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#### MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES

Ushers	Gene Musselman, Ella Roth, Sam Zercher, Matt Fasick and Julia Rioux
Prelude/Offertory	Linda Mininger
Praise/Worship Leader	Lee Roland
Worship Leaders	Myrna Eshleman
Song Leader	Rod Petersheim
Children's Church	Ulli Klemm & Bonnie Lehman
Nursery Ministry	Worship Hour ~ Ed & Pat Fleischer
	Sunday School ~ Mabel Lehman & Kerry Harker-Roth
	<b>WNO</b> ~ Amanda Musselman &

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### \*\*\*\* THIS WEEK \*\*\*\*

Wed. Wednesday Night Out (WNO) Meal ~ 5:45 - 6:30PM Clubs ~ 7:00 - 8:00PM Adult Study (Questions Jesus Asked) ~ 7:00 - 8:00PM

### \*\*\*\* UPCOMING EVENTS \*\*\*\*

- Mar. 22 Bridge of Hope Chili Cook-off ~ noon
- Mar. 27 Men's Fellowship (plus guests) ~ Gospel Concert
- Mar. 28CPR Training ~ 8:00AM noon;First Aid Training ~ 1:00 4:30PMMar. 31Book Discussion Group ~ 7:00PM
- Apr. 11 Blood Drive ~10:00AM

Chicken BBQ ~ 11:00AM

- May 2 Men's Fellowship ~ Service Day at Camp Hebron
- May 9 CCO Salmon Fundraising Meal
- May 15-17 Church Retreat at Camp Hebron
- June 13 Hilltop Fun Fest 2015

## $\sim$ Sunday School Schedule $\sim$

### ~Adults~

**International Sunday School Class** ~ Be refreshed in God's promise of His presence among us and His beloved community and aware of Jesus' longing for us to be one in the bond of love, just as He is with His Father. **Leaders: Lamarr Widmer and Caleb Miller** 

Room 114

Just Walk Across The Room ~ Join in the discussion of this book to explore ways to Connect, Engage, and Relate in 2015. Order a copy of the book by signing at the bulletin board.
 Leader: Tom Miller

Room 115

<u>Discuss the Sermon</u> ~ Participants will be invited to share thoughts that came to them through the sermon.
 Leaders: Dave Bauman and Ron Hershey
 Room 113

College and Career ~ Join post-high school, college, and career young adults in an informal atmosphere to explore a series on the Sermon on the Mount.
Leaders: Roger & Holly Myers; Daniel & Lynley Lapp;
Lynn Shertzer
Room 111

### ~Children~

 Early Childhood (Ages 3-5) ~ A child's relationship with God flourishes through Bible stories told in simple language, joyful singing, and creative sensory activities.
 Leaders: Lori Manivong, Debbie Weaver, and Darlene Fasick
 Room 106

Primary (Kindergarten-Grade 2) ~ This class will identify people of God through stories in which the child can envision him/herself in real and creative ways.
 Leaders: Jen Fredrick and Amanda Musselman
 Room 110

<u>Middler (Grades 3-5)</u> ~ Children are presented opportunities to explore authentic ways to put their personal faith into action.
 Rhoda Hershey and Sharon Doll
 Room 109



March 15, 2015 Worship 9:30AM

**Prelude & Announcements** Hymn #99 ~ We Praise Thee, O God Call to Worship & Welcoming and Greeting One Another **Praise and Worship Congregational Prayer Connect Moment Offering** (You are invited to place a stone at this time to represent a *connect experience*) **Men's Ensemble Call to Authenticity** Lenten Theme Song ~ Slowly Turning, Ever Turning **Call to Grace Call to Commitment** (Children ages 3-Grade 3 are dismissed for Children's Church; children 2 and under are always welcome in the nursery Scripture ~ John 3:1-21 (Page #1081 in the pew Bible) Sermon ~ Pebbles, Stones, and Bricks

 $\sim$  Lynn Shertzer  $\sim$ 

Hymn #530 ~ What Wondrous Love Is This

Benediction

**Closing Hymn #119 ~ Praise God From Whom** 

Fellowship Time ~ 10:45 Sunday School ~ 11:00

#### Slate Hill Mennonite Church

1352 Slate Hill Road, Camp Hill, PA 17011 Phone: 717-737-8150 E-Mail: slatehill@paonline.com Website: www.slatehillmennonite.org Office Hours: Tuesday through Thursday ~ 9:00 - 4:30 Friday by appointment

Lynn Shertzer, Pastor Joy Fasick, Associate Pastor of Community Life Fran Leiter, Administrative Assistant

Welcome to Slate Hill Mennonite Church, where we strive to live our faith in Jesus Christ. We are delighted to have you worship with us and hope that you will find our service inviting and uplifting. After worship, please stop by the **Welcome Center** (under the "Welcome" sign in the foyer) for a **free gift**. Also, join us for **refreshments** in the fellowship hall annex so that we can become acquainted. Some helpful information:

• So that we may know of your visit, you're invited to complete a Welcome Card (available in the pews) and place it in the offering plate when it is passed during the service.

• Information about Slate Hill Mennonite and about Mennonites in general is available at the Welcome Center.

• **Restrooms** and a **coat rack** are located at the end of the hallway toward the left as you leave the sanctuary. A family **restroom** is located off the conference room. All restrooms are equipped with changing tables.

• A nursery, staffed by volunteers during worship and Sunday school, can be accessed through the fellowship hall annex, and is available for infants through children 2 years old. A microwave is available in the kitchen to heat formula.

• A cry area, where parents can listen to the service with a fussy child, is available in the conference room to your left as you leave the sanctuary.

• Children 3 years of age thorough Grade 3 are dismissed downstairs for Children's Church each Sunday during the sermon. Children will return to the sanctuary during the closing hymn.

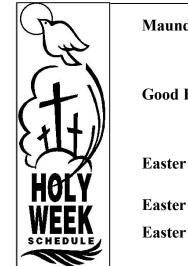
• Hearing magnifiers are available at the sound booth for hearing impaired individuals.

This year's Lenten offering, sponsored by the EPS Commission, will support the work of Shirati Hospital in Tanzania. During the offering TODAY, you are invited to bring donations forward for a children's assistance fund, to cover the costs of hospital stays for children whose families can't afford to pay. Shirati Hospital is a ministry of the Tanzania Mennonite<sup>•</sup>Church.

**New Membership Class Starts today** ~ This six-week class held in the Conference Room at 11:00 will help you explore membership at Slate Hill. We will discuss our promise to support, nurture and guide one another and share our faith journey in community. This class is for anyone considering membership by transfer or confession of faith or for those considering baptism.

The annual Bridge of Hope Chili Cook-off fundraiser will be held next Sunday, Mar. 22nd after Sunday School. Bring a big batch of your favorite chili for the luncheon. Donations of combread and desserts are also needed. Please help us plan by signing up at the bulletin board. Thank you.

Anyone interested in volunteering at the Susquehanna Harbor Safe Haven homeless shelter please contact Tom Miller at 512-3927 or tmiller17112@gmail.com.



Maundy Thursday, April 2nd ~ 6:00 PM. Å light meal of soup, bread, and fruit with a time of singing, communion, and foot washing/hand washing.

**Good Friday**, April 3rd ~ Tenebrae Service at Steelton Mennonite Church (501 N. 3rd St.) ~ Refreshments at 6:45PM; Service at 7:15

Easter Sunday Sunrise Service in the cemetery  $\sim 6:45$  AM

**Easter Breakfast** ~ 7:15 AM

**Easter Celebration** of worship & rejoicing  $\sim 9:30$  AM

If you would like to provide a lily plant in memory or honor of someone for Holy Week, please sign at the bulletin board. You may take your plant(s) home after the Easter worship service.

**SPRING FLING THANKS!** Special thanks to all who made the Spring Fling last weekend possible. Over 50 neighbors with developmental disabilities attended and had the time of their lives. Family members have poured in their thanks for this min-istry of the Slate Hill family. For all who donated food, elbow grease and embraced these neighbors, we give you thanks! May God be praised.

Thank you to all who graciously gave items to be packed by the WNO Club children for kits to give to any homeless person you may encounter. Kits are in the fellowship/coffee area; please take one or two to keep in your car to bless, in this small way, someone in need.

**BBQ TIME**  $\sim$  A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board to assist with the April 11 BBQ. Help is needed Friday and Saturday!

If you know of any organization interested in participating in the 2015 Hilltop Fun Fest Service Village, please let Tom Miller know. Forward all contact information, including email addresses, to him at tmiller17112@gmail.com.

## **Offering Report**

The General Fund offering Sunday, March 8, 2015, including net online contributions was \$7,453.96. We need an average of \$8,426.73 each Sunday to meet our budget goal.

## **PRAYER REOUESTS**

## **Health and Personal Concerns**

- Lois Beck
- Marian Burkholder
- **Bill White** •
- For the newborn **Klinger triplets**, each is experiencing some difficulty.
- Florence Detweiler
- Mike, brother of Tara Mayes
- Mike, friend of Tom Miller
- Sue. friend of Lucy and Gene McAloose

## **Outreach & Missions**

- Pray that we can work together in unity as congregation (and conference) to discover God's plans for the future
- Brethren Housing Association (BHA)
- Bridge of Hope
- Camp Hebron
- Coalition for Christian Outreach
- Cumberland Vista Group Home

# Grief

- For **Dale and Dorca Ressler** in the loss of Dorca's sister, Margaret, in Tanzania.
- For family and friends of Mary Miller, mother of Caleb Miller.
- For family and friends of **Billie Harding (Diller)**.



Volunteers Needed for the PA Relief Sale ~ There is a lot of work involved to set up, staff booths, and cleanup after-ward to have a successful sale to raise funds for global relief efforts. Please sign up at the bulletin board to reserve a 2hour time block of your choice for either Friday, April 17 or Saturday, April 18. Free parking passes will be issued to early volunteer registrants.

Attendance last Sunday	
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