



# SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

April 22, 2018

*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*

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**Welcome/Lighting of the Peace Lamp**

**Call to Worship**

**Congregational Singing- HWB #544- *When we walk with the Lord***

**HWB #25- *Jesus, stand among us***

**Prayer of Confession**

**Words of Assurance**

**Congregational Singing- STJ #63- *Lord, you give the great commission***

**Sharing & Prayer**

**Offering\***

\*Children are invited to come forward with the ushers to collect a special offering for MCC's *My Coins Count*.

**Scripture- *Acts 8:26-40***

**Message- *Traveling with the Spirit***

**Commissioning for Naomi Tice**

(Congregational response- *HWB #769*)

**Hymn of Response- HWB #415- *Forth in thy name***

**Benediction-**

Leader: We come like Phillip:

**People: following the angels, waiting for a word from the spirit.**

Leader: So breathe your word into us, O God, that we might have boldness

**All: to speak to the stranger on the road, to proclaim the good news about Jesus, to love one another. Amen!**

**Sending Song- HWB #411- *I bind my heart this tide***

Have  
*faith*

*\*\*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.*

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*Worship Leader: Nancy Green  
Song Leader: Phoebe Wiley  
Sound Room: Ryan Critchfield*

*Sermon: Luann Yutzey  
Video: Ron Beitzel  
Accompanist: Dixie Otto*

**Church Information:**

**Phone:** (814) 662-4201

**Interim Pastors:** Luann & Robert Yutzy

**Phone:** Luann: (316) 288-8897 Robert: (717) 271-1184

**Email:** pastor@springsmc.org

**Office Hours:** Monday: Day Off

Tuesday: Luann & Robert 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Luann 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Thursday: Robert 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Friday: Luann & Robert 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Web address:** www.springsmc.org

**Secretary:** Wendy Brenneman

**Email:** office@springsmc.org

**Office Hours:** Monday & Tuesday 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Wednesday 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Thursday: Day Off

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Bulletin:** All announcements are due Friday 8:00 a.m.



**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 song books and hearing devices; Please ask an usher for assistance with these items.

**Board of Elders:** Enos Tice (Chair), Melinda Gibson, Don Green, Phoebe Wiley, Rich Yoder

**Congregational Chair:** Terry Livengood

**April 15, 2018 Totals**

**S.S. ATTENDANCE**

**W.S. ATTENDANCE**

**OFFERING**

\$1,409.00

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"WHEN WE GO  
AND TELL OTHERS ABOUT  
JESUS, WE ARE FULFILLING  
THE MISSION THAT WE ARE  
CALLED TO FINISH."

CRYSTAL MCDOWEL

### *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.*

## Activities This Week

- Today- **Naomi Tice Commissioning**, during morning worship
- Monday- **Ladies Monday Night Bible Study**, 6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday- **Daughters of Dorcas**, 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- Thurs- **Women's AM Bible Study**,  
9:30 - 11:30 a.m., Dixie Otto's home
- Welcoming God Class**, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

## Upcoming Activities

- April 30- **Secret Sister Dinner**, 6:00 p.m.,  
Casselman Restaurant
- May 1- **Council Meeting**, 7:00 p.m.
- May 5- **Red Cross Blood Drive**, 8:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m.,  
Church basement



**The Elders have appointed Sandy Brennehan** to complete Naomi Tice's term on the Worship Committee.

## Elders Significant Items

**04/17/2018**

All members in attendance

- 1) Rich Yoder resigned as Elder recently.
- 2) Plans were made for Naomi Tice's commissioning on April 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- 3) Plans were made for the Yutzys asking to be off June 10<sup>th</sup>.
- 4) Suggestions were made for a replacement for Naomi on the Worship Committee.
- 5) Ideas were shared on how to keep the process of conference selection moving forward.
- 6) The Yutzys will be meeting with the MYF youth advisors soon.
- 7) The Yutzys will be attending the Spring Bible Study at Laurelville next week.

The meeting adjourned with a time of prayer for the church and community.

**The Zion Lutheran Church will be hosting an** evening of Jazz & Ice Cream with the Meyersdale High School Jazz Band Saturday, May 5th starting at 6:00 p.m. There will be a free will offering accepted to benefit Zion's Stewardship.

**A deposit on 4/16 of \$198.58 brought** our My Coins Count total for this year to \$2,021.85. Thank you to everyone supporting this project.

**Inga Haglund is currently serving in** Anchorage, AK with Service Adventure. If you're interested in reading a blog she recently wrote you may visit:

<https://www.mennonitemission.net/blog/Right-where-God-wants-me>

**The Secret Sister Dinner will be held** Monday, April 30th at 6:00 p.m. at the Casselman Restaurant. After the dinner we will have the revealing of the Secret Sister and the exchange of gifts. If you can't attend please give your gifts to Becky Shoemaker before April 30th. We would like to



invite anyone interested in joining the Secret Sister for the upcoming year to attend the dinner. If you can't attend and would like to participate or have any question contact Becky Shoemaker at 814-662-4423.

**Glade Mennonite Church in Accident, Maryland** invites you to join them for a series of meetings with Antonio Ulloa. Antonio is a Church Revitalization Coach with Eastern Mennonite Missions and will be speaking on the subject of *"How to discover and enjoy the very presence of God right here on earth!"* The first session will be Sunday, May 6 at 10:30 a.m. followed by meetings on May 6, 7 & 8 at 7:00 p.m. each evening. A fellowship meal will follow the service on Sunday morning and everyone is welcome to join us for that as well. For more information, call the church office at 301-245-4285.

