SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

March 16, 2025 10:30 AM

Welcome

Lighting of Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Prayer **Children will collect coins for My Coins Count**

Children's Church

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Scripture: Psalm 32:8, Psalm 139: 23-24, John 16:13

Message: Is God your GPS? --Keith Pirolozzi

Song of response

Benediction

Sending Song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mFna4pEF7M8

Message: Keith Pirolozzi Worship Leader: Terry Livengood Announcements & Prayer: Terry Livengood Worship Planner: Phoebe Wiley Accompanist: Byron Miller Song Leader: Phoebe Wiley Sound Room: Don Green Video: Reuben Tice Live Stream: Isaac Tice Volume 70-No. 29

Calendar of Events

Today - Children's Church

- March 18 Elders' Meeting 1:00 p.m.
 - 19 Daughters of Dorcas 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
 - 22 Bowling 2:00 to 4:00 Everyone Welcome White Oak Lanes in Cumberland, MD.
 - 31 Worship Committee 6:00 p.m.
- April1 Church Council 7:00 p.m.26 Celebration of Life for Bill Haning

Vacation Bible School – June 15th to June 19th.

"Waves of Wonder"

The flowers on the communion table are in Memory of

Basil Ray McAmis (John) – Sherry Abel's Father.

March 16th would have been his 100th birthday.

A deposit of **\$300.38** for TriState Relief Sale for "My Coins Count," brings our 2025 balance to **\$2,281.48**.

Thank you to everyone who helped with our Advent and Christmas displays by buying poinsettias, making the Advent candles, moving the trees, and helping with the banner. We appreciate your help, suggestions, and support. *Visual Arts* <u>Church Information:</u> 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**, **March 21**st, please have any bulletin items in by Wednesday morning, March 19th.

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.

IS GOD YOUR GPS?



Welcome, Keith Pirolozzi

CHURCH COUNCIL Significant Items March 4, 2025

- 1. Council appreciates the thoughtfulness, efforts, and creativity of Noel Livengood and Jerry Abel who designed a light for the lectern in the sanctuary.
- 2. Council reviewed financial reports for February and for the second quarter of the church year.
- 3. Council has received a proposal to re-model the church kitchen. This project would include a new stove, refrigerator, and freezer; a new island in the center of the kitchen; new countertops; and painting the cupboards. The trustees presented estimates for the proposed work of approximately \$20,000. It has been suggested that the remainder of monies received from the sale of the International Guest House could be used for the project.
- 4. A group has formed that is interested in publishing a new church cookbook as a fundraiser to benefit the kitchen makeover. Council approves and supports their efforts.

The Casselman Valley Unit of Mennonite Disaster Service is planning a fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner for Saturday, March 29, at the Salisbury Fire Hall, from 12:00 to 6:00 or until sold out.

The Radicals DVD has been added to our church library. Michael and Margaretha Sattler join a group called the Anabaptists. As their movement grows, so does the determination of the opposition to stop them, by any means necessary.



Papers have been placed in everyone's mailboxes with information about putting together a new church cookbook. We have a table set up in the foyer and we are looking forward to receiving lots of recipes and getting a start on our new cookbook. Please return recipes, cookbook title ideas, and your approximate number of cookbooks to be ordered, to the bowl on the table by **Sunday, April 6**th. If you have questions, you can contact Mackenzie DeCunzo, Andi Hoover, Kim Miller, or Tammy Miller.

(You can also "reserve" copies of the cookbook by signing up on the bulletin board in the back of the church)



It's time to plan for summer church camp at Laurelville! Brochures have been placed in mailboxes of families with school-aged children. Registration deadline is the end of May.