



# SPRINGS MENNONITE CHURCH

*Fellowship and food in the basement 9:00 A.M.*  
*Sunday School 9:30 A.M.*  
*Worship Service 10:30 A.M.*

*“For the Lamb...will lead them to springs of living water.” Revelation 7:17*

## Gathering

Prelude  
Announcements  
Call to Worship

## Praising

Congregational Song  
Offering  
Affirmation of Faith  
Congregational Song

## Hearing the Word

Scripture: *Mark 11: 20-26*  
Sermon: *“The Need for Forgiveness”*

## Anointing Service

## Responding to the Word

Song of Response  
Sharing of Praises & Concerns

## Sending

Benediction  
Doxology

*Worship Leader: Ron Beitzel*  
*Song Leader: Winston Hershberger*  
*Children’s Church: Reuben & Carol Tice*  
*Prelude & Special Music: Douglas Root and Brody Thomas*

*Sermon: Casey Rohrer*  
*Sound Tech: Noel Livengood*  
*Video: Reuben Tice*

### Church Information:

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**Church Secretary:** Felicia Maust  
**Office Hours:** Mondays 8:00 am – 12:00 pm, Tuesdays off, Wednesdays 8:00 am – 12:00 pm, Thursdays 8:00 am – 12:00 pm then 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm. Friday 8:00 am – 12:00 pm.  
**Bulletin deadline:** All announcements are due on Friday by 9:00 A.M.



### **Springs Mennonite Church is Handicap Accessible**

There is a restroom & an elevator 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.

**Board of Elders:** Nancy Green, Lois Hepler, Mert Maust,  
Glenn Miller, Delmas Yoder (Chair)  
**Congregational Chair:** Phoebe Wiley

### *October 25, 2009 Totals*

<b>S.S. ATTENDANCE &amp; OFFERING</b>	104	\$143.00
<b>W.S. ATTENDANCE &amp; OFFERING</b>	139	\$3,033.00

**Our Christian sympathies** go out to the families of Salome Yoder and George Pope who went to be with the Lord this week. Pray for God's comfort and guidance during this difficult time.

**Grief, Spirituality and Sexuality: Life after Losing a Spouse** will gather widowed individuals and those who walk alongside them during a weekend retreat at Laurelville Mennonite Church Center on December 4-6, 2009. Rachel Nafziger Hartzler will explore themes of suffering, lament, and hope—including "A Decempered Grief", a ritual service addressing grief during the holiday season—while creating a space where participants can share with one another in a safe, uplifting environment. For more information and to register, visit [www.laurelville.org](http://www.laurelville.org), or call **800.839.1021**. You may also email Rachel at [rach@maplenet.net](mailto:rach@maplenet.net).

**Budget counseling:** If you are facing a difficult financial situation or need questions answered about a mortgage or even your budget, MMA offers free, confidential budget and debit counseling. Contact Nancy Green, our MMA advocate, for information.

**Pray for Neal Blough** who will be traveling from the Paris Mennonite Center to the Theological Seminary Bienenberg in Switzerland to teach courses Thursday through Saturday of the coming week. Pray also for the French and Swiss pastors who are deepening their knowledge through this continuing education program.

**Join Kaufman Mennonite Church**, Davidsville, PA, for some great instrumental music and singing at 7:00 P.M. as they lift their voices to raise funds for Mennonite Central Committee through TriState Relief Sale! Questions? Contact Pete Harshberger 814-479-4748.

**Join us Sunday, November 15, 2009** at 7:00 p.m. for an evening of music presented by the musical group *4-Given*. This inspirational concert will be held at the Salisbury Church of the Brethren on Union Street.

**To all who helped** with our mother's funeral service, and the preparation and serving of the delicious meal and who expressed condolences, we offer our sincere thanks and appreciation. – The children of Salome Yoder.

## M.Y.F. News

**MYF**--Alleghany Conference Leadership Retreat will be held November 20--22 at Camp Mantowagan. The theme for the weekend is "Just Live It." There will be time for worship, learning, fun and fellowship. If you are interested in participating, please return the registration forms and a check for \$25 (made out to Springs MYF) to Barb or Amy by Sunday, November 8.

**Casselman Valley Region Churches of Alleghany Mennonite Conference** invites you to join them for a time of food & community fellowship on November 1<sup>st</sup> at Oak Grove Mennonite Church. Soup & sandwiches will be served at 5:00 p.m., followed by a Worship service at 7:00 p.m.

## J.F.K News

**Just For Kids** will be reinstated as a youth fellowship group starting Saturday, November 7. Nancy Green will be the advisor and invites all children with school ages from kindergarten to fourth grade. We will meet at the church social room Saturday from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. This will be a fun time to play and learn together. If you have any questions, please call Nancy at 662-4067.

**Please do not put** loose items in the World's Attic closet. Items should be boxed or double bagged for easier loading and unloading. Thanks!

**Meyersdale Area Schools** will be holding its annual Veterans Day program on Wednesday, November 11, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the high school auditorium. Guest speaker will be Sergeant Major Randall Pritts of Meyersdale. A lunch will follow in the cafeteria. Reservations for the meal must be made by Monday, November 9, 2009. Veterans meals are free, additional guests are \$2.00 each. Call the middle school at 634-1437 for reservations.

**Trustee Work Day** – Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 a.m. Weather permitting. The Trustees invite you to come and lend a hand with the work day. There will be ditching, putting pipe in the ground & filling in gravel. Power tools provided, bring hand tools (rakes, shovels, wheelbarrow, etc...)

### Activities This Week

Today - **Anointing Service**, (during regular worship service)  
Tue - **Daughters of Dorcas**, 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  
Wed - **Church Council**, 7:00 p.m.  
Thurs - **Thursday Morning Bible Study**, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.  
Dixie Otto's home.  
Sat - **J.Y.F.** – Gym Night  
**J.F.K.** – 10:00 a.m. Church Social Room

### Upcoming Activities

Nov 12 **Community Thanksgiving Celebration dinner**,  
6:30 p.m. Here at the church.  
Nov 19 **J.Y.F.** – Michael W. Smith concert, Johnstown War  
Memorial  
Nov 20-22 **M.Y.F.** – Alleghany Conference Leadership  
Retreat, Camp Mantowagan.  
Nov 25 **Thanksgiving Eve Service**, 7:00 p.m.  
Dec 12 **J.Y.F.** – Christmas Party/Caroling