

SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

July 23, 2023

10:30 AM

Welcome

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- *Psalm 8:1-9*

Sermon- *“Mindful that God cares”*

Benediction

Sending Song

Message: John Verburg
Worship Leader: Phoebe Wiley
Worship Planner: Beth Green
Accompanist: Byron Miller
Sound Room: Jerry Abel
Song Leader: Phoebe Wiley
Video: Reuben Tice

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Calendar of Events

TODAY- Casselman Valley Food Pantry Donation Drive

July 25- Christmas in July Party for the youth, 6-8:00 PM

July 26- Daughters of Dorcas, 9:30-3:30 PM

August 1- Council Meeting, 7:00 PM

August 6- Elder Affirmation Vote

August 7- Worship/Music Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM

August 18 & 19- Youth Camping Trip

August 26- Community Band/Ice Cream Social, 6:00 PM

September 15-17- Church Retreat

Psalm 8:1-9

¹ *LORD, our Lord,*

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory

in the heavens.

² *Through the praise of children and infants*

you have established a stronghold against your enemies,
to silence the foe and the avenger.

³ *When I consider your heavens,*

the work of your fingers,

the moon and the stars,

which you have set in place,

⁴ *what is mankind that you are mindful of them,*

human beings that you care for them?^[a]

⁵ *You have made them^[a] a little lower than the angels^[a]*
and crowned them^[a] with glory and honor.

⁶ *You made them rulers over the works of your hands;*
you put everything under their^[a] feet:

⁷ *all flocks and herds,*

and the animals of the wild,

⁸ *the birds in the sky,*

and the fish in the sea,

all that swim the paths of the seas.

⁹ *LORD, our Lord,*

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Church Information: Phone: (814) 662-4201

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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 songbooks 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!

July 24- Deb Hoover

July 25- Nancy White

July 27- Carlene Dowell

July 28- Jay Resh

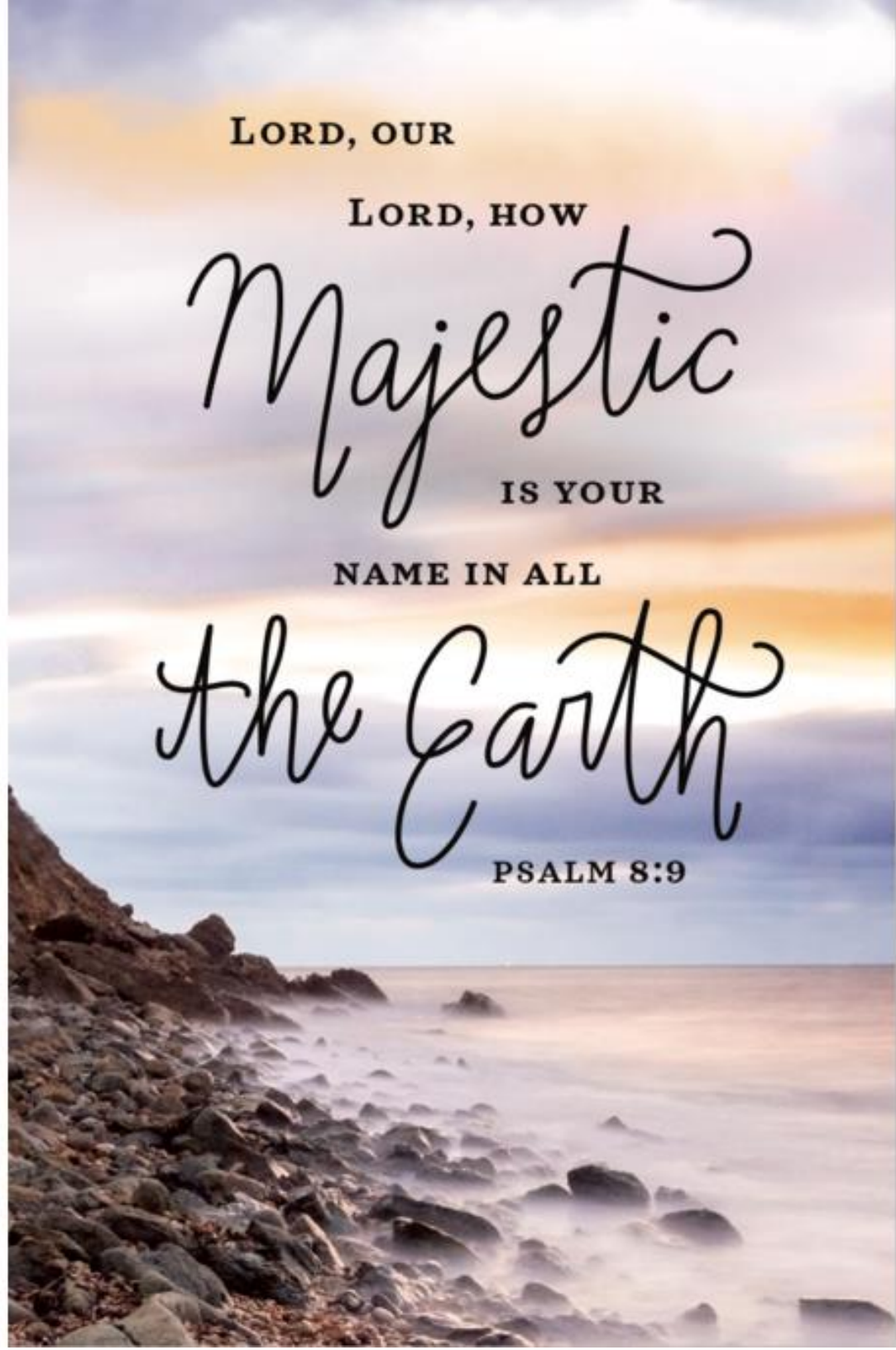
July 29- Rebecca Peck

July 16, 2023 Offering Total

Attendance 92

General Fund Offering \$1,950.00

Allegheny Conf. Offering \$4,269.00



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PSALM 8:9

Rosie Cupler and Sherry Abel have graciously agreed to serve as Elders for a three-year term. Any comments may be directed to the Gifts Discernment Committee. A vote of affirmation will be taken on August 6th.

There will be a Christmas in July Party for all children this Tuesday, July 25th from 6-8 here at the church. We will have a meal, fun activities, and water games.

There will be a camping trip for all children and their families on August 18-19 at the Maust Cabin. Camping will begin at 5:00 PM on Friday and will conclude at 10:00 AM on Saturday. Please see Michelle Maust for more details.



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.

He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

(4 verses & repeat the first)

He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the little bitty baby in His hands
He's got you and me brother. . .
He's got you and me sister. . .
He's got the whole world. . .

For God so loved us

For God so loved us, he sent the Savior.
For God so loved us and loves me too.

*Love so unending, I'll sing thy praises.
God loves his children, loves even me.*

He sent the Savior, the bless'd Redeemer.
He sent the Savior to set me free.

It Only Takes A Spark

by Kurt Kaiser (1969)

It only takes a spark, to get a fire going
And soon all those around, can warm up in its glowing
That's how it is with God's love
Once you've experienced it
You spread his love to everyone;
You want to pass it on.

What a wondrous time is spring, when all the trees are budding
The birds begin to sing, the flowers start their blooming
That's how it is with God's love
Once you've experienced it
You want to sing, it's fresh like spring
You want to pass it on.

I wish for you my friend, this happiness that I've found
You can depend on him, it matters not where you're bound
I'll shout it from the mountain top
I want the world to know, the Lord of love has come to me
I want to pass it on.

