; Tues., July 9 – Stephen Cotchen

**Jayne will attempt to be in the office this week on Tuesday and Wednesday**. She will take her 4th of July holiday time off on Thursday and regular days off on Monday and Friday. She is **always available** via phone (330) 224-3944.

The **Mission Offering for July** will be for Summer Bible School.

**Something New for Children:**  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!

We will be **making lunches for** **New Day Camp** on Wed., July 15. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board for supplies and help to put the lunches together.

July offers a **variety of ways to contribute** to needs in our community and beyond.  Throughout the month of July we will be collecting MCC School Kit items in the foyer.  Another opportunity for giving will be offered on July 21 as Nathanael, Spring, Abigail, Selah, Zion and Zephaniah share about their work with the deaf community in Belize under Eastern Mennonite Missions/Commission to every Nation.  A third opportunity to share with the work in our own community will be offered as we collect our July Missions Offering on Sunday, July 28 for our Bible School.

**MYF Stock Sales: Last chance to purchase!** Would you like to make the investment of a lifetime? Now is the time to invest in

the nurture of the Stahl Church Youth as they have attended the MennoCon 19 in Kansas City this past week with thousands of other Mennonite Youth from across the country. Cost of the stock is $20 per share and you can purchase as many shares as you would like. The dividend will be in knowing that you invested in the life of the

youth from our congregation as well as a **Stockholder’s Luncheon on July 28,** where you can experience Kansas City through stories from the youth. Forms are at the mailboxes or talk to any of the

youth or Jen Kaltreider or Sonya Horsley. Thanks for your investment!

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