

SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

February 11, 2024
10:30 AM

Welcome

Call to Worship/Lighting of Peace Candle

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Prayer & Children's Church

Children will collect coins for My Coins Count

Announcements & Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Scripture- Joel 2:28-32

Message- "Dreaming Big Dreams"

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R8nsJZx8eWw>

Benediction

Sending Song

Message: John Verburg
Worship Leader: Terry Livengood
Worship Planner: Glenn & Tammy Miller
Accompanist: Byron Miller
Sound Room: Noel Livengood
Song Leader: Karin Miller
Video: Reuben Tice
Live Stream: Isaac Tice & Preston Maust

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Calendar of Events

February 12- Worship/Music Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM

February 14 – Lent begins

February 25- Last day to drop off Sunshine Box items

March 5 – Church Council, 7:00 PM

March 12 – Elders Meeting, 6:30 PM

March 23- Easter Egg Hunt, 10-12:00 PM

June 9 to 13 – Vacation Bible School



PLEASE BEAR with us as volunteers assemble and prepare each week's bulletins! Announcements and items for the bulletins should still be emailed to office@springsmc.org or placed in the Secretary mailbox or mail slot outside the office door.

COUNCIL is immediately seeking temporary volunteers to assist in producing the weekly bulletins and minimal office duties. We would also welcome any congregants or other qualified applicants that would be interested in the part-time job. Please contact Paul Durst (paulddurst@gmail.com or (240) 321-2902) to coordinate volunteering or for complete job description.

The latest copy of REJOICE! magazine are now available on the credence stand.

OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Owen Guengerich as they gather this weekend for his Celebration of Life. We fondly remember his preaching and teaching and contributions to our church life during his time at Springs.

PLEASE MAKE NOTE of the flyers that have been placed in your mailboxes regarding a Sunshine Box that is being put together for Michael and Beth Miller. The Sunshine Box is in the foyer.

We would like to thank everyone for the prayers, cards and meals. It is so appreciated. The kindness of Springs Mennonite Church is amazing. Blessings to all. Jerry and Sherry Abel

Church Information: Phone: (814) 662-4201

Pastor: John Verburg

Office hours: Generally Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
or by appointment

Cell phone: (256) 624-7252

Email: jlverb@hotmail.com

Secretary: N/A

Email: office@springsmc.org

Elders:

Don Green (Chair)- (814) 521-5709

Sherry Abel- (814) 233-0510

Rosie Cupler- (301) 697-1772

Ken Detrick- (814) 662-2692

Ed Hoover- (814) 521-7128



Springs Mennonite Church is Handicap Accessible

A restroom and elevator are available on the main floor. There is also a restroom located downstairs in the basement. There are also large print songbooks and hearing devices; please ask an usher for assistance with these items.

AED (Automated External Defibrillator) is located at the back of the church near the elevator.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

February 15- Scott Kinsinger, Simon Yoder

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

February 14 – Steve & Angie Fazenbaker

February 4, 2024 Offering Total

Attendance	84
General Fund Offering	\$6,043.00



The Community Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, March 23, from 10-12:00 PM. There will be a hunt, games, crafts, and more! If anyone is interested in helping to plan the hunt or help the day of, please contact Michelle Maust.

RENEW 2024 Annual Women's Retreat will be held Friday evening March 8th from 6 – 9 pm, and Saturday, March 9th, 8:30 am – 3 pm at Oak Dale Church in Salisbury, PA. The featured guest speaker is Phyllis Swartz. Register online at www.oakdalechurch.net/renew or call 814-662-2547.

Are you curious about what's so "messy" and "broken" about child welfare and want to know more? Do you believe sustaining foster families matters and want to find your "something" to help support them? Join us for the Somerset County Keystone Family Alliance Fundraiser and Awareness Dinner on Tuesday, February 27, 6:00 pm at Bakersville Banquet Hall with doors opening at 5:30. The theme this year is "Ripple Effect". All it takes is one caring adult to create a positive ripple effect in the life of a vulnerable child. Throughout the evening you'll hear how local churches and KFA are creating a *Ripple Effect* in Somerset County and beyond. Dinner is provided. The event is free; however, a financial appeal will be made to support Keystone Family Alliance. Please RSVP by Feb. 20 at www.keyfam.org/events and clicking on "Somerset County" Questions? Contact lydia@keyfam.org

Mennonite Education Agency, the education agency of Mennonite Church USA, is pleased to share the Lent at Home 2024 worship guide and calendar, available for download at the MEA website: <https://www.mennoniteeducation.org/resources/lent-at-home/>

The Day of the LORD

²⁸ "And afterward,

I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your old men will dream dreams,
your young men will see visions.

²⁹ Even on my servants, both men and women,
I will pour out my Spirit in those days.

³⁰ I will show wonders in the heavens
and on the earth,
blood and fire and billows of smoke.

³¹ The sun will be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood
before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the LORD.

³² And everyone who calls
on the name of the LORD will be saved;
for on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem
there will be deliverance,
as the LORD has said,
even among the survivors
whom the LORD calls.^[a]