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

Gathering

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

Praising

Congregational Singing – Wendy Hochstedler Offering (includes coin offerings for missions) Congregational Singing

Listening

Scripture Reading: 2 Chronicles 15:9-15

Message: "The Why and How of We" – *Jim Goalder*

Responding

Song of Response Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Sending Song Benediction

Nursery Volunteers: Carleen Layman, Marian Mininger

Please pray for Karen Hanson, who has not been feeling well.

Thanks to <u>Earl Maslin</u> for making / donating the beautiful wooden candle holders being used on the table in the front of the sanctuary!

Nancy Stoll will be **in the church office** this week on Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday, and she will be <u>out of the office next week</u>. Please give May 4 bulletin information to Nancy by this Wed., Apr. 30, at noon.

THIS WEEK

Mon. 11:30 a.m.: Providing Lunch for Disciples' Kitchen

Thurs. 9:30 a.m.: Freedom Group Meeting

9:30 a.m.: Sewing Circle

NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

May 4: Small Group Gathering (5-6:30 p.m.)

June 8: Church Day Out at Mt. View M.C.'s Pavilion Area

June 9: Vacation Bible School Begins (evenings)

July 12: Bake Sale for Missions (Cheese Shop)

Nov. 1-2: Celebration of Springdale's 200th Anniversary

If you are interested in the formation of a **new small group** with a focus on encouragement, Bible study, and prayer, you are invited to the home of Alan & Sharon Shenk next Sun., May 4, from 5-6:30 p.m. At that meeting, the group will decide on frequency and format for upcoming gatherings. All are invited (the group may include people from Lynside Mennonite as well)! Talk to Alan or Sharon if you have interest or questions.

Mark your calendars for Nov. 1-2 when we will celebrate **Springdale's 200**th **anniversary!** Additional details will be coming soon.

Have you considered including our congregation in your **estate plan** as part of your final act of stewardship? Doing so can be as easy as naming the Everence Foundation as a beneficiary in your will, trust, or retirement account & having a Charitable Gift Recommendation Form on file with them. Everence is a ministry partner of MC USA.

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

- EMU Chamber Singers' spring concert, today, 7 p.m., Park View M.C. A love offering will help support the choir's trip to Zurich in May to sing at the 500-Year Celebration of Anabaptism.
- Hymn Sing, Park View Mennonite Church, May 1, 7 p.m.
- Community Spring Festival, W'boro M.C., May 3, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- <u>Schola Cantorum concert</u>, May 4, 3 p.m., First Baptist Church, Waynesboro. *Nelson Driver is a member of this choir*.
- Mini-golf event to benefit VMMissions, May 17, Harrisonburg.
- Upcoming offerings at Corhaven Retreat Center.