



SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

January 13, 2019

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

Welcome

Call to Worship

Prayer

Congregational Singing

Children's Time

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

Congregational Singing

Scripture- *John 21:1-17*

Sermon- *Welcoming the Word of God*

Hymn of Response

Sharing and Prayer

Benediction

Sending Song

***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.*

Sermon: Joy Versluis

Worship Leader: Paul Versluis

Song Leader: Paul Versluis

Sound Room: Noel Livengood

Children's Time: Paul Versluis

Video: Reuben Tice

Accompanist: Byron Miller

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.

Church Information: Phone: (814) 662-4201

During our time without a settled pastor, we are blessed to have Paul Versluis as our part-time interim pastor.

Office hours: Monday-Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. or by appointment

Cell phone: (734) 255-7006

Email: pastor@springsmc.org

If a pastoral need arises when neither the pastor nor Wendy has office hours, please call one of the elders listed below.

Don Green- (814) 662-4309

Melinda Gibson- day: (814) 662-2711; evening: (301) 895-3303

Karin Miller- (301) 707-3432

Enos Tice- (814) 662-4331

Phoebe Wiley- (814) 662-4104

Web address: www.springsmc.org

Secretary: Wendy Brenneman

Email: office@springsmc.org

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 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: Don Green(Chair), Melinda Gibson, Karin Miller
Enos Tice, Phoebe Wiley

Congregational Chair: Terry Livengood

January 6, 2019 Totals

S.S. ATTENDANCE	68
W.S. ATTENDANCE	89
OFFERING	\$5,549.00

This Week's Activities

Mon- Ladies Bible Study Movie Night, 6:30 p.m.
Melinda's House

Tues- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 p.m.

Thurs- Women's AM Bible Study, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Prayer Ministry Team, 7:00 p.m.

Sat- Game Night, 6:30 p.m.
Church basement/gym

Upcoming Activities

Jan 20- Allegheny Conference Offering

Feb 4- Elders' Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Feb 5- Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Feb 7- Prayer Ministry Team, 7:00 p.m.

Feb 21- Prayer Ministry Team, 7:00 p.m.

Next Sunday will be our Quarterly Allegheny Conference Offering

Our theme song for the month of January is "God Who Touches Earth," #511 in *Hymnal, a Worship Book*. As we begin a new year, may these words ring in our hearts:

*"God who touches earth with beauty,
Make my heart anew;
With thy spirit recreate me,
Pure and strong and true."*

MONDAY NIGHT LADIES BIBLE STUDY will be meeting at Melinda Gibson's house to view the movie Ruth as presented by Sight & Sound Productions on Monday, January 14 at 6:30 p.m. If you aren't normally part of this group but would like to attend, please contact Melinda.

There will be another game night on Saturday, January 19 at 6:30 p.m. This is a time of fellowship and fun that's open to everyone. There will be corn hole in the gym and games/puzzles in the basement. Bring a snack to share.

Fay Yoder's story "And Peepers, Too" is featured in the newly published *Messages from Heaven and Other Miracles; 101 Stories of Angels, Answered Prayers and Love that Doesn't Die*. This book, part of the *Chicken Soup for the Soul* series, is available in our church library. You will find her story (as well as the 100 others) to be heartwarming and inspirational.

From the Treasurer:

Notices are being prepared and will be sent to those who have contributed individual contributions of \$250.00 or more for the 2018 tax year. Unless otherwise stated, this total figure is not a "yearly" total, just a total of the single contributions of \$250.00 or more.

According to IRS recordkeeping requirements, contributions of money made to any charitable organization, such as the church, must be documented by a cancelled check or a written record of receipt from the charity in order to be deducted as an itemized deduction on your tax return. If you plan to itemize deductions and would like a record of any of your cash contributions, please contact me in order to receive a receipt for your contributions.

For the 2019 tax year, any individual contributions of \$250.00 or more will still be noted and notices will be sent to those individuals at the end of the 2019 tax year.

If you would like a more detailed notice of contributions for 2019, or if you have any questions regarding the IRS regulations, please feel free to contact me.

THANK YOU for your generosity to each other, our church, and those projects and missions supported by your gifts of money, your time, and your prayers!

Maryanna Durst
Church Treasurer

A deposit of \$202.85 on January 8, 2019 brings our My Coins Count total for the 2019 Relief Sale to \$1119.64.