

Announcements
Springdale Mennonite Church
October 14, 2018

Please pray for Lisa Brady (recovering from ankle surgery); Clinton Martin (now in Room 102B at The Meadows); and the Fairfield Family (in Germany; Mary in Harrisonburg).

Check your email or church mailboxes regarding the **Healing Circle** being held this evening at 6:30. Barbara Robbins is encouraging all to participate, whether or not you still feel the need for healing.

If you can **take a meal** to Don & Lisa Brady while Lisa recovers from surgery, please visit takethenameal.com, use “Brady” as the last name and “Lisa” as the password; or call the church office to sign up.

All men are invited to **Coffee & Conversation** at the Goertzens’ home this Tues., Oct. 16, at 8:30 a.m.

Wed. evening activities will continue this week: meal at 5:30; activities at 6:30 -- a discipleship study for JMYFers; discussion of Mennonite core beliefs for adults; and Peace Lab activities for children. Please sign up in the foyer if you can oversee/provide one of the meals, and also for which meals you will be present.

Please check the **“Lost & Found” table** under the coat rack across from the church offices to see if anything belongs to you. Thanks!

You are invited to **help sing at Augusta Health** next Sun., Oct. 21, at 4 p.m., in the atrium.

Pastor Kevin continues a **sermon series** today entitled “Empowered by the Holy Spirit,” focusing on Mennonite Core Convictions (as called for/ approved in the Auricle Team recommendations).

Join Southern District churches for a time to bless, support & pray for a **new Hispanic church plant** starting in Waynesboro. You will meet Armando & Veronica Sanchez and learn about the vision for this ministry, and share food, music, song, prayer & blessing. You are invited to this event at Waynesboro Mennonite Church on Sun., Nov. 18, 5 p.m.

If you **lost a ring** this past summer, please talk to Martha Laub who found one at the church.

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Congregational Council has **nominated Nelson Driver** to serve on Discerning Committee. Please direct affirmations or concerns about this nomination to Mark Hochstedler by Oct. 28.

Copies of a list of people **servicing in nominated ministry positions** at Springdale for 2018-2019 are available in the literature rack.

Mark your calendars for a **fellowship meal** on Sun., Nov. 4, following worship, in honor of Pastor Denise and her ministry among us!

Springdale put together 173 **school kits** (16 from the Primary Dep’t) & 50 **health kits** for Menn. Central Committee! Thanks to all who helped.

Last Sunday:

Worship Attendance	85
Sunday School	52
Offering	\$2,429.00

- **JMYF Event:** Oct. 17 - Discipleship study (6:30 p.m.)

- **MYF Event:** Today - MYF Gathering (6 p.m.)

Pray for Debbie Ramsey (Love INC Dir.) & her family as they grieve the loss of her daughter, Jessica Stepp, who died this past week from cancer.

Consideration is being given to the possibility of **merging *The Mennonite* & *Mennonite World Review***. Because *The Mennonite* is a church-wide program entity, the Executive Board is seeking counsel from the Delegate Assembly at a special meeting on Nov. 26, 2018, in Indiana, with electronic access for delegates who cannot attend in person. If you are interested in serving as a delegate via teleconferencing for this assembly, please contact Mark Hochstedler as soon as possible.

Check the **bulletin board** for information on the following:

- Abortion recovery & support group, ComfortCare Women’s Health.
- Eastern Mennonite School’s Homecoming Weekend, Oct. 19-21.
- Film screening of John Ruth’s documentary “45 Years of Sharing the Anabaptist Heritage Story in Europe,” Oct. 21, 7 p.m., H’burg M.C.
- Lecture Series (Mark Thiessen Nation): “Retrieving the True Legacy of Bonhoeffer,” Oct. 23, Nov. 7, etc., 6:30 p.m., E.M. Seminary.
- Pleasant View’s annual banquet, Oct. 24, 6 p.m., Park View M.C.
- Bethel Mountain Band concert, Oct. 27 (6 p.m.) & 28 (10:45 a.m.), Stuarts Draft Christian Fellowship.
- “Discerning the Dawn” presentations by N.T. Wright, Nov. 13-14, H’burg.