



Souderton Mennonite Church

The Table *Where Christ is Made Known*

1/21/2018

Preservice Songs: "Everyday", "Take My Life"

9:30am

SJ#4, "You've Got a Place"

Welcome & Call to Worship ~ *Pastor Jen Eriksen Morales*

"Open Up the Heavens"

"Lift High the Name of Jesus"

"All Hail the Name of Jesus"

Time of Greeting Each Other

Children's Story ~ *Sarah Scorzetti*

Congregational Prayer ~ *Pastor Tim Bentsch*

Offering: "Come to the Table"

Children ages 3 to Kindergarten are invited to Children's Church

Scripture Reading: Luke 14:7-24 & Hebrews 13:1-2 ~ *Ron & Cory Alderfer*

Message: "Making Space for Others" ~ *Pastor Tim*

"Build Your Kingdom Here"

Benediction

Following our service, members of our Prayer Team are available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you.

Sunday School for all ages will begin at 10:50am. Stop by the Welcome Table for a listing of our classes and their locations.

SMC Nursery Care is available each Sunday morning during Worship and Sunday School. Loving caregivers will be in the Toddlers Nursery each week to care for your infants-3 years old. Our church service is now being shown live in the nursery for our children and caregivers to stay connected. Stop by and check it out!



Table Pictures Needed: In our sermon series we are talking about how we can encounter Christ when we gather together to fellowship around the table. As you gather around the table with your family, church friends and neighbors, take a picture and send it to us. At the end of the series we will show the pictures and see all the ways we have gathered!

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Youth Auction & Dinner

Saturday, January 27th ~ Fellowship Hall

5:00 - 6:00 pm ~Dinner made and served by our Sr. High Youth
5:00 - 7:30 pm ~Silent Auction
6:30 - 8:30 pm ~Child Care Available (age 2 to grade 5) by our Jr. High Youth
6:30 - 9:00 pm ~Live Auction

Sunday, January 28, 2018

Mission Sunday with guest speaker Anita Lyndaker-Studer, Executive Director at Oxford Circle Christian Community Development Association.

Kids (and adults!) remember to bring your Mission Banks for the offering.

Everyone is welcome to have a Mission Bank (extras banks are by the mailboxes.)

Fellowship Potluck Lunch after Sunday School. Please bring a dish to share. (Food can be dropped off in the kitchen before church.)

Saturday, February 3, 2018

SMC Marriage Ministry hosts: The Great Date Night with Mark Cable at 6:30pm.

An evening to laugh-out-loud and a relationship strengthening experience through music, comedy, biblical truths and real life stories. \$20 a couple includes a delicious dessert buffet. Signup in the main lobby.



Sunday, February 4, 2018

Hymn Sing led by Pastor Tim at 3pm in the Sanctuary.

Thursday, February 15, 2018

Senior Luncheon (ages 65+) at noon in the Fellowship Hall

Saturday, February 17, 2018 ~ 8am

Men's Breakfast at the Family Heritage Restaurant with guest speaker Todd Magnum from Biblical Seminary. (Suggested donation for breakfast is \$12).

Sunday, February 18, 2018

Concert at 3pm in the Sanctuary with Josh Bouillon (tenor) and Adam Szokolay (piano)

**WRITERS
WANTED**

Calling all writers! - check out the table in the lobby for scriptures that you can write about to help create our 2017 Lenten Devotional. It's a good way to share our stories with each other .

Please email your written devotion to Bev Miller by February 5!
bkmillier4161@gmail.com

Service Opportunities



Our MCC Project of the month is dark or light colored medium weight hand or bath towels. Place donated items on the table at the mission wall.

Join our LIBRARY Ministry Team: Could you help with any of the following tasks?

Contact Diane Detweiler (pddetweiler@gmail.com)

1. PROCESSING CHECK IN/CHECK OUT OF MATERIALS
2. STRAIGHTENING SHELVES – Once a month?
3. PROCESSING NEW MATERIALS
Computer work: Entering new material in the system & printing labels
Covering soft and hard cover books
Either task once learned can be done from home
Purging old materials from the shelves, system & taking for donation
4. DECORATING FOR THE SEASONS

SMC Video & Sound Tech Teams:

Are you interested in sound and video? Join the TEAM! SMC is looking for those who would like to operate the computer projection system , sound system or our new video recording system for worship services on Sunday mornings. Help make our worship services and teams look and sound great. Training is provided. Please contact Phil Detweiler if you are interested. 723-3088 x102 or facilities@soudertonmennonite.org

**YOUNG
ADULTS**

Accepting applications for 2018 Summer Interns! VAM (Vocation as Mission) is seeking young adults who want to gain valuable experience

in their field of study as well as in community service, leadership training, and building relationships in & outside of the local church. This opportunity is a partnership between churches in Franconia and Eastern District Conferences and is open to ANY interested college students. VAM, is an **8 week paid internship** that runs from early June through the end of July. Contact Jenifer Eriksen Morales at 215-723-3088.

Statistics for Sunday, January 14, 2018

Worship Attendance ~ 310

MEP ~\$ 3,109 ❖ Missions ~ \$580 ❖ General Fund~ \$13,801

This week at a glance...

Sunday, January 21

Message by Pastor Tim Bentsch

8:15 to 9am

Prayer Gathering

9:30am

Worship Service

10:50am

Congregational Meeting, Fellowship Hall
***Children ages 4 - grade 5 meet in the Gym**



5 to 7pm

Pickleball, *WSSC*

Monday, January 22

7pm

Women's Walking Group, *Main Entrance*

Tuesday, January 23

7 to 10pm

Young Adult Volleyball, *WSSC*

Wednesday, January 24

Community Meal

6 to 6:45pm ~ Fellowship Hall

Mac & Cheese, Veggie, Salad and Desserts

Hosted by the Sojourners Sunday School Class

7 to 8pm

Clubs (age 3 to 5th grade), *Children's Dpt.*

7 to 8pm

Youth (6 to 12th), *Youth Center*

7 to 8pm

Unique Women Hang Out, *Nook*

7 to 8pm

Men's Bible Study, *Pastor Tim's office & Rm 301*

7 to 8pm

Women's Bible Study, *Rm 119*

7 to 8:30pm

Adult Choir Practice, *Choir Room*

Thursday, January 25

6:30 to 7:30pm

Dementia Support Group, *Connections Cafe*

7:30 to 9pm

Men's Over-40 Basketball, *WSSC*

Saturday, January 27

5pm

Youth Dinner & Auction Fundraiser, *Fellowship Hall*

Sunday, January 28

Mission Sunday

Message by Anita Lyndaker-Studer

8:15 to 9am

Prayer Gathering

9:30am

Worship Service

10:50am

Sunday School for all ages

12pm

Fellowship Potluck Meal, *Fellowship Hall*

Please bring a dish to share.



5 to 7pm

Pickleball, *WSSC*

SMC
Office Hours

Monday (Closed) Tues - Thurs 8:30 am to 4:00 pm
Friday - 8:30 am to 12:30pm
215-723-3088 ❖ www.soudertonmennonite.org



January 10 – March 14, 2018

Community Meal: 6:00 to 6:45 PM

1/10– Tater Tot Casserole, Salad, Applesauce & Desserts

1/17– Chicken & Stuffing, Veggies, Salad & Desserts

1/24– Mac & Cheese, Veggies, Salad & Desserts

1/31– Meatball Subs, Veggies, Chips, Salad & Desserts

2/7– Ham, Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad & Desserts

2/14– Chicken, Potatoes, Carrots, Salad & Desserts

2/21– Hamburgers, Fries, Veggies, Salad & Desserts

2/28– Lasagna, Veggie, Salad, Bread & Desserts

3/7– Egg Casseroles, Fruit Salad & Desserts

3/14– Taco Salad & Desserts

WEDNESDAY SMC's Night

January 10 - March 14, 2018

- Community Meal** (Fellowship Hall) 6-6:45pm
- Youth Activities** (Youth Center) 7-8pm
For grades 6-12
- Boy's, Girl's, & PK Club** (Children's Dept.) 7-8pm
For ages 4 - 5th grade
- Unique Women Hang-Out** (Nook) 7-8pm
Young Women with differing abilities
- Women's Bible Study** (Room 119) 7-8pm
"Who is this God that we worship?" We're looking at the character of God as revealed by God's names (specifically in the New Testament).
- Men's Bible Study** (Pastor Tim's office/Rm 301) 7-8pm
Studying the topic: Every Man a (Spiritual) Warrior.
- Adult Choir Practice** (Choir Room) 7-8:30 pm
- Divorce Care** (Connections Café) **Feb 7 - May 2** 7-8:30pm
Support, counsel & encouragement to people who have been through the pain of divorce or are separated from their spouse.
- Narcotics Anonymous** (Room 305/307) 7pm