

# SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

November 6, 2022

10:30 AM

FM 87.9

Welcome

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Call to Worship

Affirmation of Faith

Slide Show- "Sharing the Love"

Offering Prayer

*\*\*Children will collect coins for My Coins Count\*\**

Prayer for the items being sent to MCC

Announcements & Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Scripture- *Psalm 100:1-5*

Message- "An Attitude of Thankfulness"

Song of Response

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

Benediction

Song of Sending

Message: John Verburg  
Worship Leader: Harriet Berg  
Accompanist: Byron Miller  
Worship Planner: Deb Hoover  
Sound Room: Ryan Critchfield  
Song Leader: Phoebe Wiley  
Video: Reuben Tice  
Live Stream: Isaac Tice

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## *Psalm 100:1-5*

*<sup>1</sup> Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.*

*<sup>2</sup> Worship the LORD with gladness;  
come before him with joyful songs.*

*<sup>3</sup> Know that the LORD is God.*

*It is he who made us, and we are his<sup>(w)</sup>;  
we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.*

*<sup>4</sup> Enter his gates with thanksgiving  
and his courts with praise;*

*give thanks to him and praise his name.*

*<sup>5</sup> For the LORD is good and his love endures forever;  
his faithfulness continues through all generations.*

### **Calendar of Events**

**TODAY-** Appreciation Lunch (All are welcome!)  
Collecting Canned Goods

**November 8-** Elders Meeting, 6:30 PM

**November 9-** Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 PM

**November 10-** Ladies Bible Study, 6:30 PM

**November 13-** Missions Offering & Canned Goods Collection

**November 14- Worship/Music Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM**  
Praise Team Practice, 7:00 PM

**November 15-** Community Thanksgiving Meal

**November 20-** Poinsettia Orders Due

*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.*

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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!**

**November 7-** Melinda Gibson, Michael Miller

**November 9-** Greg Miller

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**

**November 11-** Rick & Deanna Yoder

**October 30, 2022 Offering Total**

**General Offering**            \$3,649.00

**Attendance**                    80



November 13 is the date that has been chosen for the annual Missions Offering. Distribution will be as it was last year with \$1000 going to each of 3 separate food banks – Garrett Co. Food Bank, Somerset Co. Food Bank, and Somerset Mobile Food Bank. The balance of the Missions Offering will be split with 60% going to MCC and 40% going to MDS.

**We will be collecting canned goods and non-perishable food items today and next Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> to be distributed as noted above.**

The Daughters of Dorcas is collecting money to be sent to MCC for kits. Cost of the various kits is as follows: School Kits, \$5.40; Hygiene Kits, \$2.80; and Relief Kits, \$23.00. Most needed currently are Hygiene and Relief Kits. We still supply some kit bags for them. They really appreciated our last check that was designated for "Kits - where needed most"! We would appreciate your offerings by tomorrow, November 7. Thank you so much for your generosity!

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY** is this Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at Sheera Beitzel's house at 162 Main Street, Grantsville, across from the post office. If you missed the first one, no worries! We hope to see you there.

**Volunteers and pies are still needed for the Community Thanksgiving Dinner. If you are willing to help during the dinner or make a pie, please sign-up on the sign up sheets in the foyer.**

*Rejoice*  
in the Lord always

## SIGNIFICANT ITEMS CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

November 1, 2022

1. Two more suggestions were made for use of the money we received from the sale of the International Guest House. Those suggestions were: upgrade the church kitchen, start a truck stop ministry in the Hilltop/Pilot area.
2. Reuben Tice will shovel snow here at the church on weekdays. Michael Miller will take care of Sundays.
3. The trustees have asked for prices from 2 different contractors to repair the retaining wall at the steps outside of the furnace room.
4. The new Young Adult Sunday School class will be helping with the breakfast rotation. Jeff Maust will be assisting with teaching this class.

Please join PA Orphan Care Alliance in a Stand Sunday event at 6:00 PM on Sunday, November 13 at Kaufman Mennonite Church, 916 Miller Picking Rd., Davidsville. This will be an evening focusing on foster care and adoption and ways to support and care for vulnerable children and families. We will spend time in worship, hear from local individuals actively engaged in the child welfare system, and be challenged to take a stand in some way to make a difference in the lives of children and families in Somerset County. Refreshments provided and agencies and organizations will be present to learn more. Contact [lydia@ccoca.org](mailto:lydia@ccoca.org) with questions.

**It's Poinsettia Order Time!** If you would like to order a red or white poinsettia to be used in the church during Advent and Christmas, please fill out the order form in your mailbox or from on the credence stand. Make your check payable to Springs Mennonite Church, designated "flowers," and put it in the offering box. The poinsettias cost \$8.55 each and are in 6" pots. Please return your order by Sunday, November 20, and put it in Janet Bender's mailbox. You may take your poinsettia home by Christmas, or you may leave it longer. Thank you. *Visual Arts*