

# SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

February 5, 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 4:12-17*

Message- *“Beginning to Preach”*

Song of Response

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QSyQYnrpEv8>

Benediction

Song of Sending

Message: John Verburg

Worship Leader: Paul Durst

Accompanist: Byron Miller

Worship Planner: Beth Green

Sound Room: Ryan Critchfield

Song Leader: Jane Benson

Video: Reuben Tice

Live Stream: Isaac Tice

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## Calendar of Events

February 7- Council Meeting, 7:00 PM

February 8- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 PM

February 9- Elders Meeting, 6:30 PM

February 12- Fellowship Meal, after church

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

February 18- Family Game Night, 6:00 PM

April 1- Community Easter Egg Hunt

### *Matthew 4:12-17*

<sup>12</sup> When Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, he withdrew to Galilee. <sup>13</sup> Leaving Nazareth, he went and lived in Capernaum, which was by the lake in the area of Zebulun and Naphtali— <sup>14</sup> to fulfill what was said through the prophet Isaiah:

<sup>15</sup> “Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali, the Way of the Sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—

<sup>16</sup> the people living in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned.” <sup>17</sup> From that time on Jesus began to preach, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

*We extend our heartfelt Christian sympathy to the family of Jerry Abel, whose mother, Joan Abel, passed away on January 22.*

**We would like to thank everyone for their prayers during Mom’s, Joan Abel’s, illness. Mom and the family were so appreciative for the cards that she received from the church members; this is a wonderful ministry. Please keep praying for the family and especially my dad, Charles Abel. Mom and dad were married 67 years, and he is having a hard time without mom. We appreciate the cards and your kindness. Thanks so very much.**

**-Jerry & Sherry**

For those who wish to have an update on Enos and Carolyn’s Adventures, their latest entry can be ready at:

<https://cetice.wordpress.com/2023/01/27/month-one-of-our-year-long-adventure/>

Anyone without computer access wishing to read the update may ask Wendy Brenneman for a printed copy.

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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!**

**February 6-** John Doyle, Roxie Livengood

**January 29, 2023 Offering Total**

**General Offering** \$2,848.00

**Attendance** 110

*Who can we serve?*

*How can we serve?*

