

**WELCOME TO
STAHL MENNONITE CHURCH**

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January 28, 2018

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 A.M.

Uniform Series – Upstairs Sunday School Class

Bible Study – Basement Kitchen Class

Elementary Class (Ages 3 to Grade 6) – Basement Classroom

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Worship Leader: Sharon Shetler

Song Leader: Rachel Allen

THEME: Remember the Children

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Gathering Song

Call to Worship

Prayer

Offering

Singing

Scripture: Matthew 19:13-15

Message: Chantay L. Jeffers – Executive Director of The
Christian Home of Johnstown, Inc.

Littany of Response:

Leader: Who is the greatest?

All: The one who can change.

Leader: Who is the greatest?

All: The one who can become like a child.

Leader: Who is the greatest?

All: The one who becomes humble.

Leader: If we cause a child to stumble,

All: We will be blocking the best hope of this world.

Leader: If we welcome a child,

All: We will be welcoming you, O God.

Leader: Our Never-ending Hope,

All: The eternal God-child, even Jesus the Christ.

Song of Response

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns: *God of Love, Hear Our Prayer*

Sending Song

Benediction

Greeters for February: Curt & Shana Lichtenfels

Bulletin Editor for February: Ellen Lehman – 288-1961

Front Table Arrangement for February: Dan Barrett/Ross Family

Church Sign for February: Floyd Lehman

Offering Holders for February: Curt & Shana Lichtenfels

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

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

Tues., Jan. 30, 6:30 p.m. – Kid’s Connection

Wed., Jan. 31, 5:00 p.m. – Soup Night

Feb. 2, 9:00 a.m. – Worship Committee

Sat., Mar. 3 – Stahl will be hosting the Allegheny Mennonite Conference Delegate Meeting.

Sat., March 17 – Serve at Family Kitchen

Sun., April 1 – Easter Sunday

Sat., & Sun., May 5–6, 2018 – Church Retreat at Laurelville.

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

Happy Birthday: Wish the following a Happy Birthday today or send them a card this week: Tues., Jan. 30 – Christine Yoder; Wed., Jan. 31 – Levi Moser

Welcome to Chantay L. Jeffers – Executive Director of The Christian Home of Johnstown, Inc. The Christian Home is a non-profit, non-sectarian agency that provides emergency shelter, residential and independent living programs and services for at-risk adolescent youth ages 10-21. We will also be taking our monthly Missions Offering today for the Christian Home. A potluck meal will immediately follow. Everyone is welcome to stay!

Following today's potluck meal, you are encouraged to stay to watch, "The Radicals", a movie about the early Anabaptist movement from which the Mennonite Church was born.

If you were not present for last week's **Covenant Signing** during worship, you can still sign the poster. It is located on the table in the front right corner of the Sanctuary.

A **birthday/anniversary list** is being updated. A draft copy is on the bulletin board in the foyer. Please check the list to see if your dates are included and/or accurate.

Today, we are **collecting personal hygiene items** for the four boys and five girls who are living at the Christian Home in Johnstown. Thank you for all the donations!

Mark your calendars for the **3rd Annual Quartet and Acapella Hymn Sing**. This event will be held at Kaufman Mennonite Church on Sunday, Feb. 25, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. with a light supper to follow. Questions? Please contact Sheri Speigle at (814) 659-1198. A free-will offering will be taken to benefit the Tri-State Relief Sale.

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

Evan Eberly

Shaun Smith

Frank Gindlesperger

Forrest Wassum

John Unger

Dawson Rough

Dave Miller

Jay Hiles

Rhonda Baldwin

Sarah Barrett-Ross	Saffron & Ruby	Justin Byler
Amelia Yoder	Dennis Sullivan	Peaceful Protests
Jacob Horsley	Unspoken request	Beth – Deb G. Friend
Betty Moyer Family (death)		John Rosey Family (death)
Helen Kresnick Family (death)		Tammie Fletcher Family (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.