

SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

April 24, 2022

10:30 AM

FM 87.9

Welcome

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Opening Songs

Children are dismissed for Children's Church at this time

Confession & Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Prayer (Allegheny Conference Offering)

Sharing of Joys and Concerns (microphone available)

Scripture – Luke 24:36-45

³⁶ While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."

³⁷ They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. ³⁸ He said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? ³⁹ Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have."

⁴⁰ When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet. ⁴¹ And while they still did not believe it because of joy and amazement, he asked them, "Do you have anything here to eat?" ⁴² They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³ and he took it and ate it in their presence.

⁴⁴ He said to them, "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms."

⁴⁵ Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures.

Message – "Who Wouldn't Be Afraid?"

Song of Response

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

Benediction

Doxology

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LB3un06HUSY>



Worship Leader: Amy Wright
Message: John Verburg
Accompanist: Dixie Otto
Worship Planner: Phoebe Wiley
Sound Room: Jerry Abel
Song Leader: Jeff Maust
Video: Reuben Tice
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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.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

April 24- Aarom Mast

April 25- Willis Beitzel

April 26- David Brenneman

April 28- Debra Lapp, Tom Lindeman, Terry Livengood

April 29- Christa Mast

Calendar of Events

TODAY- Allegheny Conference Offering

April 27- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 PM

May 3- Council Meeting, 7:00 PM

May 9- Worship/Music Committee

May 11- Elders Meeting

May 21- Kids Day, 1:00 PM

Gourmet S'mores, 6:00 PM

June 26-30- Bible School

A graphic featuring a quote from Luke 24:36. The text is overlaid on a large, semi-transparent teal circle. The background of the entire image is a soft-focus photograph of tree branches and leaves. The quote is written in a dark, sans-serif font, with the first part in a regular weight and the second part in italics.

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LUKE 24:36

The Covenant Review Committee has completed our task. We thank the congregation for your participation and patience with the required process. A new covenant has been offered, reviewed by Dave Mishler (Conference Minister) and accepted by John. The new agreement closely resembles the existing document and includes a modest salary increase. The next term of service will begin September 1, 2022 and run through August 31, 2027. Blessings to all. May we embrace the future together with John and Faith!

Gifts Discernment Announcement

The following people have been asked and agree to serve as Elders: Ken Detrick and Ed Hoover. We ask that you pray for them and our church. We will ask for affirmation during the worship service on Sunday, May 8.

Announcement:

As a reminder, we ask everyone who is going to use (the gym) fellowship hall area for play or sports to wear soft-soled shoes to prevent black marks.

The latest brochures on Allegheny Conference are located by the offering box.

The Book of Rosy: A Mother's Story of Separation at the Border has been added to our church library. It is a haunting, eloquent narrative of a Guatemalan woman's desperate search for a better life.

On Saturday, May 7th the Grantsville Rotary with the town of Grantsville will be hosting a Children's Fishing Rodeo. Sign-up starts at 7:00 AM at the pavilion next to the pond. There will be prizes for different age groups. For more information, please contact Jerry or Sherry Abel.

The importance of having a will

Do your loved ones know your final wishes? Have confidence your legacy will be a blessing lived beyond your years. The will preparation benefit for Evenence members provides a partial financial reimbursement on the costs of preparing or updating your will. Learn more at [evenence.com/member-benefits](https://www.evenence.com/member-benefits).

SAVE THE DATES, YOU'RE INVITED!

Bible School is back! We are excited to announce Bible School will be held **June 26 - 30**; Sunday through Thursday evenings, for children age 4 through 5th grade. Many exciting activities are being planned as we learn about God the Creator and his marvelous creation while following our theme, *Great Big Beautiful World*. Stay tuned for more information and opportunities to be involved.

The Bible School Committee: Janet Bender, Beth Green, Melissa Durst

The Garrett United Methodist Church Choir and Friends will present their annual Easter cantata, "Is He Worthy?" tonight at 7:00 PM at the church on Walker Street in Garrett. A time of fellowship will conclude the evening.

April 17, 2022 Totals

General Offering	\$5,280.00
Attendance	104

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.