

THE SCHOENBRUNN SCROLL



June 2018

Schoenbrunn Community Moravian Church

“Christ called, Christ centered, Christ sent ... Loving all.”

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2018 Congregational Watchword –

“I know my God, that you search the heart, and take pleasure in uprightness.”
1 Chronicles 29:17

We spend a lot of time in the church discussing if we are Mary’s or Martha’s. The truth is there would be no church without Martha’s, because they find a way to get things done. I think we can all be empathetic with Martha’s willingness to focus on the task at hand. Luke 10:40 said, “But Martha was distracted by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, “Lord, don’t you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!”

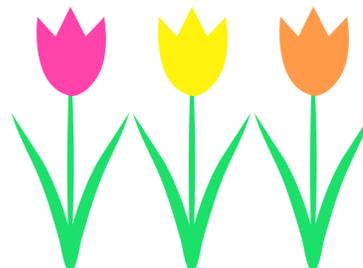
I appreciate how often many people in our congregation step up and help us accomplish our tasks. It feels like every couple weeks we are seeking volunteers to help with a quarter auction, a card party, Strawberry Festival, or rummage sale. I know donating or cooking food is not the most glamorous task in the life of the church, but I want you to know that your help does not go unnoticed or unappreciated. It is those Martha tasks that allow us to participate and fund some of our important Mary ministries in the life of the church.

The important thing is that when we do so many of those Martha tasks that we do not lose sight of the very reason we are doing them in the first place. For if we do not take time to rest, renew, and reflect on all the wonderful thing God is doing in our own life, then spiritual burnout is only inevitable (Or at the very least we lose the gift of being a cheerful giver).

Are we called to be a Mary or Martha? We should not look at this as an either or question, but rather as an opportunity to encapsulate the best of both personalities into our discipleship of Christ. We should be willing to be the hands and feet of Christ as Martha was and we should take the time for spiritual renewal as Mary did. This will ensure that we serve God with our body, mind, and soul. Amen

Pastor Ben

REMINDER: Submit July Newsletter
information before **June 24th**



Prayers of the Faithful from May

"First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone." 1 Timothy 2.1



For all families and churches of Tuscarawas County (Sunday); for the ministries of our Eastern District and Northern Province (Monday); for the shared work of the worldwide Moravian Unity (Tuesday); for all who risk their lives for the gospel (Wednesday); for refugees and victims of terror around the world (Thursday) and for those who work to provide shelter, healing, and peace (Friday); for all those impacted by Hurricane Harvey & for all our mission trip teams assisting people in need (Saturday).

Military & Families: Adam Porter, Bret Penik, Evan Toyberg.

Healing, Comfort and Peace: Ted Canfield, Jim Harrison, Janet Jenkins, The Spies Family, Joyce, Mike Koenig, Jane Martin, McKenna Cannon, Jim Shaffer, Chuck Storrie, David Norman, Denise Ralston, Warren Toyberg, Jackson, Willie Gardner, Caeden Buzzeo, Jackson, , Nathan Zinzer, Jacob Bonnell, Robbie, Sam, Scott Levensgood, Linda Bonnell, Rick Swaldo, John Potts, Dave Andreatta, Clara Gorby, Charlie Elkins, Jeff Edwards, Mary Simmons, Marie Smith, Dale Baker, Sherry Heath, Jackie Pasquinelli, Katelyn Kinsey, Larry Burns, Sarah Blakeley, Beulah Hensel, Emily Settle, Jim Eichel, Eleanor Settle, James Stafford, Joe Northrop.

Families Bereaved: Jay Weaknecht, David Weinlick, Luanne Gold.

Homebound: Lynne Capretta (Northwoods).

Prayer Chain: Please call Vickie Eichel at 330-340-0694 or 330-3654-1357 or Dalene Swinderman at 330-343-8122 if you would like the prayer chain to join you in prayer for yourself or someone close to you.

Knee-Mail: If you would like to receive, via email, the prayer requests that are being attended to by our church's

"We are Christ Called" We Grow Together in Faith

Ruth Circle— First Monday (unless otherwise noted) at 6:00 PM at Bob Evans in New Philadelphia. All women and men are welcome. **This month will be June 4th.**

Women's Fellowship Breakfast—Third Saturday at 9:00 AM at The Mill in New Philadelphia. Come and Bring a Friend! This month it is on June 16th.

In Good Company—The Bible study is meeting on June 16th. They normally meet on the third Saturday of the month.

Lunch Bunch—

June 3— Buehler's

June 10— Hospice Spaghetti Dinner @ Elks

June 17— Manor

June 24— Park St. Pizza



Birthday/Anniversary Cake Sign-up



Sign up is at the bottom of the stairs in the narthex. Cakes are \$42.00. Specify type preferred or that you plan to provide your own.

Birthdays

Jackie Pasquinelli—06/02

Cheryl Kadri—06/18

Alana Bennington—06/21

Tammy Stafford—06/22

Martha Dalcoma—06/24

Janet West—06/26

Rick Swaldo—06/29

Anniversaries

Tom & Jean-Anne Baker—06/07

David & Janet Jenkins—06/14

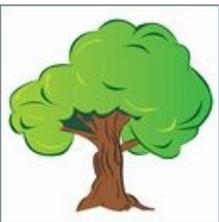
Ron & Missy Martin—06/29

ELDER REPORT: NEXT MEETING: May 21st @ 7p.m.

Elders Meeting Summary: We discussed worship feedback, community feedback, building use request, communion change, Elder of the Month assistance – Letticia will be up front June 3 and Becky will be up front June 24. The blessing of animals will be during VBS on Thursday, July 19. The next Second Mile Offering will be on July 29 and go toward the Camp Scholarships. We discussed Town Hall Feedback and that the next confirmation class will be in 2019. Pastor Ben has requested 5 vacation days for May 31, June 3-6. We discussed pulpit supply (June 3 – Rev. Bill Rinderknecht, June 24 – TBA, July 22 – Rev. Denny Rohn, August 26 – TBA), Cares & Prayers monthly meeting (next meeting is June 7), and Spiritual Book Club. The Moravian Book Store in Bethlehem will be sold to Moravian College and be run by Barnes & Noble. Pulpit swap will be August 19 and Pastor Ben will be at Dover First and Rev. Bill Surber will be at Schoenbrunn. We discussed unexpected visitors and possibly providing a blessing bag with a few items and a list of where they can find help.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT: Next Meeting: Wednesday, Jun 6th 7:00 PM. VBS Planning Meeting 6-7 p.m. on Wednesday June 6th

CEC Meeting Summary: At the May 2nd meeting we discussed curriculum for the 2018-19 Sunday School year. Look for at least a couple of classes to use the NEW "Living Branches" program written by Marie Coutts and Rev. Denny Rohn. After reviewing the Youth Group survey results, we have decided to continue focusing on individual events like Movie Nights and Game Nights, which can include all ages. We also chose a Sunday School Christmas program for this year - more details to come in the fall!



This summer's Vacation Bible School theme is "Creation" and anyone interested in helping or learning more is invited to attend a **VBS planning meeting Wednesday June 6th from 6-7 PM** in Fellowship Hall. Child/youth care policies are being re-written and will be submitted to the Board of Elders for approval.

Sunday School: Sunday school is currently on hiatus until the 2018-19 school year begins. We have classes for all ages at 9:15 AM Sunday mornings: Deep Blue for kids in Pre-K - 6th grade (Angie Miller & McKenna Cannon); Videos that Teach for 7th grade and up (Becky Canfield & Jacob Cannon); Bible Study (Paula Drumm) and Contemporary & Seasonal Studies (Pastor Ben Lippert & Carolyn Menapace) for adults. Nursery is available but not staffed during the Sunday School hour, please see Carolyn Mena-

pace if nursery staff would be helpful to your family.

Joyful Noise offering: A loose change offering will be received in March/April to support Tar Hollow.

TRUSTEE REPORT: NEXT MEETING: Wed., June 13 @ 7p

Trustees Meeting Summary: The trustees met on May 9th. The Trustees discussed ideas for future craft shows and how to attract more vendors. A sign-up sheet for the strawberry festival was distributed. Barry Hunn was selected to review the financial books. A request was granted to sell chips for Operation Christmas Child at other church events. The painting of the parking lot took place on Friday May 11th. Options were discussed to raise money for the camp scholarship fund, which is getting low.

Scrip Report: Scrip orders are collected on the SECOND Sunday or order online anytime. Scrip order profit was \$100.22

Electronic Giving: Contact our financial secretary, Paula Drumm, for more information or download an application from our website (scmchurch.org) and mail it to the church.

JOINT BOARD REPORT: NEXT MEETING: June 13th @ 6:30

Joint Board Meeting Summary: no meeting in May.

WOMEN'S BOARD REPORT: NEXT MEETING:

The Ruth Circle is planning a day trip to the Victorian House Museum in Millersburg for June 12, this is open to all women of the church. We will be meeting at 11:00 am at the church to carpool, and stopping for lunch on the way. The women's board will be spring cleaning the kitchen Saturday June 16th @ 9 a.m. The men are welcome to come and help with outdoor work.



Operation Christmas Child: We are selling Correll's potato chips to pay for postage for our boxes. They sell for \$3.29 in the store, but we will be selling them for \$2.50. Any questions contact Floyd or Dalene Swinderman 330-343-8122. A big thank you to all who helped out!

Attendance Info:

April Average Worship (61)

February Average Sunday School (26)

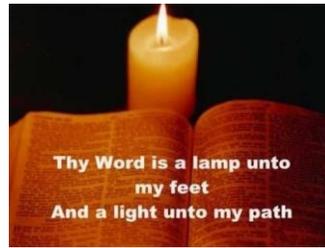
Financial Info (as of) April 2018

YTD Income- \$22,285.96

YTD Expenses- \$31,356.71

“We are Christ Centered”

“Your Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path” (Psalm 119:1-5 NRSV).



Sunday June 3-Second Sunday of Pentecost

I delight to do your will, O my God; your law is within my heart--Psalm 40:8
Deuteronomy 5:12-15, Psalm 81:1-10, 2 Corinthians 4:5-12, Mark 2:23- 3:6

Sunday June 10– Third Sunday of Pentecost

Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications--Psalm 130:2
Genesis 3:8-15, Psalm 130, 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1, Mark 3:20-35

Sunday June 17– Fourth Sunday of Pentecost * Holy Communion**

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O Most High--Psalm 92:1
Ezekiel 17:22-24, Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15, 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, Mark 4:26-34

Sunday June 24– Fifth Sunday of Pentecost

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever-- Psalm 107:1
Job 38:1-11, Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32, 2 Corinthians 6:1-13, Mark 4:35-41

Stay tuned to our Facebook page for our next Youth Bible Study date!



The last Sunday of every month the kids are encouraged to bring in a toy from home and Pastor Ben has to try to teach his children’s lesson based on the objects they bring. It’s a lot of fun for the children and adults! Bring your toys on June 24th!

**Where Doors and Hearts are
Open to All
Schoenbrunn Community Moravian Church
Worship 10:30 AM**

Greeters

- 3- Mary Ann Creal
- 10- Dalene and Floyd Swinderman
- 17- Millie Weston & Jean-Anne Baker
- 24- Dalcoma's

Ushers

- 3- Millie Weston & Aimee Pasquinelli
- 10- Leslie & Colton Kornis
- 17- Terry Bonnell & Don Shanower
- 24- Jim Shaffer & Aimee Pasquinelli

Nursery

- 3- Letticia and Madison Wright
- 10- Paula Drumm and Jacob Cannon
- 17- Erica Hansen-Stafford and Katy Rabes
- 24- McKenna Cannon and Chloe Martin

Friendly
Reminders

The church office will be sending out reminders to the volunteers who have signed up to help with this ministry.



Would you like to place flowers in the sanctuary in memory of or in honor of someone? Please use the forms which are available at the bottom of the stairs to order flowers or reserve a date to bring your own.

Please direct any questions to Linda Karcher.

Worship Recordings: Homebound or out of town? You can download and listen to our entire worship service online. Visit our website (scmchurch.org) and click on the links titled: Download our Messages.



**Around our Church and Moravian
Community**

June 1st- CEC Movie Night 7pm

June 4th- Ruth Circle

June 7th- Uhrichsville Dinner on the Run

Cares and Prayers, 1:30p

June 8th- Kids Night Out @ Sharon

June 9th- Strawberry Festival 4pm-7pm

June 10th- Texas Mission Trip freewill brunch @ Dover, followed by commissioning service

June 11th- Brown Bags & Big Ideas

June 16th- Women's breakfast

Time for SCMC annual **garage sale** on **Fri. June 22 8a-4p** and **Sat.**

June 23 8a-2p. Set up starts after the Strawberry Festival ends June 9th. Bring your donations and put



them out on the tables. No need to price anything. **We will need help** with setup any time during the two weeks of setup, as well as workers for both days of the sale (especially after 1pm Saturday to clean up) and will need workers and food donations for the lunch stand on both days. Please call Vickie Eichel, Linda Bonnell or Becky Shanower with any questions.

Vacation Bible School starts on **Sunday, July 15** and



will run from 6-7:30pm during the week, with a Blessing of the Animals on Thursday, and Family Movie Night on Friday. This year's theme is **Created for a Purpose**, and the Mission project will be the Tuscarawas County Humane Society. Please see a CEC member or the church Facebook page for information about registration, or for more ways to help support our kids at VBS!

“We are Christ Sent ... Loving All” Our Partners in Ministry

Compass

Sexual Assault Crisis Line is 330-339-1427.

Friends of the Homeless Shelter

Regular volunteer training is available. Call 330-602-6100 for information and to register.

Community Hospice

Hospice welcomes your Gifts and Service: Office Volunteers; Respite Care Volunteers (for families); Delivery Volunteers (supplies) Volunteer Training. Contact Vicki Indorf at 330-343-7605.

SCMC @ Dover/NP Food Pantry

Volunteers are needed to help clients with grocery shopping and loading from 5:30 PM– 8:00 PM (or until all are served).

Moravian Food Delivery for the Dover/NP Food Pantry

SCMC delivers on the first Thursday of the month. Floyd Swinderman is SCMC Coordinator.

Cares and Prayers

Cares and Prayers is a new ministry we started at our church. We will meet **Thursday June 7th** from 1:30 p.m- 3:30 p.m. in the church office. Come join us for fellowship, snacks, and prayers for our loved ones. For the summer months we have decided to meet once a month



Looking for volunteers to help the first Thursday of each month to deliver food to people who are not able to go to the Dover-Phila Food Pantry. It should only take about an hour of your time. Usually the truck is at the pantry and they have the boxes packed and ready to go by 2:30 or 3:00. Please think about this. It is very rewarding to know you have helped someone that cannot do for themselves! Please let me know if you can help. Thank you, Floyd Swinderman



Pastor Ben will be holding **regular drop-in office hours** on Mondays from 1:30-4 pm, and on Thursdays from 9-11:30 am. Appointments can also be made for other times by calling/texting 920-342-4394, or by emailing pastor@scmchurch.org.



Pastor Ben will be on vacation from May 30th– June 6th. Please contact one of the Elders with any pastoral care concerns during that time.



Church Website –

<http://scmchurch.org>

Facebook – [https://](https://www.facebook.com/scmcpoh/)

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Reminders – Would you like to be notified of upcoming events via

text? The church has set up the Remind App for text updates (the same app that is used in many schools). To sign up, please text **@schoenbru** to the number **81010**

Thanks to all who came out to Sweep the Streets this year! All the help was greatly appreciated!

- Floyd and Dalene



News from Eastern District / Northern Province

- Sister Melissa Johnson has accepted the call to serve Advent Moravian in Bethlehem. She will be installed on June 17th. Please be in prayer for Palmer Moravian Church in Easton, PA as they enter the call process. Please be in prayer for Melissa, her family, and Advent Moravian as they all transition.
- Brother Mike Eder will be retiring from his call in Chaska, MN on April 30th. We thank him for his service. Please be in prayer for the Chaska congregation!
- Sister Mary Lou Plummer retired from her call to Wisconsin Rapids Moravian on Sunday May 20th.
- Brother James Heroux has accepted the call to Freedom Moravian Church (Freedom, WI) . He will begin his call after he graduates from seminary in May and is ordained.
- You can view the Eastern District mission blast at: <http://moravianmission.org/missionblast/>



A big thank you to everyone who donated money or teddy bears to this ministry, and to Kira Rossi for bringing it to us as a community!

News from Ohio Moravian Churches

- **Dinner on the Run** at Uhrichsville Moravian. Thursday, June 7th from 4-6:00 PM pick up your dinner - only \$8 for a homemade ham loaf dinner with parsley potatoes, green beans, roll, and dessert! Pre-ordering is not required, but you may call ahead to ensure availability: 740-922-0886.



- **Kids' Night Out** at Sharon Moravian on Friday, May 11th from 6-8:30 PM (grades 2-6).



- Join us on **June 10th** directly following worship for a freewill brunch and pie auction at **Dover First**, followed by a commissioning service for our Texas mission trip team.

