

SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

May 3, 2020

OPENING PRAYER- HWB #686

*O God, you are my God.
I seek you, my soul thirsts for you;
my flesh faints for
you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.
So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary,
beholding your power and glory.
Because your steadfast love is better than life,
my lips will praise you.
So I will bless you as long as I live;
I will lift up my hands and call on your name. AMEN*

OPENING SONG

“We Will Go” by the Watoto Children's Choir

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tCEGDkdXOcM>

SCRIPTURE- John 15:9-15 "We are Friends"

DEVOTIONAL - Please see today's devotional (April 26) on either youtube.com or on the church's Facebook page.

PRAYER- HWB #751

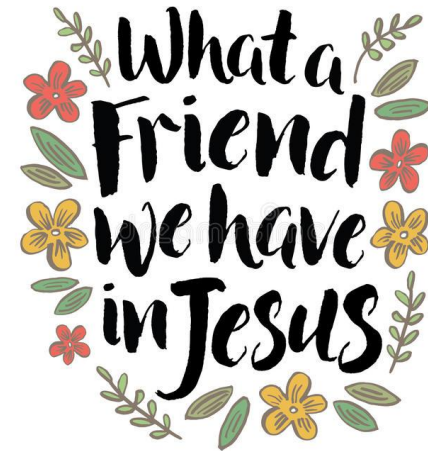
*Generous God, you gave us life; now we give our lives back to you. We present ourselves; our work and play, our joys and sorrows, our thoughts and deeds, our gifts and resources, to be used by you for the sake of all people everywhere, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
AMEN*

CLOSING SONG- What a Friend We Have In Jesus

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cwi_qKVI8lQ

BENEDICTION:

Lord, this is a good day, and it's going to get even better. You are so good to us and in ways that we can never understand. Today, Lord, come into our lives and help us to see you – not just as the Supreme Being that you are – not just as the Creator and Lord of the universe that you are, but as our friend as well. We cannot image how much you love and care for us. So, we only ask that today, this day, you would show us your love and grace in a new and fresh way in all that we do. For it is in Jesus' name that we ask.
AMEN



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

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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

April 26, 2020 Totals

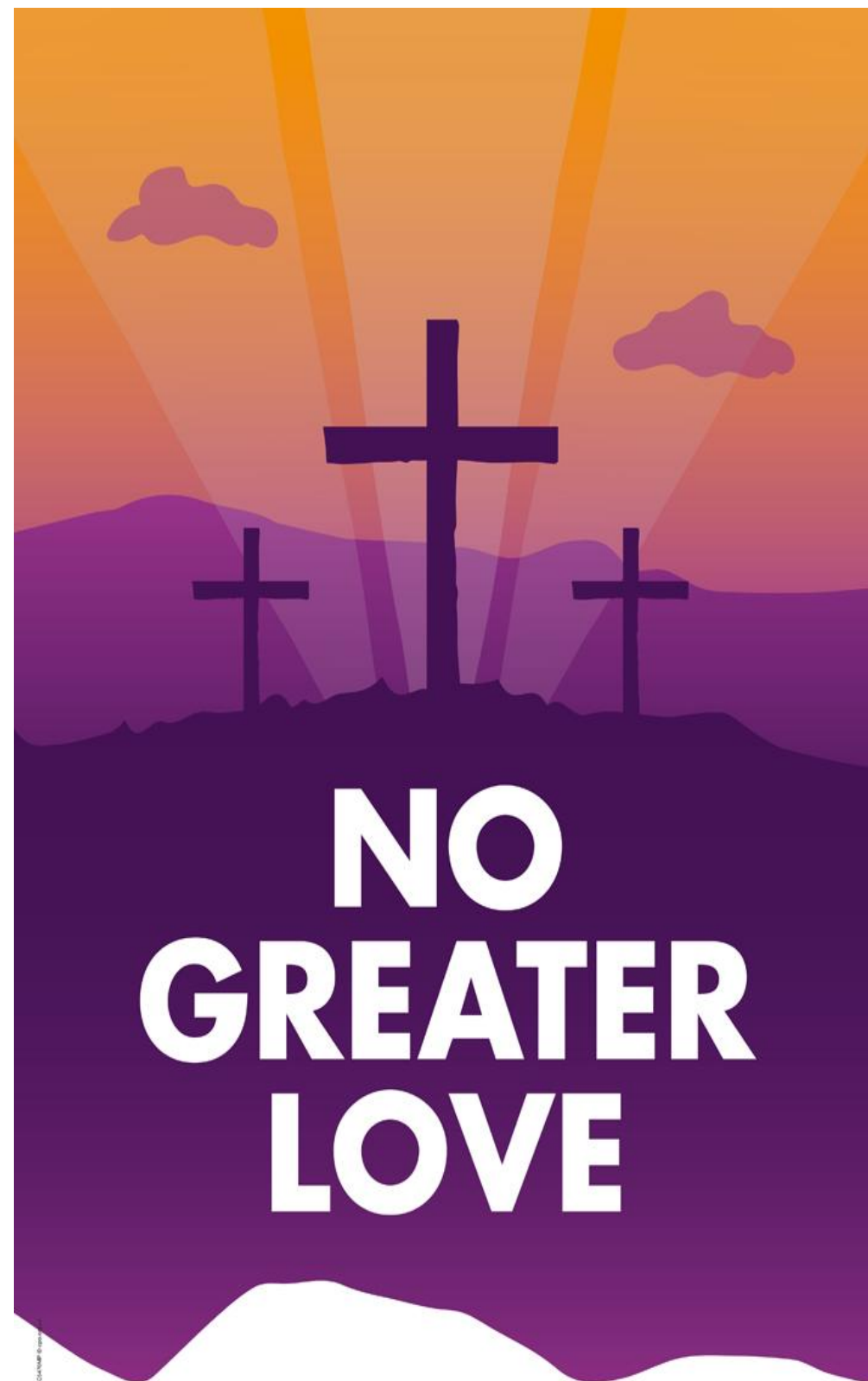
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IMPORTANT!!

Please send contact information for someone whom we could contact if an emergency comes up. With all that is happening, the Elders thought that should something happen to anyone, it would be good to be able to easily contact someone as quickly as possible. We know that many of you have family members around and we're sure that someone would be made aware of your situation. However, there are many who don't have family members around. If you will, please send this info to the church office in the near future.

Elders' Meeting will be this Tuesday, May 5th at 6:30 p.m.

Betty Kolb, a former member of our Springs congregation, is having her 90th Birthday on May 9th. If you would like to send her a card you may do so at:

**Betty Kolb
2000 Cambridge Drive
Room 504
Davidsville, PA 15928**

We are still looking for contributions for 10-12 items for 1-8 year olds so that we can continue sending out Children's Activity Packets. If you would like to contribute, please bring items to the church and place them on the round table in the foyer. Thank you!

If you have any needs during this time please be sure to contact the church and we will do our best to arrange help in any way we can.

*If you are not on Facebook, but would like to keep up with our video messages and daily devotionals you can find us on YouTube on our **Springs Mennonite Church Channel**. Simply search for Springs Mennonite Church and click "subscribe".*

There are stamped envelopes available on the stand in the foyer for those who would like to continue to send their offerings in during the weeks we are not meeting for worship. You can send your offering to the church mailing address at: P.O. Box 127, Springs, PA 15562
You may also place your offering in a secure envelope, marked offering, under John's office door at any time.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

May 6- Edgar Rembold

May 8- Barbara Bruehl, Daniel Lichty

May 9- Beulah Mae Folk

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

May 3- Glenn & Tammy Miller

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Church Prayer & Praise



Prayers for Family and Friends

Esther (Pat) Miller, Gary Bowser,
Naomi Petersheim, Mary Durst,
Rayetta Brant, Phyllis Deal, Fred Bowser,
Dave & Janice Ewing, Linda Gindlesperger,
Betty Jo Wiley, Phyllis Beachy

Those in Missions

Phoebe Wiley - Prison Ministry
Naomi Tice- South Bowenfels, Australia
Noah Haglund- Amman, Jordan

Those in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Fannie Beachy, George Dooley, Alvina Livengood,
Darlene Miller, Ada & Elnora Schrock,
Mabel Beiler, Rayetta Brant, Freda Maust,
Betty Miller, Edith Romesburg, Shirley Teets