

SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

January 22, 2023

10:30 AM

FM 87.9

Welcome

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Call to Worship-

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Prayer

Children will collect coins for My Coins Count

Announcements & Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Scripture- *Matthew 3:13-17*

Message- *“Jesus’ Baptism”*

Song of Response

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gZ79oC2lZVo>

Benediction

Song of Sending

Message: John Verburg

Worship Leader: Isaac Tice

Accompanist: Byron Miller

Worship Planner: Isaac Tice

Sound Room: Jerry Abel

Song Leader: Karin Miller

Video: Reuben Tice

Live Stream: Isaac Tice

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Matthew 3:13-17

¹³ Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptized by John. ¹⁴ But John tried to deter him, saying, “I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?”

¹⁵ Jesus replied, “Let it be so now; it is proper for us to do this to fulfill all righteousness.” Then John consented.

¹⁶ As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. ¹⁷ And a voice from heaven said, “This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased.”

Calendar of Events

January 24- Christmas Carol/Prayer for Andrea Hoover, 6:30 PM

January 25- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 PM

February 4- Youth Ice Skating, 6-8:00 PM, Grantsville Park

February 7- Council Meeting, 7:00 PM

February 10- Elders Meeting, 6:30 PM

February 12- Valentine’s Dinner, after church

February 13- Worship/Music Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM

February 18- Family Game Night, 6:00 PM

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.

Church Information: Phone: (814) 662-4201

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or by appointment

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Elders:

Don Green (Chair)- (814) 521-5709

Deb Brenneman- (814) 662-2946

Rosie Cupler- (301) 697-1772

Ken Detrick- (814) 662-2692

Ed Hoover- (814) 521-7128



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!

January 23- Gibson Hoover, Aaron Mitchell

January 24- Emily Fisher

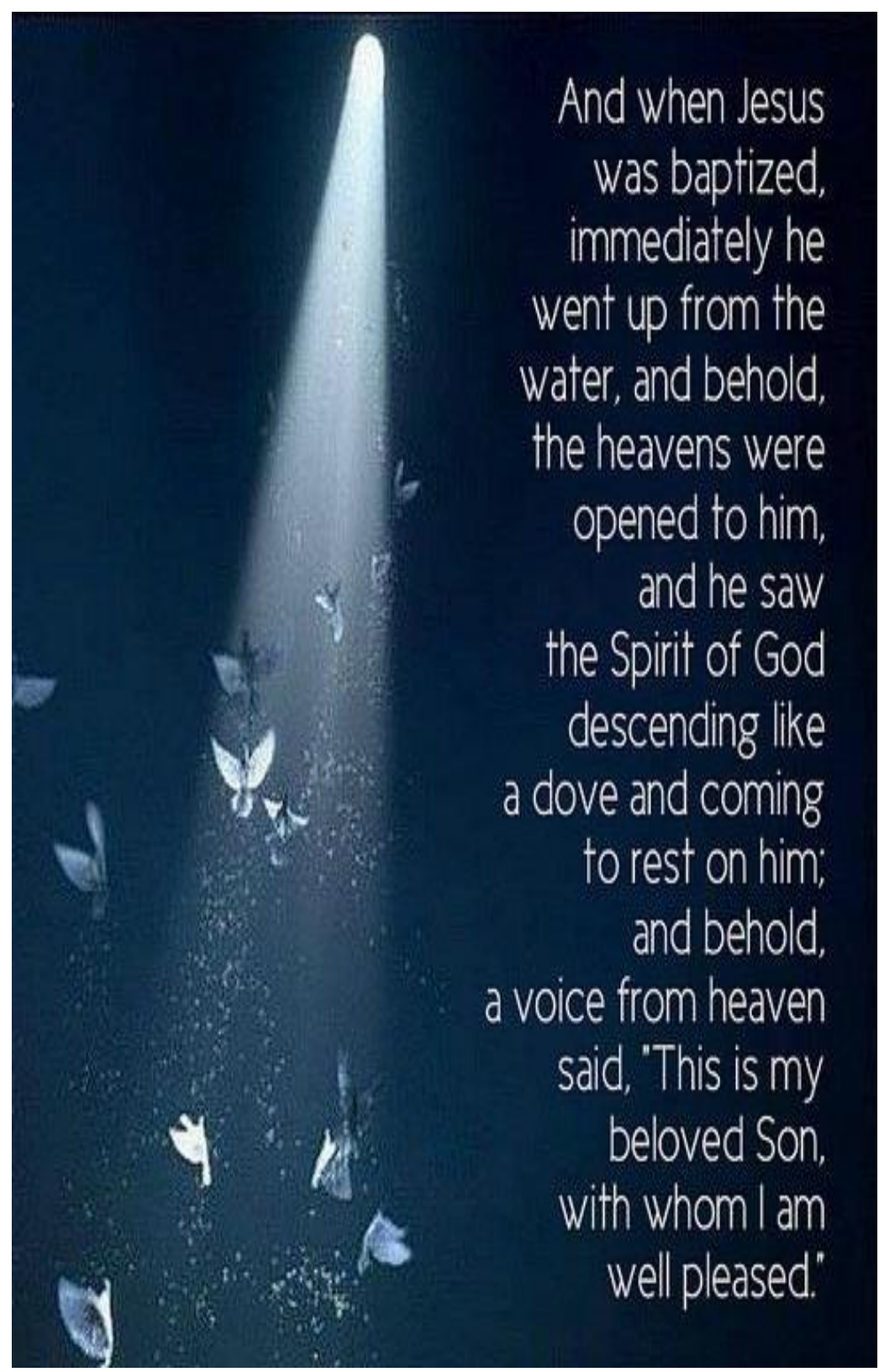
January 27- Betty Miller

January 15, 2023 Offering Total

Allegheny Conference Offering \$4,390.00

General Offering \$1,200.00

Attendance 93



And when Jesus was baptized, immediately he went up from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened to him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming to rest on him; and behold, a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."

This Tuesday, January 24th we will be meeting at 6:30 PM at the home of Jeremy and Andrea Hoover for Christmas Caroling and a time of prayer for Andrea. Their address is 132 Meyers Ave., Meyersdale, PA 15552. Andrea has a long road to recovery, and we invite all who would like to show support to her and the family to join us. More details will be announced during morning worship.

We wish to thank everyone who volunteered their time and attended/viewed the Celebration of Life to honor my mother. It was a wonderful service and thank you Eric for assuring Mother that you would perform her final service here on earth.

-Terry & Family

A Youth Skating Night will be held on Saturday, February 4th from 6-8:00 PM at Grantsville Park. Please sign up via the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer or contact Michelle Maust.

We will be having a Family Game Night & Pizza on Saturday, February 18th starting at 6:00 PM. Pizza and drinks will be provided. Please bring a snack & dessert to share.

A Secret Sister Ministry is being planned to begin in February. If you would like to participate and have not yet been contacted, please contact Becky Shoemaker. Questionnaires have been placed in mailboxes. If you have not received a questionnaire and would like to participate, there are extras available on the credence stand in the foyer. Please fill out the questionnaire and place it in Becky's mailbox no later than Monday, January 30th. Anything not listed on the questionnaire that you would like your Secret Sister to know please list it.

Together let's put a little sunshine in Andrea Hoovers life. A sunshine box is in the foyer so that we as a church family can shower love on Andrea. Please place your gift or card in the box no later than Tuesday, January 31st.

Significant Items Elders Meeting January 10, 2023

Those in attendance John Verburg, Don Green, Ken Detrick, Rosie Cupler, and Deb Brenneman

Devotions were led by Don Green. The question was asked: What is the Sabbath, and what is it intended to be? We are all called to go out and love.

Approval of December minutes was given.

Pastor reported about health concerns of several in the church and community.

Gifts Discernment is hoping to meet soon.

Meeting closed with prayer for the church and community.

Next meeting will be held Friday, February 10, 2023, 6:30 P.M.

*Who can we serve?
How can we serve?*