

**WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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September 16, 2018

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: Quenna Smith

Song Leader: Jeanette Hunsberger

Core Value #1: Jesus is the center of our faith

Welcome/Announcements

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Gathering Song

Call to Worship – “Who Is This Man”

Prayer

Offering

Sharing our joys and concerns: “*God of Love, Hear our Prayer*”

Singing

Scripture: I Corinthians 3:10-11

Message: “Jesus Be the Center” – Jayne

Affirming Faith – HWB 714

Sending Song

Benediction: II Corinthians 13:13

Greeters for September: Dale & Donna Steitz
Bulletin Editor for September: Shana Lichtenfels – 288-0171
Front Table Arrangement for September: Worship Committee
Church Sign for September: Shana Lichtenfels
Offering Holders for September: Dale & Donna Steitz
St. Francis Sharing & Caring Item for September: Toilet Paper
Offering: 09/16/2018 - \$1,322.00

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

Sept. 17-24 – Jayne on vacation
Friday, Sep. 28, 9:30 a.m. – Worship Committee
Monday, Oct. 1 – Kid’s Connection
Wednesday, Oct 3, 7:00 p.m. – Church Council
Sunday, Oct 7 - World Communion Sunday
Wednesday, Oct 10, 7:15: Spiritual Growth Group
Sunday, Oct 14 - Scottdale Mennonite Church joining us for
Worship

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

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card this week: Wed. Sept. 19 – Paul Thomas

Happy Anniversary: Wish the following a Happy Anniversary today or send them a card this week: Today – Dale & Chris Yoder; Mon. Sept. 17 – Adam and Lauren Cotchen; Fri. Sept. 21 – Bill & Quenna Smith

Jayne will be leaving after worship on Sunday, Sept 16 to go to the beach with her family for a week of vacation! If an emergency or need arises, please call one of the Lay Leaders (Sonya Horsley, Dave Miller, Joy Cotchen). She will be back in town on the 24th and in the office on Sept 26th.

A **new Sunday School topic** will be beginning in the basement class. Deb Gates will lead discussion on “**Compassionate Caring**” and Hospitality. For more information, talk to Deb, or come on down and join the discussion.

Would you like to serve with Mennonite Central Committee without leaving the area? You are invited to **Kaufman Mennonite Church, Saturday, September 29th** for a variety of tasks--all for MCC. We will be packing kits, quilting, knotting etc. Students, if you need service hours, this is a great opportunity. Come anytime between 9am -- 3pm. Lunch provided. Bring a friend and help those less fortunate.

Mark your calendars for Sept. 29 at 6:00. A fundraising event for the Hogar de Ninos Enmanuel, the orphanage in Honduras visited by the group last spring, will be held at Camp Harmony. If you are interested in tickets, \$35/person, let Sonya Horsley or Jayne Byler know ASAP.

Spiritual Growth Group began this past Wed. but it is not too late to join! It will be meeting monthly with the next meeting on Wed, **Oct 10 at 7:15.** It will meet the second Wed of the month. This group will include scripture, prayer, hands on activity, journaling, silent reflection and sharing. The goal is to work together to build personal spiritual life growth and help one another in our discipleship journeys. Talk to Jayne for more information.

A Mennonite Men’s Retreat, “Healthy Masculinity: On Being a Man” is planned through Mennonite Women and Men on Oct. 26-28 at Camp Deerpark. See the poster on the bulletin board for more info.

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

Curt Lichtenfels	Linda Gindlesperger	Ruby Barrett-Ross
Riley Allen	Dan Ross, Sr.	Sandy Farkas
Emily Kaltreider	Dan's Brother & Wife	Joe & Bri Speigle
Our Country	Neil & Ellen Lehman	Deb & Dan Gates

Carol Horner	Our Country	Norma Thomas
Allegheny Conference		Johnstown Violence
St. Francis Sharing & Caring		Pat Cotchen's friends father
Linda Gindlesperger's son-in-law Michael		Students/teachers safe
Catholic Sisters and Brothers		Deb's friend's daughter in hospice



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Johnstown, Pennsylvania

August 26, 2018

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.