

Announcements
Springdale Mennonite Church
October 1, 2017

Please pray for Maggie Brenneman (recovering from knee replacement surgery); Ethel Weaver (pacemaker implanted this past Monday); those who struggle with pain on a regular basis; those serving/being served at Disciples' Kitchen tomorrow; and those participating in the men's fishing trip this Friday/Saturday.

All men are invited to a coffee & conversation gathering at Pastor Kevin's home this Tues., Oct. 3, at 8:30 a.m. This group will now be meeting every other week instead of the first and third Tuesdays of each month. New participants are welcome to participate!

"Thank you all for the kind thoughts and prayers during the illness and passing of my father, Pastor Vernon Berry. Also, for many cards and food given. All was very much appreciated during this difficult time."

- Dotty, Philip, Andrew and Jamie VanLear

Springdale calendars for October are available in the literature rack.

The October gathering of the Springdale **Sewing Circle** will be held this Thurs., Oct. 5, at 9 a.m. All ladies are invited to participate! Contact Krista Powell or Sharon Shenk with questions.

Don't forget the **International-Themed Fundraising Meal** (next Sun., Oct. 8, at noon) to raise money for MCC Relief Buckets! A variety of foods will be available (something for everyone!) on a donation basis. Please sign up in the foyer if you plan to participate.

If you are interested in additional information regarding the **recent Pastoral Evaluation**, copies of the full review provided to Pastors Kevin & Denise are available in the foyer.

Final Call -- Please check the **Lost & Found table** under the coat rack across from the church offices to see if anything there belongs to you!

You are invited to **help pick up trash** along Hall School Road on Wed., Oct. 11, at 5:30 p.m. Please talk to Wendy Hochstedler with any questions.

Youth Event: JMYFers/MYFers are invited to Dale & Paula Martin's home on Wed., Oct. 25, at 6 p.m., for a Fall Party!

Reaching Out:

- Thanks to all those who participated in or donated to the recent **CROP Walk!** Springdale was among the top teams, raising \$875 via walkers Peggy Garvey and Dave/Krista Powell.
- Sat., Oct. 21, 6 p.m. - 2nd annual "**Men who Cook**" **WARM fundraiser**, Best Western Plus, W'boro. Twenty-four men from the Waynesboro community will prepare some of their favorite dishes for all to try. Tickets are \$45 each in advance. A silent auction will also be held during the evening. If you wish to purchase tickets, talk to Alan Shenk.
- Sat., Oct. 28, 9 a.m. - **Filling 480 relief buckets**, Springdale.
- Nov. 12-17 - **MDS work trip**, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia. Contact Dave Mininger if you are interested in participating.
- Nov. 13-19 - Springdale will collect **Christmas shoebox gifts** for Samaritan's Purse again this year. Brochures and boxes are available in the foyer. Note: Toothpaste and candy are no longer accepted in the boxes. Please talk to Debbie Frank if you have questions.
- Sat., Nov. 18, p.m. - **Fundraising meal** to benefit **mission workers Shawn & Laura Green**, Springdale.

Ladies - Mark your calendars for a **breakfast baby shower** for Natalie Bugden on Sat., Nov. 4, at 9:30 a.m.!

Items on the Bulletin Board or Under Church Mailboxes

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

- A thank-you note from Mennonite Disaster Service for our recent donation of \$1,286 for Hurricane Harvey recovery.
- WNLR's Day of Prayer & Thanksgiving, Oct. 2; and Fall Sharathon, Oct. 3-5 (AM 1150).
- Quilts About Town, a self-guided quilt tour, H'burg, Oct. 2-14.
- Taking an Outside Perspective - Coping with the Changes Dementia Brings, Oct. 3, 6:30 p.m., Grace Lutheran Church, W'boro.
- Opportunity for discussion of life and death, offered by Hospice of the Piedmont, Oct. 8, Charlottesville.
- EMU's Centennial Celebration events, Oct. 12-15.
- Walk to Fight Suicide, Oct. 21, Gypsy Hill Park, Staunton.
- Racial Equality Workshop, Oct. 21, EMU.
- Simplify: A Simple Living Weekend, Nov. 10 & 11, Brethren Woods Camp & Retreat Center, Keezletown.
- Job & volunteer opportunities.
- Biography of Harold & Arlene Eshleman available for sale.

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