

### **Church Update:**

- Weekly Budget Needs \$8,653.85
- Giving \$4,817.25
- Attendance 216
- Last Year's Attendance 241

**Youth Study:** We will be starting a Youth Bible Study starting tonight Sunday, Sept. 23rd, 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the Teen Room.

**MOPS:** We had our first meetings this past week and had many new moms join us! Because of this, we have a great need for child care workers. Our next meetings will be Monday, Oct. 1st (5:30-8:00 p.m.) and Oct. 3rd (9:00-11:30 a.m.). If you are a young mom OR are interested in helping with this ministry, please circle "M" on your connection card. Thank you!

**District Retreat:** Spend Columbus Day weekend at a District Retreat! Fall Retreat, Oct.5-8, Camp Lamoka in Tyrone. Middle and high school students. Cost is \$125 before Oct. 1st, and \$140 after. Additional \$15 fee to play paintball. Theme is SentOnes. Josh for information or questions. Circle "F" on Connection Card.

**Parent's Night Out:** Friday, Oct. 5th, 6:00-9:00 p.m.. All children, ages infant through sixth grade are invited to a free night of pizza, crafts, gym fun and more! Sign up at the Welcome Center. (Volunteers needed - sign up sheet at the Welcome Center)

**Youth Group:** Would you consider donation bottles to help us send our youth grades 8-12 to the Nazarene Youth Conference July 9-14, 2019 located in Phoenix, AZ? The cost is \$1,850 per person. We will be collecting bottles every Sunday, Sept. 23-July 1, 2019. Thank you in advance for your support! If you cannot bring your bottles to church, contact Curtis LaHart at (518)565-6261. He will make arrangements to have them picked up.

**Volunteers:** As we draw closer to calling a new Pastor, the Property Team is seeking volunteers during the next few weeks to complete a couple of painting and yard projects at the parsonage on Cogan Ave. We are able to accommodate any schedule. If you would be interested in helping out, see Steve Rothamel or Bill Billington.

**Campus Care:** This new ministry will meet the basic needs of SUNY college students. There are many SUNY college students who are in need of toiletries like soap, shampoo, toothpaste, and feminine hygiene products. Also needed are food items like oatmeal, cereal bars, and canned items. A large black basket has been placed in the foyer to collect these items. Donations will be taken to students every time the basket is filled. Please see Greg Withrow or Becky Frostick for details.