

THE SCHOENBRUNN SCROLL



October– November 2021

Schoenbrunn Community Moravian Church

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

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Baker and Missy Martin

Trustee of the Month October: Paula
Drumm

Elder of the Month November: Missy Martin
and Jean-Anne Baker

Trustee of the Month November: Doug Mil-
ler

REMINDER: Submit December– January info
by **November 21st**

2021 Congregational Watchword –

“The LORD gives sight to the blind, the LORD lifts up those who are
bowed down, the LORD loves the righteous.” Psalm 146:8

Greetings Schoenbrunn Family,

Fall is upon us. It has always been a favorite season in our house-
hold and even more with the fall colors and rolling hills that make Tusca-
rawas County beautiful during the Autumn season.

Be intentional this fall about witnessing the majestic beauty creat-
ed by God. When you drive by Schoenbrunn Village and see the leaves
change on the historic cabins, give thanks to God. When you see your kids
and grandkids involved with football, soccer, or band, give thanks to God.
When you have your first splash of pumpkin spice or hot chocolate and
feel cozy in your favorite sweater on a cool fall night, give thanks to God.

We as a church will give thanks to God for the many activities we
are still able to participate in despite this COVID-19 pandemic. We are
proud to participate in our day of service on October 10th at Schoenbrunn
Village, with all the other churches in the Valley. We will have different
Sunday School opportunities for people in the village from 9 a.m.- 10
a.m., worship from 10:00-10:30 in the Village chapel, and different service
projects people can sign up for from 10:30- Noon. You can also choose to
bring your own meal to eat at the Village after the projects are complet-
ed. Masks are required at Schoenbrunn Village.

We as a joint board also wanted to extend a big thank you to the
congregation. In September, we have paid off our Provincial and District
assessments for the year! That is all because of your faithful stewardship
and the quick action of our treasurer Jackie Pasquinelli to get us PPL
grants during the pandemic. Usually, we spend this time of year asking
people to step up their game, but this last quarter we can focus our ener-
gy and effort on our furnace/ air conditioning fundraising. We already
have over \$3,500. It would be great to keep that number rising as we
await to hear if our grant request from the Larger Life Foundation has
been approved. Well done good and faithful servants!

This pandemic has been tough on us all, but we have many re-
minders that God is still doing marvelous things among our people.

Blessings,

Pastor Ben

Prayers of the Faithful from August-September

"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, Kyle Springer, Nathan Zinser, Anna Sandoval, Carter Baker.

Healing, Comfort, and Peace: Rita Keller, Justin Miller, Doug Miller, Angie Miller, Carol Fantine, Scott Edwards, David McKinney, Carol Messinger, Bob Lippert, Amanda Lippert, Bill Karcher, Ryan Kastor, Mitch Drumm, Colton Korn, Tyler Cox, Linda Fisher, Tim Northrop, Kay Walton, Heather Penrod, Janet Renner, Bill Updegraff, Wes Sperry, Rev. Joel Russell, Jean-Anne Baker, Aimee Pasquinelli, Fred Sullivan, Shawn Hicks, Trisa Shaw, Victoria Griffiths, Rev. Rick Bruckart, Jim Schaffer, Debbie Lehman, Scott Cecil, Dale Lawson, Jackie Pasquinelli, June Zontini, COVID-19 Victims.

Families Bereaved: Zach Wright, Donald, Gil Bennett, Dave Festi, Paula Lorenz, Alex Barnhart, Denver Law, Karen Bush, Kolton Bush, President Moise, Gwenna Johnson, Harlow Dunn.

Homebound: Lynne Capretta (Northwoods).

Prayer Chain: Please call Dalene Swinderman 330-447-5556 or email pastor Ben at pastor@scmchurch.org if you

"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. The next meetings will be on **October 4th and November 8th**.

Women's Fellowship Breakfast— at The Mill in New Philadelphia. Come and Bring a Friend! This month's meeting is cancelled.

In Good Company— (women's Bible Study) The Bible study meets on the second Saturday of the month @ 9:30 at Paula Drumm's house. All women are welcome. Check-in with Paula to see when the next in-person or Zoom gathering will be.



Birthdays

Katy Rabes-10/04
Caren Eichel- Smith- 10/09
Carolyn Menapace-10/15
Stacey Kastor- 10/17
Missy Martin- 10/17
Mary-Ann Creal- 10/19
Jim Karcher- 10/19
Floyd Swinderman- 10/29
Ron Martin- 10/31
Carol Fantine- 11/09
Scott Knisley- 11/11
Leslie Korn- 11/16
Steve Pasquinelli- 11/16
Kira Rossi- 11/20
Don Shanower- 11/20
McKenna Cannon- 11/24

Anniversaries

Danielle & Paul Rossi- 10/11
Rick & Joyce Swaldo- 11/05



Fellowship

ELDER REPORT: NEXT MEETING: Monday, October 18th @ 7 p.m. in-person

Elders Meeting Summary: The Elders met on Monday, September 20th via Zoom. They discussed worship feedback, prayer concerns, COVID-19 updates, and other items on the agenda. The board made plans for the combined-worship service at Schoenbrunn Village on October 10th. Elders will assist Rev. Cynthia Rader Geyer with worship when Pastor Ben is gone that Sunday. The Elders also decided to make sure Elder of the Month is doing a congregational responsive reading from one of the microphones, so our online worshippers can hear liturgy responses clearer.

CEC REPORT: Next Meeting: Monday, October 11th @ 7 p.m.

CEC Meeting Summary: We made final plans for Rally Day and Sunday School which starts on Oct. 3rd. Plans were made for a new kind of Christmas program – watch for signups to submit a short video sharing a special Christmas tradition unique to your family. We are inviting all members and friends to participate!

Sunday School: Come join us as we return to our classrooms and Fellowship Hall on Oct. 3rd! Emily Lippert, Katy Rabes, and Allee Baker are leading the class for Youth through 6th grade. Becky Canfield is continuing the Videos that Teach class. Pastor Ben is leading a series on Racial Justice in Fellowship Hall. Then mark your calendar for the first Sunday in Advent (Nov. 28th) when Paula Drumm will begin a Max Lucado video series called “Because of Bethlehem.” We will resume Bible Study (on the book of James) in the church office in January 2022.

TRUSTEE REPORT: NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, October 27th @ 7 p.m.

Trustees Meeting Summary: The Board met on Wednesday, September 22nd via Zoom. The treasurer’s report was approved. The board is delighted to share that all assessments have been paid in full for the year. Well done!! The board is hoping to emphasize the furnace fund in the final quarter of the year. We are hoping to hear back from the Larger Life Foundation about our grant by November. A list of maintenance items were set up for the parsonage after last month’s walk-through. An update on the lightbulb replacements was given. The board was also notified the property owner at 140 22nd St. SE is applying for annexation into the city of New Philadelphia.

JOINT BOARD REPORT: NEXT MEETING: Monday, December 13th @ 6:30

Joint Board Meeting Summary: The board met on Wednesday, September 22nd via Zoom. They communicated activities between boards and discussed COVID-19 protocols. The board feels mandatory masks are working

for the congregation given the high rise in cases locally. Pastor Ben will check in monthly to see if any changes need to be made. The board approved signing a letter to the PEC asking if congregations could determine to decide if Synod could be held virtually in 2022. The board also approved the use of the facilities for a stamp club dinner and a Delphine Corral performance in December. The women’s board will host the event.

Treasurer’s Report as of August, 2021

Contributions - \$ 8,051.65

YTD - \$ 68,590.35

Expenses - \$ 7,461.51

YTD - \$ 64,535.43

Budget \$ 93,901.91

Your continued offerings are greatly appreciated. Common Ministries for the Province and Eastern District as well as the Major Medical expenses are now paid in full.

Keep up the good work Schoenbrunn!

All County Moravian

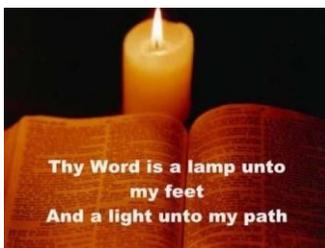
Worship at Schoenbrunn Village

Sunday, October 10th @ 10:00



“We are Christ Centered”

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



Sunday, October 3rd—World-Wide Communion Sunday

“I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters, in the midst of the congregation. I will praise you.”- Hebrews 2:12

Genesis 2:18-24, Psalm 8, Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12, Mark 10:2-16

Sunday, October 10th -Twentieth Sunday of Pentecost* Worship at the Village @ 10:00 a.m.**

“Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession..” - Hebrews 4:14

Amos 5:6-7, 10-15, Psalm 90:12-17, Hebrews 4:12-16, Mark 10:17-31

Sunday, October 17th –Twenty-First Sunday of Pentecost

“For the Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.”- Mark 10:45

Isaiah 53:4-12, Psalm 91:9-16, Hebrews 5:1-10, Mark 10:35-45

Sunday, October 24th -Twenty–Second Sunday of Pentecost

“ The Lord has done great things for us. ”- Psalm 126:3

Jeremiah 31:7-9, Psalm 126, Hebrews 7:23-28, Mark 10:46-52

Sunday, October 31st– Twenty-Third Sunday of Pentecost *All Saints Day**

“ Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might.”- Deuteronomy 6:4-5

Deuteronomy 6:1-9, Psalm 119:1-8, Hebrews 9:11-14, Mark 12:28-34

Sunday, November 7th– Twenty-Fourth Sunday of Pentecost

“ The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous.”- Psalm 146:8

1 Kings 17:8-16, Psalm 146, Hebrews 9:24-28, Mark 12:38-44

Sunday, November 14th – Twenty-Fifth Sunday of Pentecost

“ Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for God who has promised is faithful.”- Hebrew 10:23

Daniel 12:1-3, Psalm 16, Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25, Mark 13:1-8

Sunday, November 21st– Reign of Christ Sunday

“ I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty..”- Revelation 1:8

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, Psalm 93, Revelation 1:4b-8, John 18:33-37

Sunday, November 28th– First Sunday in Advent

“ Jesus said, ‘Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.’”- Luke 21:33

Jeremiah 33:14-16, Psalm 25:1-10, 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13, Luke 21:25-36



Youth Sundays

Kids are encouraged to bring a toy or an item from home for worship service on **October 17th**. We will have a brief activity and snacks for the kids after worship on those Sundays.

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

Greeters

Keep an eye out for our when our sign-up sheet can return!

Ushers

Keep an eye out for our when our sign-up sheet can return!

Nursery

Unstaffed– please see a CEC member with any questions

*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. You can also view our bulletin for Zoom worship services there.

**Around our Church and Moravian
Community**

October 3rd– Sunday School Returns

October 10th– Day of Mission

October 13th– Food on the Fly

October 18th– Elders

October 27th– Trustees

November 10th– Food on the Fly

November 15th– Elders

November 24th– Trustees

November 28th– First Sunday of Advent

November 28th– Advent Workshop

**Keep an eye on weekly emails and the
Facebook Page for info about upcoming
worship services.**



Joining Us for Worship

Virtually

How to Join?

1. Go to our Facebook page and follow along with our Livestream

*** We are not currently using Zoom for our worship live-stream.

“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.

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 330- 440-4705 or by emailing

pastor@scmchurch.org.

****Drop in-office hours are not available during the pandemic, but Pastor Ben is always glad to schedule a visit indoors or outdoors!**



Church Website –

<http://scmchurch.org>

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

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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**

Cares and Prayers

We are meeting **Wednesday, October 20th at 1 p.m.** In the fellowship hall to pray and write cards. All are welcome!



We are Looking for volunteer drivers 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 from 11-2. It is a very rewarding experience! Please let me know if you can help.— Floyd and Dalene Swinderman

Thank you, Floyd Swinderman

Our next Food on the Fly's will be **Wednesday, October 13th, and Wednesday, November 10th** from 4:30 p.m—6 p.m on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. **The Cost is \$10.** If you are interested in volunteering please contact

Floyd Swinderman at 330-343-8122. Thanks!



An Opportunity to Give...

A young man from Haiti, Rocheny Dorsainvil, a member of a Moravian Church is seeking financial assistance to get his doctorate in educational studies in Romania to help the young people of Haiti. He has a full scholarship but needs assistance with the \$1600 in travel expenses.

Checks for Rocheny can be made out to Twin City Ministerial Association with a memo “Rocheny.”

They can be sent to Rev. Bill Rinderknecht, PO Box 312, Gnadenuhnten, OH, 44629. Thank you!

News from Eastern District / Northern Province

- The Provincial Elders Conference has decided to postpone Provincial Synod scheduled for the summer of 2021 and will plan to have Synod in 2022.
- Br. Dave Guthrie, the Southern Province PEC President, retired on September 30th. Br. Chris Thore has been appointed the interim PEC president.
- Sr. Jesmina Meade, a Moravian Theological Seminary student, has been appointed to a part-time call at MorningStar Moravian Church in Coopersburg, PA.
- Sr. Sayward Lippincott, has accepted the call to serve as the co-pastor of Lititz Moravian Church. Please be in prayer for the First Moravian Church of York, Pa as they enter the call process.
- The Clergy Racial Justice Retreat scheduled for September of 2021 was postponed due to concerns for COVID-19.

Scrip Order Forms

Doug Miller wants to pass along that he will still be accepting SCRIPT order forms. You can either drop your forms off in the scrip mailbox at the church or text Doug your orders and mail the check to the church. **Orders are due by October 10th and November 14th.** They can either be picked up at the church or arrangements can be made for delivery.



News from Ohio Moravian Churches

- **Dinner on the Run** Is October 7th and November 4th at Uhrichsville Moravian. 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.
- Sugar Cake Baking and Community soup and sandwich meals at Dover First have been cancelled for September and October.



Help With Mowing the Church Lawn

Volunteers are needed to help mow the church grounds. If you are not able to mow gas cards are always welcome. Volunteers can contact Doug Miller at littleeagle@roadrunner.com or 330-987-9507.



Furnace Fund



Over \$3500 by 9/26. Keep up the good work! Even the smallest donations will help us reach his goal!

Pictures From August– September



Rally Day

