MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES

Gene Musselman, Ella Roth, Sam Zercher, Ushers Matt Fasick and Julia Rioux Tom Miller ■ Prelude & Offertory

Worship Leader Kate Simcox Rod Petersheim Song Leader Praise & Worship Chris Zimmerman Children's Church Kerry Harker Roth

Worship Hour ~ Tara Mayes & ■ Nursery Ministry

Rachael Zimmerman **Sunday School** ~ Ron & Rhoda Hershey

**** THIS WEEK ****

Hilltop News Deadline ~ Please share news of your Mon. church related activities or items of interest with

the rest of the congregation!

Ladies Fellowship & Bible Study ~ 9:30 AM Thurs.

> **LMC meeting** re proposal to withdraw from Mennonite Church USA: Elizabethtown Mennonite Church, 300 S. Spruce St. ~ 7:00 PM

**** UPCOMING EVENTS ****

Aug. 25 Book Discussion Group; book: The Orphan

Train ~ 7:00 PM

Ladies Prayer Breakfast at Rosalie Roland's home Sept. 5

104 Lavynndon Lane, Mech. 8:00 AM

Sept. 6 **College Student Welcome Luncheon**

Sept. 12 **Blood Drive** $\sim 10:00$ AM

Chicken BBO ~ 11:00 AM

Sept. 16 WNO (Wednesday Night Out) resumes ~ 5:45 PM

Sept. 19 **Men's Fellowship** at Sport's Emporium ~ 5:30 PM

Sept. 20 **Peace Sunday**

Oct. 4 **World Communion Sunday**

~ SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE ~

AUGUST SCHEDULE (FIRST FOUR SUNDAYS)

~ CHILDREN ~

Age 3 – Grade 3; Primary Classroom

Leaders: Rachael & Chris Zimmerman

Grade 4 – 8; Middler Classroom

Leaders: Volunteers

~ ADULTS ~

A class on Stewardship; Room 115

Coordinated by Slate Hill's Stewardship Commission

AUGUST 30 (FIFTH SUNDAY)

Hymn sing for all ages; Fellowship Hall

Coordinated by Linda Mininger & Chris Zimmerman

September 2015 ~ Regular Sunday School Classes will resume.

It's almost Back-to-School time! The MCC School Kit drive is in full swing. The following donations are being sought for each kit which will be given to dispersed people or those affected by disaster.

SCHOOL • 8 - unsharpened #2 pencils

supply •1 - large eraser •1 - box of 12 colored pencils •1 - plastic, ruler marked in centimeters and

Please place your donations in the designated box under the mailboxes. Thank you!



August 23, 2015 Worship 9:30AM

Prelude

Hymn #66 ~ O Worship the King

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Praise and Worship

Congregational Prayer

Offering (You are invited to place a stone at this time to represent a Connect, Engage, Relate experience)

MCC School Kit Update

Hymn #416 ~ For Christ and the Church

(Children ages 3-Grade 3 are dismissed for Children's Church: children 2 and under are always welcome in the nursery.)

Scripture ~ **Romans 10:9-17** (Page #1154 in the pew Bible)

Sermon ~ Relate ~ ~ Jov Fasick ~

Hymn #398 ~ I Love to Tell the Story

Benediction

Hymn #119 ~ Praise God From Whom

Fellowship Time ~ 10:45

Sunday School ~ 11:00

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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 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 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 with a fussy child can listen to the service, is available in the conference room to your left as you leave the sanctuary.
- Children 3 years of age thorough Grade 3 are dismissed prior to the sermon for **Children's Church** held downstairs each Sunday. Children will return to the sanctuary during the closing hymn.
- **Hearing magnifiers** are available at the sound booth for hearing impaired individuals.

Lancaster Menn. Conf. invites you to a regional meeting Thurs., Aug. 27, 7:00 PM, hosted by Elizabethtown Mennonite Church, 300 South Spruce Street, Elizabethtown. LMC invites your feedback on the proposal to withdraw as an area conference of Mennonite Church USA. Meet at Slate Hill at 6:10 PM if you wish to carpool or can take others.

Pastor Lynn and family are away this weekend. Please pray for travel safety.

Children's Church Leaders are needed! Teach children 3 years old through 3rd grade once every 5-6 weeks. Lesson plans available. Contact Sue Weigel at sueweigel@gmail.com or 737-6046 to volunteer or to learn more.

There are two upcoming events critical to the success of tech4Tanzania's work this year. Strong people with loving hearts are urgently needed on Thurs., Sept. 3 from 8:00 AM till noon and again on Thurs., Sept. 24 to prepare and load the shipping container for Tanzania. Contact Randy Barr at rw.barr@yahoo.com or 717-903-9698 for information.

Book Discussion Group ~ *The Orphan Train* will be the book discussed at the Aug. 25th meeting in the conference room at 7:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend whether or not you have read this book about one of our national historical events.

All women are invited to breakfast by the pool at the home of Rosalie Roland (104 Lavynndon Lane, Mech.) on Saturday, Sept. 5 at 8:00 a.m. Megan Myers will be leading the devotional. Bring your suit if you'd like to swim. Sign-up on the bulletin board and don't forget to invite a friend!

Calling all men and boys! Saturday evening, Sept. 19 is miniature golf night at the Sports Emporium for all Slate Hill men and boys. Male friends, neighbors and relatives are invited to join us for a great evening of fun, food and fellowship. Meet at the Sports Emporium at 5:30; tee time to commence shortly after. Please sign up on the bulletin board by Sept.13 if you plan to come. Any questions should be directed to Paul Zimmerman - pmzilz@gmail.com or 697-0896.

Beginning in September, one of the Sunday School classes will discuss the book, *Christian, Muslim, Friend* by David W. Shenk. If you wish to attend the class, please sign up at the bulletin board to reserve your personal copy of the book.

We want to feature a list of volunteers of Mennonite World Conference PA2015, in the **Connections Cabinet** in the vestibule. If you were involved in anyway please send your information to Bob Saline at <u>bsaline@prworksinc.com</u>. Information such as: John Eby – Communications Team Photographer. If you hosted guests please list your name and the names and the countries of origin of your guests.

Volunteers are needed for the Sept. 12 chicken BBQ. Please sign up at the bulletin board to assist with this mission fundraiser. Please spread the word, too, by picking up flyers and handing them out to friends, neighbors, and family. Thanks!

Offering Report

The General Fund offering Sunday, August 16, 2015 including net online contributions was \$7704.73. We need an average of \$8,426.73 each Sunday to meet our budget goal.

PRAYER REQUESTS



Health and Personal Concerns

- **†** Bill White
- **Bill Hitchens,** friend of the Leiters
- ₩ Mary Lou Good, mother of Dawn Shertzer
- **†** Butch Williamson
- **Frank and Violet Schafer**, brother and mother of Fran Leiter
- ♥ Ken Doll Sr.
- **George**, **Ron**, **Bob**, and **John**, friends of the Krugs
- **†** Jerry Williamson, brother of Butch
- **†** Roseann Sachs
- → Gwamaka Mwankenja (Eliezer's father)
- **†** Calvin Leiter and family relocating to France
- **Ronn**, brother-in-law of Maria Malay
- **†** Kalvin and Nancy Walter

Outreach & Missions

- ♣ Service Adventure
- tech4Tanzania
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- **†** Thriving Villages International
- → Wycliffe Bible Translators

Grief

- Tothero For friends and family of **Bud Follett**, uncle to Lisa
- For friends and family of **Bill**, Kate Ingle's brother For friends and family of **Judith Malay**, mother
- For friends and family of **Judith Malay**, mother of Bill Malay
- → For family and friends of Gershon Kinuthia Nganga, father of Margaret Widmer

Sr. High youth leaders are needed. Please contact Pastor Lynn if you willing to assist with this vital ministry.