### **SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH**

November 17, 2024 10:30 AM

Welcome

**Lighting of Peace Lamp** 

Offertory Prayer
\*\*Children will collect coins for My Coins Count\*\*
Children's Church

Call to Worship

**Congregational Singing** 

**Affirmation of Faith** 

**Announcements & Sharing of Joys and Concerns** 

Scripture- Luke 7:36-60

**Message-** "I have called you by name" --Phoebe Wiley

**Song of Response** "The Love of God" Sing the Journey #44

**Benediction** 

**Sending Song** 

Message: Phoebe Wiley
Worship Leader: Sherry Abel
Worship Planners: Glenn & Tammy Miller
Accompanist: Byron Miller
Song Leaders: Praise Team
Sound Room: Don Green
Video: Reuben Tice
Live Stream: Isaac Tice

**Volume 70-No. 12** 

**Calendar of Events** 

Today - Children's Church

**Today** - Mission Offering – Children collecting non-perishable food

**November 19** - Thanksgiving Drive-thru Dinner 5:00 p.m.

20 - Daughters of Dorcas 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

20 – Elders Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

24 - Children's Christmas Program Practice during church

**December 8 -** After Church—Dress Rehearsal for the Children's Christmas Program—(lunch will be provided for participants and their families).

**14 -** Progressive Dinner

15 - Children's Program during Church Service

**15** - Last day to sign up for **Winterville at Laurelville,** January 17-19 for Students grades 2 - 8

## **Today,** we will be collecting our **Mission Offering**

which will be split as follows: \$1000 to Somerset Mobile Food Bank \$1000 to Casselman Valley Helpers \$1000 to Garrett Co. Dept. of Aging 40% of remainder to MDS 60% of remainder to MCC

#### CRAM-A-VAN

Sponsored by: Salisbury-Elk Lick Education Association Bring your gifts to the Salisbury-Elk Lick High School on **December 5**<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Toys will be distributed to families in need by the Salisbury Family Center

There is a form in your Church mailbox on the possibility of having a bus trip to Sight and Sound on August 16<sup>th</sup>. We need to know if there is an interest in proceeding with this event.

Church Information: Phone: (814) 662-4201

Secretary: Sherry Abel

Office hours: Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Email: office@springsmc.org

Sherry will be out of the office on Friday, November  $22^{nd}$ , and Thursday and Friday, November  $28^{th}$  and  $29^{th}$ .

### **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!**

November 17 – Beth Green

19 - Bob Green

21 - Esther Beitzel-Holmes

22 - Kathy Pattison

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

November 21 – Gary & Greta Miller

23 - Tom & Miriam Linderman

Harvey & Hannah (Bodes) Hershberger

### November 10, 2024, Offering Total

General Fund \$1,747.70 Attendance 105 "This is what the Lord says, he who created you, he who formed you:

'Fear not, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name. You are mine.""



Tuesday, November 12, **Daughters of Dorcas sent 110 comforters** and 200 school kit bags to MCC, and 125 crocheted caps to Christian Aid Ministries (CAM). The total comforters sent to MCC in calendar year 2024 is 194. Fifteen rolls (30 yards each) of batting were purchased to make more comforters. Thank you to the many hands that have helped to make this possible.

### SIGNIFICANT ITEMS CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING November 5, 2024

- 1. Council took time to review old business and the treasurer's report.
- 2. Council appreciates the work done on the roof repairs, which came in at a cost that was under the estimate.
- 3. Council approved deposit payments for a trip to Sight and Sound next summer.
- 4. Council approved payment of one-half of the cost for children from our congregation to attend Winterville in January. (\*Allegheny conference is paying \$35.00 per child and Sunday School Class #4 is paying the other ½ of the cost.)
- 5. Council reviewed maintenance work that needs to be done.
- 6. Council will begin the process to review and update the 2022

Andrea Hoover is currently staying with family in Kentucky as she continues her wellness journey. Her address is:

Andrea Hoover 13260 ST RT 45N Boaz, KY 42027

**It's poinsettia ordering time!** The Visual Arts Committee is taking orders for poinsettias to be used in the church during the Christmas season. Order forms have been placed in mailboxes and on the credence stand. The

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Pay in the offering box by cash or check payable to Springs Mennonite Church --designated "Flowers." Please place orders in Janet Bender's mailbox no later than Nov. 24. Thanks for your order!



To Karin Miller and Dan Miller in the passing of her father and Dan's grandfather,

**Kenneth Richard Naslund,** on November 6<sup>th</sup>. He was 94 years old. Memorial Gifts

www.alz.org to help with Alzheimer's and Dementia research.



To the family of

**Richard "Dick" Hollada** who passed away on November 10<sup>th</sup>. He was Marvette Hollada's son, Gwen Baer's brother, and Kelli Bolden's father.

AMBS Pastors & Leaders 2025: Anabaptism at 500: Looking Back, Living Forward: Feb. 17–20 at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary in Elkhart, Indiana. As we celebrate 500 years of Anabaptism, join us to examine how the values of the early Anabaptists still resonate today and can guide us into the future! Gain intercultural perspectives on how reading the Bible in community can help us connect more authentically in our present and future contexts. Speakers (in order of presentation): John D. Roth, PhD; Kelbessa Muleta Demena, MDiv; and Lesley Francisco McClendon, DMin. Those who cannot attend in person can register to watch via livestream. Register by Jan. 20 and save \$50! ambs.edu/pastors-and-leaders

Leadership Clinics at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary: Monday, Feb. 17. These daylong in-person clinics include Biblical Interpretation across the Two Testaments; Healthy Boundaries 101; Introducing the *Anabaptist Community Bible;* Orienting with the Word; Starting with the Spirit; and Worshiping with the Global Church. CEUs available. Sign up by Feb. 10. View clinic descriptions and register: <a href="mailto:ambs.edu/clinics">ambs.edu/clinics</a>