



SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

Fellowship and food in the basement 9:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship Service 10:30 A.M.

"For the Lamb...will lead them to springs of living water." Revelation 7:17

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Congregational Singing

Scripture Reading: *John 9:13-21*

Message: *God Speaks in Our Testimony*

Hyman of Response

Sharing & Prayer

Benediction

Sending

Postlude

**Please sign the registries that you will find on the back of the bench in front of you as you welcome those sitting near you. Blue prayer request forms can be placed in the offering plate to be shared during the worship service.*

*Worship Leader: Willis Beitzel
Song Leader: Deb Hoover
Audio: Don Green*

*Message: Eric Haglund
Accompanist: Dixie Otto
Video: Reuben Tice*

Church Information:

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Afternoon Hours by appointment

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Administrative Assistant: Felicia Maust

Office Hours: Mondays - Fridays 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Bulletin deadline:

All announcements are due Friday morning by 8:00 a.m.



Springs Mennonite Church is Handicap Accessible

There are a restroom & an elevator available on the main floor.

There is also a restroom located downstairs in the basement.

There are also large print song books and hearing devices; please ask an usher for assistance with these items.

Board of Elders: Enos Tice (Chair), Melinda Gibson, Lois Hepler, Phoebe Wiley, Rich Yoder

Congregational Chair: Terry Livengood

January 10, 2016 Totals

S.S. ATTENDANCE 58

W.S. ATTENDANCE 109

OFFERING \$3,483.00

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Springs Mennonite Church Vision Statement

We, the Springs congregation, have been changed by Jesus Christ. Saved by His love and forgiveness, we are empowered to carry forth His ministry, through obedience, teaching, service, and healing. Reaching out to all people, by faith we journey together praying, worshiping, and making disciples. By our living in the Spirit, we reflect His love, joy, hope, and peace.

Springs Mennonite Church



January 17, 2016

Church Council
January 5, 2016 - Significant Items

1. Eric and Felicia will be working from home during the abatement process.
2. Pastor's housing allowance was approved for \$18,000 and mileage will be \$.54.
3. The training for AED (automated external defibrillator) will be January 21, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. Eric reported approximately 10 people have signed up.
4. Elders used some money out of the Alms fund to help a person buy fuel until they were able to get other assistance.
5. Trustees were looking at possibly getting the ceiling painted in the basement before they started on the floor. They are also looking into some rolling room dividers to take the place of the curtains that were taken down.
6. The Adult Sunday School classes will be moving around during the abatement process.

Next Sunday, our guest speaker will address the topic "Jonah; a missional story?" Please read the story in the book of Jonah and consider the following questions.

1. What can we learn about the God of the Old Testament from this story?
2. What are some of the possible endings to this story?

Activities This Week

- Jan/Feb **January 4 through February 13-** No activities in the basement or fellowship hall due to the asbestos abatement.
- Wed - **Elders**, 6:30 p.m.
- Thurs - **Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study**, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. at Dixie Otto's home.
- Intercessory Prayer Meeting**, 7:00 p.m. Ken & Diana Detrick's home

Upcoming Activities

- January 28-30** **Volunteers needed to help** move all contents back into the basement. Work will begin at 6:00 p.m.
- February 2 **Church Council**, 7:00 p.m.
- February 11-13** **Volunteers needed to help** move contents back to the fellowship hall. Work will begin at 6:00 p.m.
- February 11-13** **Assist Daughters of Dorcas** with move.

The rest of January the Young Adult class/Shane Saylor's will meet in the basement elevator room, the class that meets in the gym will meet on the balcony, Melinda and Ryan's class will be joining other classes, Class that meets in the curtains will be meeting in the auditorium. Sewing Room Class will be meeting at Goodwill Mennonite home at the new Assistant Living addition on the 2nd floor at 9:00 A.M.

The Adult Superintendants are asking that each class pickup their attendance book from the office and return when completed. If meeting elsewhere please be sure that Felicia gets your attendance.

The abatement process will begin January 4 and continue through February 13. No activities can be planned in the basement or fellowship hall during this time period.

Please mark your calendars to save time to help with this project.

We are asking for everyone's patience during this time. This is a large project and we will need the cooperation of everyone. Thank you.

There will be a formal training on the new AED (Automated External Defibrillation) on Thursday the 21st at 6:30 p.m. here at the church. If you are interested in observing how it works you are welcome to attend.

Attention: A Message from the Church Office

From January 11-20, 2016, Pastor Eric and Felicia will not be in the Church Office while the Abatement project is going on. Also from February 1-4, 2016, we will not be in the Church Office. Any announcements for the bulletins still need to be into the Church Office by Friday mornings at 8:00 a.m.

You may reach Pastor Eric by email: pastor@springsmc.org or by calling his cell phone. You may reach Felicia by email: office@springsmc.org or by calling her cell phone, I will be working from home during this time. Thanks, Felicia

Sunday Morning Fellowship Time coordinators are looking for an individual, couple, family, Bible Study group, Small Group. or just a group of friends that would be interested in being responsible for Fellowship Time for one month in 2016. If you are interested, please contact Greta Beitzel.