



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

Welcome and Ministry Opportunities
 Call to Worship

Praising

To God Be the Glory ~ HWB #102
Awesome In This Place
Here I Am to Worship

Giving

Prayer of Confession
In the Presence of Jehovah
How Deep the Father’s Love
 Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Hearing the Word

Scripture: *Matthew 5: 38-42*
 Sermon: “A Cut Above”

Responding to the Word

Break Thou the Bread of Life
 Prayer for the Persecuted Church

Sending

Benediction
The Trees of the Field

Worship Leader: Willis Beitzel
 Song Leader: Worship Team
 Children’s Church: Holly Sauder

Sermon: Casey Rohrer
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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

November 1, 2009 Totals

S.S. ATTENDANCE & OFFERING	118	\$134.00
W.S. ATTENDANCE & OFFERING	124	\$6,071.00

Come out to donate blood... Monday, November 16th, 12-6 p.m. at Maple Glen Mennonite Church. What a better way to celebrate family, friends and the spirit of giving.

MCC Music Program at Kaufman MC – Sun. November 8th. 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.

You are invited to a Licensing Service for Rosellen Lehman at Kaufman Mennonite Church in Davidsville on Sunday, November 22. You are welcome to attend Sunday School (9:30) and Worship with us (10:20) followed by a carry in meal and then the Licensing Service beginning at 2:00 p.m. Rosellen will be licensed by Alleghany Conference through Kaufman for Christian Counseling for Paraklesis Ministry hoping to be a blessing to not only the church but those in the community. Come, find out more, and celebrate with us.

Pray that God will provide for the needs of Melanie Quinn and the youth she works with at the Bopaganang Basha youth center in Francistown, Botswana, as they study God's word together and share the good news that there is life beyond an HIV-positive diagnosis.

Fund Raiser! – Mexican Dinner for Bito (Larry) Beitzel's Mission trip with the Reach Team to Spain. Please join us Saturday, November 14th at the Folk Meeting House from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. A donation will be appreciated.

There will be public tours of the new Western Maryland Regional Medical Center today from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tours will include the Emergency Department, Cancer Center, Labor and Delivery Unit, and an Acute Care Unit.

The Hospitality Committee would like to thank all those persons who helped in any way with the funeral preparations of both Salome Yoder & George Pope. Your willingness to serve certainly is a blessing to the families. Please be sure to check the counter in the kitchen for you container and remove them ASAP.

Pastor Casey and family will be away from November 12th thru the 15th. Pastor Casey will be back in the office on November 16th. Also Pastor Casey will be away from November 29th thru December 1st. Pastor Casey will be back in the office on December 2nd. If any need would arise please contact an Elder.

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.

Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes will be handed out by the MYF this morning's service. If you are interested in filling a shoebox, please make sure you get one. The filled boxes need to be returned to the church by Sunday, November 22 (in two weeks). This year the MYF will not be accepting cash donations for this project.

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.

The Flower Committee is taking orders for poinsettia to be used in the church during the Christmas season. Available colors are red & white and are in 6 inch pots. The cost is \$6.25 per poinsettia. You will find an order form in your mailbox. Please return the order form to Rosie by November 29th.

Activities This Week

- Tue - **Daughters of Dorcas**, 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Ladies Eve. Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. at Janie Beitzel's.
- Wed - **Elders**, 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs - **Thursday Morning Bible Study**, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Dixie Otto's home.
Community Thanksgiving Celebration dinner,
6:30 p.m. Here at the church.

Upcoming Activities

- Nov 15 **Missions Offering**
- Nov 18 **Elders**, 7:00 p.m.
- Nov 19 **J.Y.F.** – Michael W. Smith concert
- Nov 21 **J.F.K.** – 10:00 a.m. here at the church
- Nov 21 **Elders Retreat**
- Nov 20-22 **M.Y.F.** – Allegheny Conference Leadership Retreat
- Nov 25 **Thanksgiving Eve Service**, 7:00 p.m.
- Dec 5 **Christmas Caravan**
- Dec 12 **J.Y.F.** – Christmas Party/Caroling

The annual missions offering and gathering of food will take place Sunday, November 15th. The Ladies Tuesday Evening Bible Study will be delivering food to local families. If you have families in mind please contact either Deb Brenneman or Pat Haglund.

Missions Offering-November 15, 2009-(Above Budget)

Mennonite Disaster Service	25%
Mennonite Mission Network	20%
Mennonite Central Committee	20%
Meyersdale Food Pantry	10%
Bittinger Food Pantry	10%
Allegheny Conf. Missions & Services Commission	15%

Attention: Ladies Tuesday Evening Bible Study,

* Tuesday, November 10th, read and study chapters 6 & 7; we will be meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Janie Beitzel's home. Any questions, contact Deb Brenneman.

* Tuesday, November 17th, we will be working with preparation & delivery of food boxes for area families.

* No meeting the week of November 22nd due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.