

MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES

Ushers:	Gene Musselman, Ella Roth, Isaiah Zercher, Ben Fasick & Julia Rioux
Prelude & Offertory	Isaiah Zercher & Valerie Weaver Zercher
Worship Leader	Barb Springer
Song Leader	Paul Zimmerman
Praise & Worship	Ben Simcox
Children's Church	Jim Burkholder & Rindy Lamb
Nursery Ministry	Worship Hour ~ Brad Lamb & Sara Chubb Sunday School ~ Paul & Janet Zimmerman

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

Wed. **Walking Club** ~ Hampden Park - 5002
Hampden Park Dr., Mechanicsburg
~ 6:45PM

Thurs. **MCC Sewing Group** ~ 6:30 PM
Church Picnic at Lower Allen
Community Park ~ 4:30PM

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

Aug. 19 **Ladies Fellowship & Bible Study** ~
9:30AM

Aug. 27 **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** at
Brother's Restaurant ~ 8:00AM

Aug. 30 **Book Discussion Group** ~ 7:00PM
Welcome luncheon following Sunday
School for college students

Sept. 4 **Blood Drive** ~ 10:00AM
Chicken BBQ ~ 11:00AM

Sept. 10 **Wednesday Night Out** begins ~
5:45PM

Oct. 8-9 **Bicentennial Celebration &**
Luncheon

~ SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE ~

~ Adult Classes ~

International Sunday School Class

Leaders: Caleb Miller, Lamarr Widmer, and Randy Barr

Room 114

Discuss Today's Sermon

Leader: Myrna Eshleman

Room 115

Special Needs Class (1st Sunday of month)

~ Join those with special needs for singing, prayer and a skit.

Leader: Ulli Klemm

~ Children's Classes ~

Early Childhood (Ages 3-Grade 2)

Leaders: Chris & Rachael Zimmerman

Room 106

Middler (Grades 3-8)

Leaders: Ed White & Ben Simcox

Room 109

MYF (Grades 9-12)

Leaders: Jeff & Trang Rioux

Annex building



Start watching for those Back-to-School sales!

We are collecting donations again this year for the MCC School Kit drive running through the month of August and the first two Sundays of September. Kit contents remain the same: unsharpened #2 lead pencils with eraser; 70-page spiral bound, wide-ruled notebooks; package/12 colored pencils; large eraser; and flat, flexible plastic rulers marked in centimeters and inches. The current Wal-Mart and Target flyers have a special on notebooks for 17 cents and colored pencils at 97 cents so it is a good time to stock up.



August 7, 2016
Worship 9:30AM

Prelude

Hymn #36 ~ God of Our Strength

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Praise and Worship

Congregational Prayer

Special Music ~ Kara and Luisa Miller

Offering

Hymn #383 ~ God, Whose Giving

Hymn #387 ~ Lord, Thou dost Love

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

Scripture ~ Matthew 6:19-21; Malachi 3:10-12 (Pages 986 and 976 in the pew Bible)

Sermon ~ "Life Hacks"

Money

~ Lynn Shertzer ~

Hymn #91 ~ Praise to God, Immortal Praise

Benediction

Closing Hymn #119 ~ Praise God from Whom

Fellowship Time ~ 10:45

Sunday School ~ 11:00

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*Office Hours: Tuesday through Thursday ~ 9:00 - 4:30
Friday by appointment*

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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.

Wednesday Walking Club ~ Your host this week will be Hope Alexander. Meet at the Mechanicsburg Hampden Park located at 5002 Hampden Park Dr. around 6:45PM to explore the park's macadam paths.

The **MCC Sewing group** will meet this Thursday, August 11th from 6:30-9:00PM; come as your schedule permits. *Non-sewers, you are invited to join us* as we can use your help to insert drawstrings into kit bags or cut squares for comforters. Sewers, please bring your portable sewing machine.

Picnic Time! Come out this Saturday to experience lots of good food, fellowship, and fun. Bring two large dishes to share and all your own table service. Water will be available to drink. Bring extra chairs if you'd like to venture away from the pavilion. You are welcome to bring sport and entertainment gear as well. Meet at the Lower Allen Park at 4:30PM; the meal will be served promptly at 5:30 so please have your food there before then so everyone can enjoy it.

Dad Connection is a scripture-based approach to assist dads of all ages become Fathers of Blessing to their children. For 12 Monday evenings from August 29 through mid-November, we will be exploring and experiencing what it means to become a Father of Blessing. The materials include: A Dad Connection Participant's manual, a copy of *The Transforming Path* by Dr. Terry Wardle and *A More Excellent Way, A Journal of Personal Growth*. Expect approximately 15 to 30 minutes of preparation each week. The cost for materials is \$75. Scholarship funding is available if needed.

The program will be held at the Mechanicsburg Brethren in Christ Church from 6:30-8:30PM. Contact Lyndon Hess for more information at lyhess85@gmail.com or 919-8135.

Special Slate Hill Celebration ~ We are planning a celebration on Saturday and Sunday, October 8 and 9 to commemorate the bicentennial of the first church building on these grounds. Please save the dates on your calendar so you can be part of the celebration! A potluck luncheon will be held after Sunday School on the 9th.

The Church Board, on the recommendation of the Elder Team, has approved supporting Chris Zimmerman's participation in the three-year **STEP program** (Studying and Training for Effective Pastoral Ministry) beginning this fall. The program is a joint partnership between Lancaster Conference and Eastern Mennonite University. We will commission Chris on August 21st. Pray for Chris and his family as he begins his studies.

Check the display table by the stairs for opportunities to assist the **HAIS program** to help new refugees settling in PA. If you have further questions, please check with Danielle Hawley or Debra Ehrhart.

The General Fund offering including net on line contributions on Sunday, July 24, 2016 was \$6,625.82 and on July 31, 2016 it was \$6,836.03. To meet our budget goal, we need an average of **\$8,508.00** per Sunday.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Health and Personal Concerns

- † **Lisa**, friend of Kathy Krug
- † **Travis Miller**, son of Evie Miller (grandson of Agnes Hertzler)
- † **Elizabeth Rockwell**, goddaughter of Kirk & Lorraine Kobold
- † **Ira & Erma Sollenberger**
- † **Sing Saengdy**
- † **Jimmy Leaman & daughter Ashley** of Camp Hebron
- † **Milly Wert** of Camp Hebron
- † **William Weder** and family, friends of the Leiters
- † **Thelma Schafer** and family, sister of Fran Leiter
- † **Mary Lou Good**, mother of Dawn Shertzer
- † **Nancy Walter**

Outreach & Missions

- † Brethren Housing Association (BHA)
- † Bridge of Hope
- † Camp Hebron campers this week and staff
- † Christina Hershey Ministry Internship
- † Coalition for Christian Outreach



All women are invited to breakfast by the pool at the home of Rosalie Roland (104 Lavynndon Lane, Mech.) on Saturday, Aug. 27th at 8:00 a.m. Danielle Hawley 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!