

MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES

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

Prelude & Offertory Valerie Weaver-Zercher & Julia Rioux

Worship Leader Lynn Shertzer

Song Leader Joy Fasick

Praise & Worship Chris Zimmerman

Children's Church Megan Myers & Amanda Musselman

Nursery Ministry **Worship Hour** ~ Holly Myers & Rachael Zimmerman
Sunday School ~ Bonnie Lehman & Joy Fasick

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

Sat. Men's Fellowship Breakfast at
 Brother's Restaurant ~ 8:00AM

Ladies Breakfast by the Pool at
 Rosalie Roland's home - 104
 Lavynndon Lane, Mech. ~
 8:00AM

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

Sept. 2 Ladies Fellowship & Bible Study ~
 9:30-11:30AM

Sept. 4 College Student Welcome Luncheon
 following the worship service

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

Sept. 16 Ladies Fellowship & Bible Study ~
 9:30-11:30AM

Sept. 14 Wednesday Night Out begins ~
 5:45PM

Sept. 27 Book Discussion Group ~ 7:00PM
Oct. 8-9 Bicentennial Celebration Weekend

~ 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. Currently, Staples, Target, and Wal-Mart all have a special on notebooks for 17 cents and colored pencils at 97 cents so it is a good time to stock up.



August 21, 2016
Worship 9:30AM

Prelude

Praise and Worship

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Congregational Prayer

Hymn #416 ~ For Christ and the Church

Offering

Commissioning of Chris Zimmerman; STEP

Hymn # 102 ~ To God be the Glory

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

Scripture ~ Isaiah 40:6-11; 1 Peter 1:17-25 (Page #s 739 & 1232 in the pew Bible)

Sermon ~ Older than Time, New Every Morning
~ Mark Wenger ~

Hymn #327 ~ Great is thy Faithfulness

Benediction

Closing Hymn ~ Praise God from Whom

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

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 Friday by appointment

Lynn Shertzer, Pastor (lynn_shertzer@verizon.net)
 Joy Fasick, Associate Pastor of Community Life
 Fran Leiter, Administrative Assistant



PRAYER REQUESTS

Health and Personal Concerns

- † **Bill White**
- † **Thongsy Onelangsy**, mother of Rick Onelangsy
- † **Sing Saengdy**
- † **Lisa**, friend of Kathy Krug
- † **Elizabeth Rockwell**, goddaughter of Kirrk & Lorraine Kobold
- † **Ira & Erma Sollenberger**
- † **Jimmy Leaman & daughter Ashley** 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

- † Service Adventure
- † tech4Tanzania
- † Thriving Villages International
- † WPGA Christian Radio
- † Wycliffe Bible Translators
- † Chris Zimmerman, STEP

Praise

- † **Travis Miller**, son of Evie Miller, is recovering remarkably well.

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.

Attendance last Sunday..... 163

Men's Prayer Breakfast – All men and boys are welcome to gather at Brothers Restaurant for good fellowship, food and sharing on Saturday morning, August 27 at 8:00. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you plan to attend. Get in touch with Dave Bauman if you have any questions.

Today is the last day the **HIAS** display table will be available to make donations to assist Syrian refugees. Please contact Debra Ehrhart or Danielle Hawley with any questions.

The August **Book Discussion Group** meeting has been cancelled. The selected book for August will be discussed at the September meeting.

On Sunday, Sept. 4, we will have a potluck luncheon following the worship service to **welcome college students**. Everyone is invited to attend; please bring one large hot and one cold dish to share. Take this opportunity to introduce yourself and welcome new and returning students to our church family.

BBQ Time! Please sign up to help with the Sept. 10th Chicken BBQ. Volunteers are needed Friday night and for various times on Saturday. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board outside the nursery.

Slate Hill connects interested youth with mentors beginning in grade six. If you are entering sixth grade - or a higher grade but do not currently have a mentor - and would like to learn more, please contact Joy Fasick at jfasick@comcast.net.

Attention all artists, painters, sketchers and doodlers. Are you interested in lending your skills to a special art project for our congregational bicentennial? Contact Chris Zimmerman for more information at mburgchris@yahoo.com or call or text him at (717)364-9344.

Offering Report

The General Fund offering including net online contributions on Sunday, August 14 2016 was \$7993.17. To meet our budget goal, we need an average of **\$8,508.00** per Sunday to meet our budget goal.

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 through 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.

Mark R. Wenger is Director of Pastoral Studies at EMU's Lancaster campus and Seminary. He also is the Director of the STEP program. He pastored for more than 18 years in Pennsylvania and Virginia. Mark and his wife, Kathy, attend Groffdale Mennonite Church, where Kathy is one of the pastors. They have two young adult daughters, Regina and Charlotte.

Today, and next Sunday, you can get help in the Fellowship Hall during snack time and Sunday School to **apply for clearances to assist with children's ministries**. Look for seated volunteers with their laptops. If you have any questions, please check with Tara Hess.

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!