

Announcements
Springdale Mennonite Church
April 8, 2018

Please pray for the Lancaster Mennonite Choir members who will be traveling home tomorrow morning; our congregational focus groups; and Ben Showalter (serving with the Marines in Japan).

Slots are still available for the **congregational focus group** (planned by the Auricle Team) on April 15, 4-6 p.m. Please sign up in the foyer!

Don't forget the **bake sale to benefit mission workers** Shawn & Laura Green this Sat., Apr. 14, beginning at 9 a.m., at Sharp Shopper! Any and all baked goods are appreciated, some packaged in small quantities and some larger. Please take baked goods to Sharp Shopper by 9 a.m. on Saturday if possible, or you may drop them off at Marian Mininger's home on Friday evening. Also, *please sign up in the foyer to help the day of the sale.*

Mark your calendars for the next **congregational prayer gathering** which will be held on Wed., April 18, at 7 p.m.

The **Eastern Mennonite High School Touring Choir** (including *Mary Fairfield & Sara Beth Mumbauer*) will share with us during worship on Sunday, Apr. 22! We will host the choristers for a **fellowship meal** following the service, so *please plan to participate and bring extra food to help feed everyone!* Thanks.

Please note these recent **changes in church membership**:

- Logan Martin has transferred his membership to Liberty Baptist Church in Appomattox, Virginia;
- Ernie & Naomi Showalter have transferred their memberships to Greenmonte Fellowship in Stuarts Draft; and
- Tim & Ruby Hurst have withdrawn their memberships from Springdale.

If you would like to be part of Springdale's **group subscription to The Mennonite** for the next year (\$37 for current subscribers; \$30/new subscribers), please contact Nancy Stoll by this Wed., Apr. 11! Copies of this magazine are available in the library for you to review.

Our **spring congregational meeting** will be held on Sun., Apr. 29. Please mark your calendars! Additional details will be coming.

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You are invited to **Schola Cantorum's concert**, A Tapestry Mass, at 3 p.m. today at First Baptist Church in Waynesboro. Check the bulletin board for additional details. *Nelson Driver is a member of this group.*

You are invited to a free **Choral Festival Concert** (organized by the Mennonite Schools Council) today, 3 p.m., at Yoder Arena - Eastern Mennonite University. Participants will include the EMHS Choir (*with Mary Fairfield & Sara Beth Mumbauer*) and the Lancaster Mennonite Choir (whom we are hosting). Check the bulletin board for additional information.

ComfortCare's Stride for Life will be held on Sat., May 5. Marian Mininger will be walking and is looking for financial sponsors and other walkers. Talk to Marian or check the table in the foyer for add'l information.

EMHS is still collecting **clean, not crushed, gallon jugs with lids** for a project! Please place them in the marked box in Springdale's entrance foyer.

Former Springdale attender Dwight Huyard is organizing a summer **Mennonite Disaster Service work trip** to Puerto Rico. If you may be interested in participating, please talk to Dave Mininger.

Waynesboro Area Refuge Ministry (WARM) Notes:

- WARM volunteers are invited to an evening of appreciation - a meal, an appreciation gift, musical entertainment, WARM updates & fellowship - on Thurs., April 19, 6-8 p.m., First Baptist Church (W'boro). Sign up online (www.warmwaynesboro.org) or in the Springdale foyer to attend.
- WARM now offers aftercare and outreach services to all families transitioning from Ruth's WARM House. There are typically 20-30 families enrolled with the goal of remaining stably housed long-term, increasing wages, reducing public assistance reliance, and more.

Items on the Bulletin Board or Under Church Mailboxes

(Check Springdale's website for a full list of Conference announcements.)

- April orientation schedule for Love INC volunteers.
- Thank-you letters for our recent donations to WARM (\$56) and Love INC (\$125).
- Open bookkeeper position at Steve Wingfield Ministries (H'burg).
- A letter to MC USA from "Hope for the Future 2018" participants. (Hope for the Future gatherings bring together leaders of color from across the church, sometimes with white allies, to explore the ways that power, privilege and racism function in our denomination.)
- Transforming Loss: Finding Potential for Growth program, Apr. 18, 5:30 p.m., Charlottesville.