



SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

September 6, 2026

Welcome

Call to Worship

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Congregational Singing

Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Prayer – Children come forward to
collect coins for My Coins Count
(Offering Box is in the Church foyer)

Announcements & Prayer for the Church

Congregational Singing

Scripture: Luke 1: 39-56

Message: “Mary’s Song: Reversals, Resistance and
Revolution”

Song of Response

Benediction

Sending Song

Worship Planner/Leader: Beth Green
Scripture Reading: Rod Tissue
Speaker: Lydia Harnish
Announcements & Prayer: Don Green
Accompanist: Byron Miller
Song Leader: Phoebe Wiley
Sound Room: Ryan Critchfield
Video: Reuben Tice
Live Stream: Isaac Tice
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Calendar of Events

September 9 – Daughters of Dorcas – 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

September 11 - 13 – Church Retreat

September 15 – Church Council Meeting - **Both current and incoming Council members should attend.**

November 17 – Drive-Thru Thanksgiving Dinner

*Happy
Retirement*

**To: Laban & Julia
Tice**



NEEDED: UNWANTED, EMPTY PINT OR QUART-SIZED GLASS JARS. (Please remove labels.) Your empty glass jars can be easily recycled into flower vases. Please leave any jars you have to contribute in Sunday school Classroom #4, next to the pastor’s study. Thanks!

Church Information

Phone: (814) 662-4201

Church Administrator: Sherry Abel (814) 233-0510

Office hours: Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

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Elders:

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Terry Livengood	(301) 707-7173
Lori Otto	(814) 289-1136

August 31, 2026, Attendance and Offering

General Fund: \$2,610.00

Attendance: 100

Happy Birthday:

September 8 – Rebekah Mast

9 – Wes Bergen

10 – Julia Tice

Happy Anniversary:

September 9 – Bob & Nancy Green

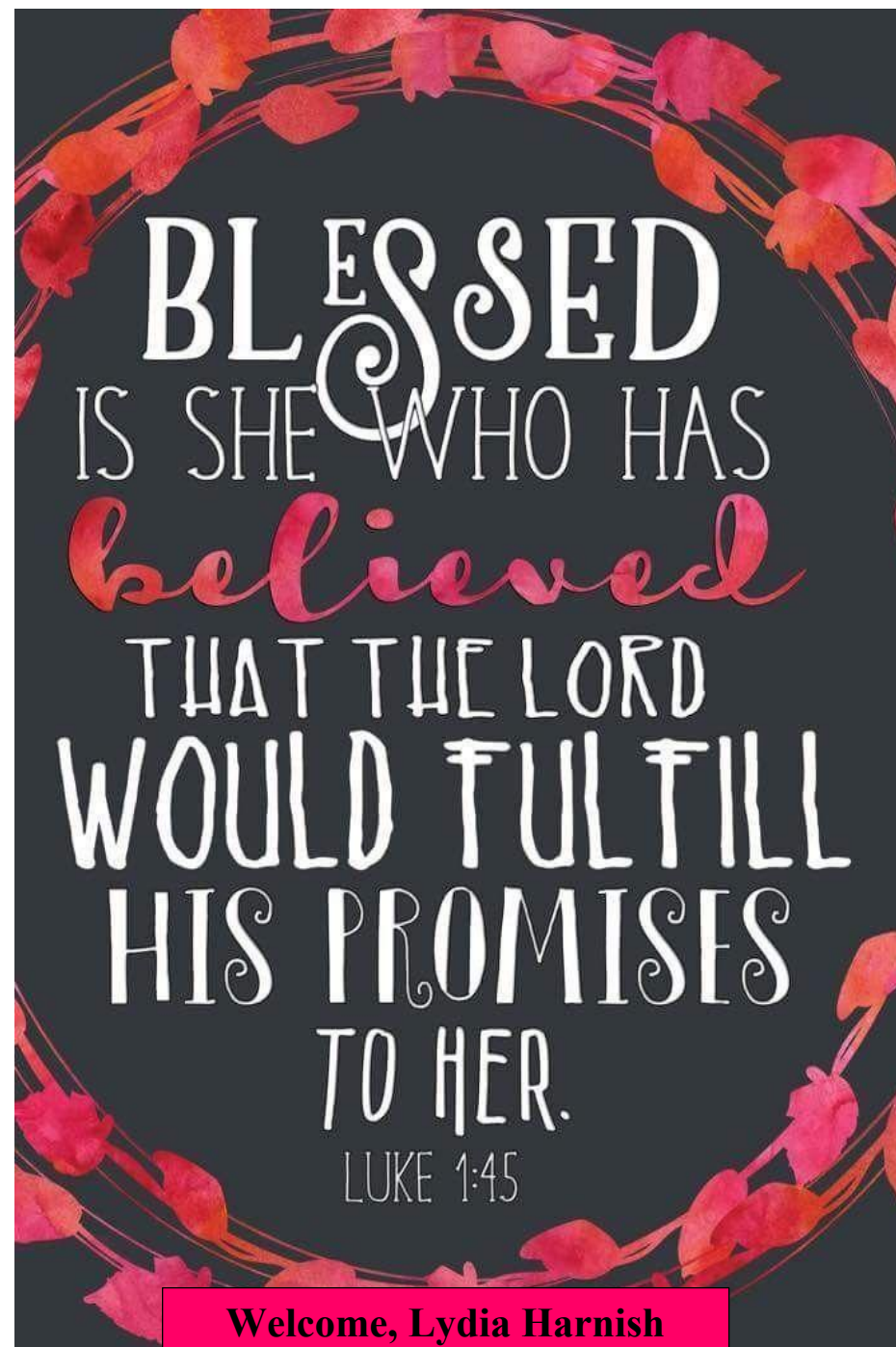
11 – Tom & Nancy White



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.



This Week's Pastoral Search Prayer Focus Pastors of the Past

- Thank God for pastors we've had in the past, including: Wes Bergen, John Verburg, Paul Versluis, Robert & Luann Yutzy, Eric Haglund, Casey Rohrer, Laban Peachey, Owen Guengrich, Steve Heatwole, John Kraybill, Jim Burkhoklder, and Walter Otto.
- Thank God for bringing each of them to our congregation and for their service and faithfulness to God and to us
- Thank God for these men and women and for each one's role in your spiritual growth
- Thank God for the Search Committee that selected them
- For those still living, pray for their continuing ministries, and health and well-being
- Thank God for his continued faithfulness to us.



Companions on the Way: Chaplaincy in Interfaith

Contexts: Sept. 28–30 at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary, Elkhart, Indiana. What does it mean in this day/age/moment to be a companion and spiritual caregiver to those whose faiths and cultures are different from your own? Join us to explore the practice of spiritual care in interfaith contexts, with a special focus on the ministry of The Nazareth Hospital EMMS. This conference is only offered in person. Register by Sept. 21. ambs.edu/chaplaincy-conference

Reminder of schedule for Church Retreat, next weekend

Friday

6:30 PM – Worship with Tim Yoder
7:00 PM – Finger Foods (please bring finger foods to share)
7:30 PM – Trivia, Board Games, Puzzles
(bring board games to share)
In gym, corn hole & ping pong

Saturday

8:00 AM – Light Breakfast food – Coffee & Juice
Activities: Golf, Hiking, Biking, & Bow Shoot
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM – Craft
Etch'd n Beyond Signs
5:00 PM - Supper
Baked Potato Bar
6:30 PM - Worship with Tim Yoder
7:00 PM – Talent Show
Brownies and Ice Cream
(bring brownies to share)

Sunday

9:00 A.M. Breakfast/Fellowship Time
9:30 A.M. Sunday school
10:30 A.M. Worship with Tim Yoder
Luncheon after worship service

I will be in the office on Monday, September 7, from 8:30 to 10:30. Monday evening we will travel to Morgantown and stay overnight before Jerry's surgery. I will remain in Morgantown until I am able to bring him home. I am hoping to be back in the office on Friday. I will be able to check emails and work on the bulletin and other tasks. If you need to call me and I'm unable to answer, please send a text message, and I will return your call as soon as possible. ...Sherry