

9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship

## TODAY

Nursery Volunteer: *Sara Beth Mumbauer*

Gathering for Prayer (8:45 a.m.);  
Southern District Family Fun Day (1-4 p.m., W'boro M.C.)

## THIS WEEK

- Tues. 7:00 p.m.:** Worship Commission Meeting
- Wed. 7:00 p.m.:** Congregational Prayer Gathering
- Thurs. 1:30 p.m.:** Blessing Team Meeting
- Sat. 9:00 a.m.:** Serving Breakfast at Disciples' Kitchen
- 10:45 a.m.:** Men Meet at W'boro Park & Ride to Travel to Nationals/Mets Baseball Game

## NEXT WEEK

- Aug. 27:** Singing at The Meadows (9:30 a.m.);
- Aug. 27:** *No Singing at Augusta Health*
- Aug. 27:** Small Group Leaders' Meeting (2:30-5 p.m.)
- Sept. 2:** Men's Prayer Breakfast (7 a.m.)
- Sept. 2:** Bake Sale Fundraiser for MCC Kits (9 a.m., Cheese Shop)

## COMING EVENTS

- Sept. 6:** Women's Bible Study Brunch (10 a.m.)
- Sept. 10:** School Kits Due Back to the Church
- Sept. 16:** Apple Butter Boiling at Friendship Park (6 a.m.)
- Sept. 17:** Singing at Augusta Health (4 p.m.)
- Sept. 24:** CROP Walk (2 p.m.)
- Sept. 29-30:** Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale (R'ham Fairgrounds)
- Sept. 30:** Walk to End Alzheimer's (9 a.m., Ridgeview Park)
- Oct. 2:** Serving Lunch at Disciples' Kitchen (11:30 a.m.)
- Oct. 6-7:** Men's Chesapeake Bay Fishing Trip
- Nov. 10-12:** Menn. Women of VA's Annual Retreat (Nat'l Bridge)

## Gathering

Prelude – *Martha Laub*  
Welcome and Announcements – *Alan Shenk*  
-Ballots - Bequest Fund Guidelines and Spending Plan (Budget)  
Call to Worship and Prayer

## Praising

Congregational Singing – *c/o Martha Laub and Sharon Shenk*  
Offering (*includes coin offerings for missions*)

## Listening

Children's Time: "The Happy Puppy" – *Phyllis Stevens*  
Congregational Singing – *Christine Fairfield*  
-Prayer of Lament and Confession  
Scripture Reading: Romans 12:12; Luke 24:13-35  
Message: "From Despair to Hope" – *Kevin Goertzen*

## Responding

Song of Response  
Congregational Sharing and Prayer

## Sending

Sending Song  
Benediction

## Last Sunday:

Attendance .....	98
Sunday School .....	61
Offering .....	\$6,103.00



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**Next Sunday**

**Worship Leader:** Denise Goertzen  
**Nursery Volunteer:** Sharon Shenk

***Items for Prayer:***

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Be joyful  
in hope,  
patient in  
affliction,  
faithful  
in prayer.  
Romans  
12:12

**Blessing Team Members**

Ann Frank, Darlene Koblick, Dave Powell, Alan Shenk, Louise Swartz

**Kevin Goertzen, Lead Pastor**

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**Denise Goertzen, Associate Pastor**

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*strives to be a growing community of believers  
that inspires engagement by all, cultivates discipleship, and  
shares God's reconciling love and healing  
with our neighbors and our world.*

(Vision Statement, 2/28/16)