SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

October 25, 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 & Prayers of the Church

Congregational Singing

Scripture: Luke 24: 13-27

Message: "The Road"

Song of Response

Benediction

Sending Song

Worship Planner: Sandy Brenneman
Speaker: Bill Mosholder
Worship Leader: Beverly Critchfield
Song Leader: Melinda Gibson
Accompanist: Dixie Otto
Announcements & Prayer: Terry Livengood
Sound Room: Noel Livengood
Video: Reuben Tice
Live Stream: Isaac Tice
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Calendar of Events

October 27 – Congregational Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.

October 28 – Daughters of Dorcas – 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

November 3 – Church Council – 7:00 p.m.

November 8 – Intergenerational Sunday School – Topic Class, Class 6 and Young People

November 12 – Elders' Meeting – 4:30 p.m.

November 17 – Drive-Thru Thanksgiving Dinner

November 22 & 29 – Children's Christmas Program Practice during church

December 6 – Families of the children and youth participating in the Christmas Program are invited to join us for a shared common meal immediately following the church service. After the meal there will be a dress rehearsal.

December 13 – Children's Program during worship service

The agenda for the congregational meeting on October 27th at 7:00 p.m. will be as follows:

1. Review Report Booklet
2. Review 2026-27 proposed church budget
3. Approval of church budget
4. Any updates from Church Council, Board of Elders, or
   Pastoral Search Committee
5. New boiler information
6. Doug Berg— Tri-State Relief Sale
7. Discuss *Voices Together* songbook

Church Information
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Church Administrator: Sherry Abel (814) 233-0510
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Rosie Cupler	(301) 697-1772
Terry Livengood	(301) 707-7173
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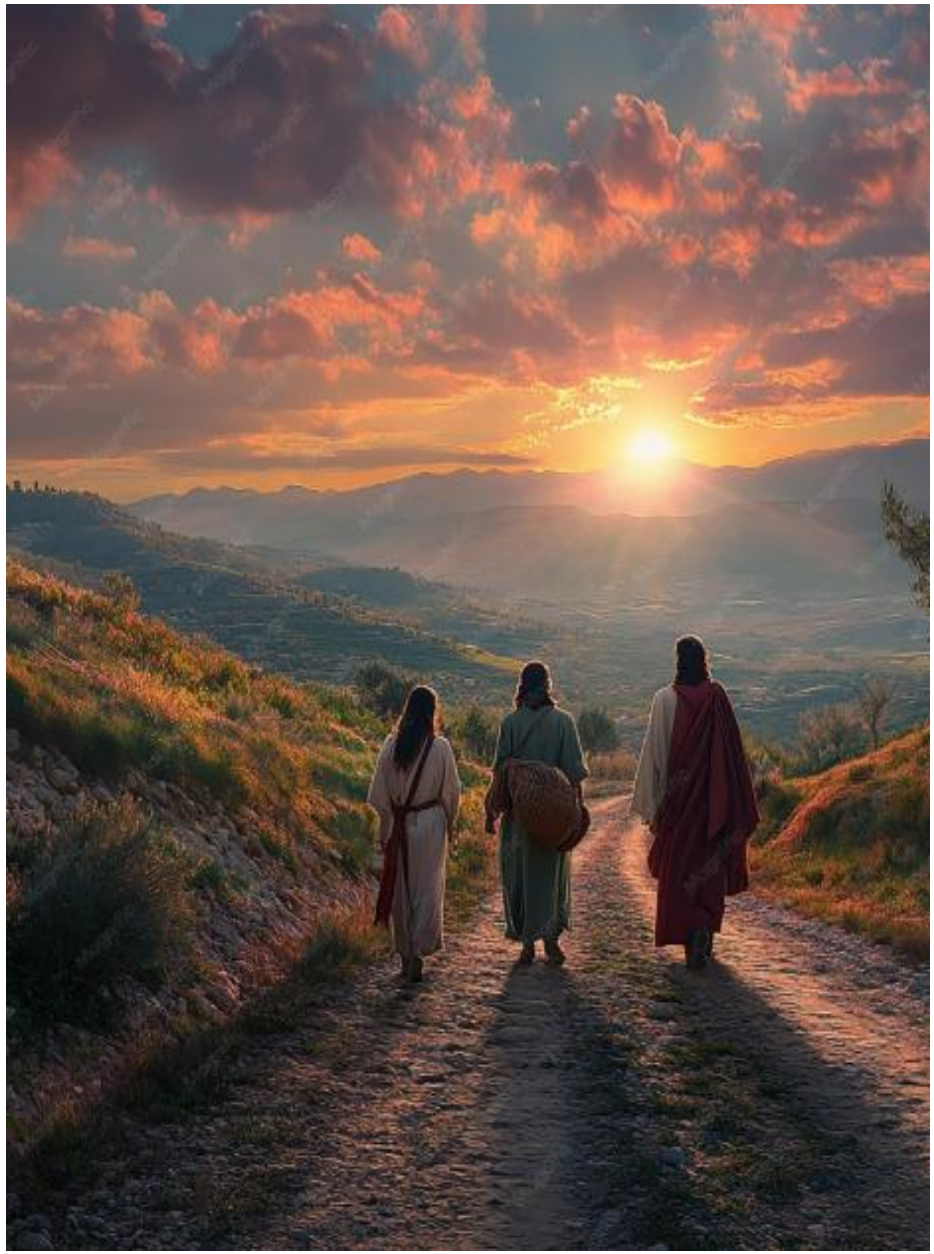
October 18, 2026, Attendance and Offering

Allegheny Conference: $3,389.00
General Fund: $550.00
Attendance: 101

Happy Birthday:

October 25 – Ben Yoder
26 – Rod Lichty, Jayden Maust
27 – Jamie Clark
31 – Joel Elder

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.



"The Road"

Notes:

PRAYERS & PRAISES

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Easton (child with cancer), Jerry & Sherry Abel,
Ben Adams (Diana Detrick's nephew),
Willis Beitzel, Gary Bowser (Deb Lapp's brother), Harriet Berg,
Marcia & Larry Cogley, Ron Brenneman (Dave Brenneman's father),
Ann Critchfield, Jim Doyle, Kathy Durst, Marty Durst, Andrea Hoover,
Jane Horst (Lindsey (Otto) Horst's mother-in-law),
James Hutzell (Diana Detrick's nephew),
Hilda Janczak (Sherry Abel's sister),
Renee Jones (Kedrick Lapp's daughter), Mary Lou Jordan,
Chris Kinsinger (Tricia Kipp & Scott Kinsinger's brother),
Bob Layton (Deb Brenneman's brother),
Roxie Livengood, Ron McAmis (Sherry Abel's brother),
Roger McKenzie (Bethany (Garlitz) Bach's father),
Michael & Beth, Lainey & Myla Miller,
Paul & Laura Molter (Phoebe Wiley's brother-in-law and sister),
Edgar & Alice Rembold,
Craig Shoemaker (Gene Shoemaker's brother),
Bobby Smith, John & Faith Verburg,
Tom & Nancy White, James Wiley (Phoebe Wiley's son), Fay Yoder

THOSE IN MISSIONS

Naomi Tice – Bammental, Germany
Phoebe Wiley – Prison Ministry

NURSING HOMES, REHAB CENTERS, & ASSISTED LIVING

Shirley Brandes,
Beulah Mae Folk, Lisa Durst Frye,
Doretha Hoover (Ed Hoover's mother),
Janis Jackson (Lori Otto's mother),
Liz Nicholson (Pat Haglund & Deb Hoover's mother)



I want to express my heartfelt thanks to **Don Green** and **Reuben Tice** for their help with my move. Their kindness and willingness to lend a hand meant so much. I also want to thank the church for the financial support that made this transition easier. I am deeply grateful for your generosity.

Tim Kinsinger

AMBS
Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary

Leadership Clinics at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary: Monday, Feb. 22. These daylong in-person clinics include Coaching Skills for Leaders; Healthy Boundaries 101; New Wine, New Ways: Growing Faith Across Generations; and Worship in an Age of Polarization. CEUs available. View clinic descriptions and register: ambs.edu/clinics

Online Short Course: Understanding Anabaptist Approaches to Scripture: Feb. 3 – March 16. Study how 16th-century Anabaptists approached Scripture — as compared with Catholics and other Protestants — and consider those similarities and differences in light of today. This six-week online short course of Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary will be taught by Laura Brenneman-Fullwood, PhD, and David Cramer, PhD. No grades, no papers! CEUs available. Sign up by Jan. 13 to save $50. ambs.edu/short-courses

This Week's Pastoral Search Prayer Focus

The Congregation

- Thank God for our love for each other and for the volunteers covering for our pastoral needs
- Pray for open minds as we consider pastoral search committee recommendations
- Pray for patience in this time of waiting
- Help us to counsel each other and to continue to grow in the Spirit during this time

My Coins Count

A Deposit of **$156.19** was made to bring the Year-to-Date total to **$684.83**



Several members of the music committee will be available following the service today to answer questions you may have about the new hymnal, *Voices Together*.