



SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

September 9, 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

Welcome/Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Words of Assurance

Congregational Singing

Giving of Tithes and Offerings**Children are invited to come forward with the ushers to collect a special offering for MCC's *My Coins Count*.

Scripture- *Matthew 6:25-34*

Message - *God Winks in a Foreign Land*

Hymn of Response

Sharing of the Life of the Congregation

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.*

*Worship Leader: Jeff Pattison
Song Leader: Lois Hepler
Sound Room: Noel Livengood*

*Sermon: Karin Miller
Video: Reuben Tice
Accompanist: Dixie Otto*

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 between pastors

If a pastoral need arises please contact one of the elders listed below. During regular office hours you may call the church office and Wendy can facilitate locating an Elder who can respond in a timely manner.

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



September 2, 2018 Totals

S.S. ATTENDANCE	71
W.S. ATTENDANCE	106
OFFERING	N/A

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Activities This Week

- Tues- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- Wed- Elders' Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- Thurs- Women's AM Bible Study,
9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Dixie's Home

Upcoming Activities

- Sep 18- Worship Committee Meeting, 6:00 p.m.
Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- Sep 20- Prayer Ministry Team, 7:00 p.m.
- Sep 26- Elders' Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- Sep 29- Blood Drive, basement, 8:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m.
- Oct 4- Prayer Ministry Team, 7:00 p.m.
- Oct 13-14 Church Retreat

September speakers:
Sept. 16: Inga Haglund
Sept. 23: Glenn Miller
Sept. 30: Chester Yoder

IT'S NOT TOO LATE to join the Journey Forward Pathways Sunday School class. We've now decided to meet in the basement instead of the auditorium. The discussion groups and subjects will change each week, so feel free to join us any Sunday. Hope to see you there!

Sight & Sound has put out a movie version of their production of "Moses". The closest theater to us is in Morgantown, WV. The movie will be shown only Thurs. Sept. 13 at 6:30 p.m., Sat. Sept. 15 at 12:55 p.m., and Thurs. Sept. 20 at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to go with a group from the church, contact Beverly Critchfield to arrange for tickets and transportation. Ticket cost is \$13.25.

'Anabaptist Trail' documentary

Is There a Lesson? 45 Years on the Anabaptist Trail with John Ruth and TourMagination draws on more than four decades of photography by John L. Ruth on tours on four continents. Supplementary imagery comes from the more than 1,500 participants in tours led by Ruth beginning in 1973. Thematic continuity is woven by onsite commentary videotaped by Ruth's son Jay on a final tour in 2017. The 90-minute documentary "Is There a Lesson?" will be shown at Maple Glen Mennonite Church on Saturday, September 15, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited. Admission is free. To view a film trailer see <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=05Y4cGKr2II&feature=youtu.be>

We would like to thank the Sunday school classes and each individual who contributed to our kit project for MCC. As we were preparing our order for school kits, we received word that MCC has all the school kits they need for this year, but they are in need of Relief, Hygiene and Sewing Kits. So instead of school kits, we purchased supplies for 30 Relief, 300 Hygiene and 10 Sewing Kits. The Sewing Kits are used to teach the people to do sewing and tailoring. Some even go on to do sewing as a business to help support their families. Thanks again. Daughters of Dorcas

New additions to our church library include:

Hunt, Angela. *Judah's Wife: A Novel of the Maccabees*. The miraculous story of the courageous Maccabees is told through the eyes of Leah, who learns that love requires both courage and sacrifice.

Quinlan, Mary. *The God Box*. Following the death of her mother, the author finds the "God Box," her mother's private cache of notes to God on behalf of family, friends and strangers. This handmade and heartfelt gift demonstrates how to move past life's difficulties and how to move forward with joy.

Elder appointments

Below is a list of the people who have agreed to serve for the upcoming year/term. Congregational affirmation will be sought on September 16.

Position	Members/advisors	New Term
MYF mentor/advisor	Julia Tice	2018-2020
Worship Committee	Shirley Brandes	2017-2019
	Sandy Brenneman	2018-2019
	Beth Green	2017-2019
	Tammy Miller	2016-2019
Ministers of Visitation	Glenn Miller	2016-2019
	Marvette Hollada	2018-2020
	Dixie Otto	2018-2020
Gifts Discernment	Ken Detrick	2018-2020
	Lois Hepler	2018-2021
	Angie Piwonka	2018-2021