



SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

October 27, 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/Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Congregational Singing

Children's Story

Offering

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

Scripture Reading- Luke 9:10-17

Message- No, you do it!

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.*

Worship Leader- Naomi Tice

Song Leader- Pat Haglund

Message- John Verburg

Sound Room- Jerry Abel

Accompanist- Byron Miller

Video- Reuben Tice

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, worshipping, and making disciples. By our living in the Spirit, we reflect His love, joy, hope, and peace.

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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.

AED (Automated External Defibrillator) is located at the back of the church near the elevator.

Board of Elders: Don Green (Chair), Phoebe Wiley, Julia Tice, Glenn Miller, Ken Detrick

Congregational Chair: Paul Durst

October 20, 2019 Totals

S.S. ATTENDANCE	66
W.S. ATTENDANCE	105
ALLEGHENY CONFERENCE OFFERING	\$3,400.00
GENERAL OFFERING	\$114.50

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This Week's Activities

Today- Mountain Anthems, 4:00 p.m.

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

Congregational Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

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

Christmas Chorus Practice, 7:00 p.m.

Upcoming Activities

Nov 4- Worship Committee Meeting,
5:30 p.m.
Elders' Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

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

Nov 7- Prayer Ministry Team, 6:30 p.m.

Ministerial Breakfast

Nov 11- Community Thanksgiving Dinner,
5-6:30 p.m.

Nov 24- Special Missions Offering



Thanks to all who showered Dad with birthday cards. He is enjoying reading and rereading them! Likewise, the plaque. Thanks, too for the generous outpouring of love shown to him each week. With much love and appreciation, Carolyn Tice

Please take time to look through the 2019-2020 Informational Directory. If your entry is incorrect, you were missed or have any other corrections please contact Wendy. We apologize for any mistakes and misses that may have occurred.

The Progressive Dinner will be December 7th starting around 3 p.m. We are in need of some new homes to visit. If you have participated in the dinner in the past and we haven't visited your house, this is the year to host. We need 8 willing to host, 2 soup and 2 bread makers for at the church. If you have hosted in the past, we will still visit your home too. There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of the church, and also, it will be passed around Sunday school classes. Thanks, and come hungry. -Jeff

Signs of Life: Resurrecting Hope Out of Ordinary Losses by Stephanie Lobdell has been added to our church library. The author helps us recognize how pain and weakness can be avenues for God's grace. With candor, clarity and compassion, she offers hard-earned hope for weary souls.

We are looking for nativity scenes to borrow during the Christmas Season. If you have a nativity scene you would like to lend, please contact Wendy or bring your scene to the church office.

The Hospitality Committee is in need of your help for the upcoming Thanksgiving Meal on November 11, 2019. We need 30 regular pies and 4 sugar-free pies. Please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. We also need volunteers to help the day of the event. There is also a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for volunteers. Volunteers will need to arrive at 3 p.m. unless otherwise instructed.

What if God didn't design marriage to make us happy, but to make us holy? Biblical marriage will be the focus of a seminar at Glade Mennonite Church on Saturday, November 23 at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. and Sunday, November 24 at 10:30 a.m. The guest speaker will be Bruce McIntosh, B.A., M.A. from Upward Call Counseling Services. A light lunch will be provided between the sessions on Saturday. There is no charge, but an RSVP is requested to provide materials and lunch. For more information or to RSVP, email: gladchurch1@verizon.net or call or text: (301) 501-2441.

Luke 9:10-17

New International Version (NIV)

Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand

¹⁰ When the apostles returned, they reported to Jesus what they had done. Then he took them with him and they withdrew by themselves to a town called Bethsaida, ¹¹ but the crowds learned about it and followed him. He welcomed them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed healing.

¹² Late in the afternoon the Twelve came to him and said, "Send the crowd away so they can go to the surrounding villages and countryside and find food and lodging, because we are in a remote place here."

¹³ He replied, "You give them something to eat."

They answered, "We have only five loaves of bread and two fish—unless we go and buy food for all this crowd." ¹⁴ (About five thousand men were there.)

But he said to his disciples, "Have them sit down in groups of about fifty each." ¹⁵ The disciples did so, and everyone sat down. ¹⁶ Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke them. Then he gave them to the disciples to distribute to the people. ¹⁷ They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over.

