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

## Gathering

Prelude – *Martha Laub*Welcome and Announcements – *Martha Laub*Call to Worship and Prayer

### Praising

Congregational Singing – Alan & Sharon Shenk Offering (includes coin offerings for missions)

## Listening

Scripture Reading: Luke 10:25-37

Message: "My Neighbors South of the Border" – Terry Miller

# Responding

Song of Response Congregational Sharing and Prayer

## Sending

Sending Song Benediction

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Nursery Volunteers: Marian Mininger, Meg Emery

**Welcome** to Terry Miller, who is sharing with us this morning! Terry is a former Springdale attender, a friend of many in the congregation, and a local Licensed Professional Counselor with a focus on mental health.

Thanks to everyone who helped in any way with the recent **bake sale for missions**. Proceeds totaled \$2,264!! And thanks to Ranita Shenk & Marian Mininger for overseeing this event.

You are invited to **fill school kit bags** for MCC again this year! Bags and content lists are available in the foyer. Please note – the Sewing Circle will provide the metal pencil sharpeners.

#### THIS WEEK

Tues. 7:00 p.m.: Prayer Gathering

Thurs. 6:30 p.m.: Freedom Group Gathering

### NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

**Aug. 2:** Fellowship Team Meeting (9 a.m.)

**Aug. 4:** Providing Lunch for Disciples' Kitchen (11:30 a.m.)

Aug. 10: Shared Meal following Worship

Aug. 21-23: VA Mennonite Conference Assembly (Ridgeway M.C.)

Aug. 31: Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions

Nov. 1-2: Celebration of Springdale's 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

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Please pray for Meg Emery (recovering from surgery this past week, which went well); Laura Houff (Brent & Cindy Houff's daughter-in-law, who will undergo surgery in August to remove a spot from her kidney); and continuing prayers for Gene Grove, Karen Hanson, and James Wenger.

Our next **shared meal** will be held on Sun., Aug. 10, following worship. Plan to bring food / drinks to share, and if you can help with clean-up after the meal, please sign up in the foyer. Baptisms may also take place at Sherando Lake after lunch – stay tuned!

An article by Sharon Shenk about **Springdale's history** and the upcoming 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration was recently printed in the *Shenandoah Mennonite Historian* newsletter. Copies are available in the foyer. Also, Springdale's history book Where the River Flows, written by Kathy Huber & published in 1997, is available for sale. Talk to Nancy Stoll if interested (hardcover-\$15; softcover-\$10).

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

- An evening of worship & support for Lindsey Nice & family, Sun., Aug. 3, 6:30 p.m., Mt. View Recreation Area. A donation table will be available for contributions to the family's ongoing medical needs.
- A <u>new letter</u> from the Rehoboth Jail & Prison Ministry.
- Mennonite Women of VA's <u>Assembly Prayer Breakfast</u>, Sat., Aug. 23, 6:45-8 a.m., at Park View M.C. The cost is \$12/person.
- Worship in the Woods Meditation & Music, Sunday evenings at 7:00, Brethren Mennonite Heritage Center.