

MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES

Ushers: Gene Musselman, Ella Roth, Isaiah Zercher, Ben Fasick & Julia Rioux

Prelude/Offertory Ellie Fasick

Worship Leader Lynn Shertzer

Song Leader Paul Zimmerman

Children's Church Eni Aroko & Sandy Crouse

Nursery Ministry **Worship Hour** ~ Amanda Rider & Sara Chubb

NO Sunday School

NO WNO this week

~ SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE ~

No Sunday School Today; please plan to join us again next week.



**Dec. 27, 2015
Worship 9:30AM**

Prelude

Hymn #212 ~ O Come, All Ye Faithful

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Hymn #196 ~ While Shepherds Watched

Hymn # 197 ~ Angels We Have Heard On High

Congregational Prayer

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

Hymn #199 ~ The First Noel, The Angel Did Say

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

Scripture ~ John 1:14-18 (Page #1079 in the pew Bible)

Sermon ~ Jesus: God and Human
~ Richard Mininger ~

Hymn #201 ~ Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Benediction

Hymn #119 ~ Praise God From Whom

**Fellowship Time ~ 10:45
NO Sunday School Today**

****** THIS WEEK ******

Fri. - Sun. Youth Retreat at Camp Hebron

****** UPCOMING EVENTS ******

Jan. 8-10 MYF Retreat at Camp Hebron

Jan. 9 Pizza & Movie Night at Cumberland Vista

Jan. 15 Ladies Fellowship & Bible Study ~ 9:30 AM

Jan. 13 Wednesday Night Out resumes ~ 5:45 PM

Jan. 31 NO Sunday School, Hymn Sing

Feb. 19-21 Women's Retreat at Camp Hebron

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Health and Personal Concerns

- † **Bill Weder**, friend of the Leiters
- † **Sharon Drawbaugh**, friend of Rachael Zimmerman
- † **Frank and Thelma Schafer**, brother and sister of Fran Leiter
- † **Gabby Baney**, friend of Chris Zimmerman family
- † **Sharon & family**, coworker of Tom Miller
- † **Darlene Fasick**
- † **Bill White**
- † **Mary Lou Good**, mother of Dawn Shertzer
- † **Ken Doll Sr.**
- † **Ronn**, brother-in-law of Maria Malay
- † **Nancy Walter**

Outreach & Missions

- † Service Adventure
- † tech4Tanzania
- † Thriving Villages International
- † WPGF Christian Radio
- † Wycliffe Bible Translators

Grief

- † For family and friends of **Keith Boyer**, friend of Kate Ingle
- † For family and friends of **Viola Weaver**, sister of Joe Weaver
- † For family and friends of **Tricia Coniglio**, cousin of Jen Musselman
- † For family and friends of **Ella S. Stauffer**, mother of Doug Stauffer
- † For family and friends of **Gershon Kinuthia Nganga**, father of Margaret Widmer

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.

There will be no Sunday School today. Please feel free to stay for snacks and fellowship after the worship service. May God richly bless you in the new year with His guiding presence and protection.

Thanks to all who participated in the Christmas Eve service and assisted with the subsequent dinner. It was a blessing and joyful night for many! Special thanks go to Yoomie and Rick Onelangsy who transformed the fellowship hall so beautifully for our Christmas Eve dinner.

Mennonite World Conference invites you to a **hymn sing of international songs** on January 24, 2016 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Forest Hills Mennonite Church (100 Quarry Rd., Leola, PA). Local musicians from the MWC Assembly (PA 2015) will be featured. If you have Assembly song books please bring them along as there will be limited song books available. An offering to support Mennonite World Conference will be taken.

Mission Opportunity ~ Plans are in the works to assist the Spanish Mennonite Council to build a church south of Mexico City in June 2016. Contact Pastor Lynn for more information.

Offering envelopes are available for your use if you do not donate electronically. Envelopes help keep your giving confidential yet allow us to more efficiently process your gift and provide receipts for your tax records. If you did not receive a box of envelopes in your mailbox but would like to have them, please contact Ben Myers (817-5577) or let someone in the office know. Thanks.

Offering Report

The General Fund offering for Sunday, December 20, 2015, including on line contributions was \$9,624.37. The new bus is paid in full and the old bus was sold for \$1,675. Current General Fund contributions this year, including December 20th offering, are **\$398,872.00**. Expenses by the end of the year are expected to be about **\$430,000.00**. In order to meet the expected obligation, we need a General Fund offering of **\$31,128** today.

Attendance last Sunday 203