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

Gathering

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

Praising

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

Listening

Scripture Reading: 2 Peter 1:3-5 Message: "Identity" – *Art Thomas*

Responding

Song of Response Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Sending

Sending Song Benediction

Nursery Volunteers: Carleen Layman, Maggie Brenneman

Welcome to Art Thomas, who has been teaching at Springdale this weekend and will bring this morning's message!

You are invited to a **small group gathering** next Sun., July 6, at Dave & Marian Mininger's home, at 5 p.m.

Orpha Beyeler moved to her **new home** at the Stuarts Draft Retirement Community this weekend (56 Mt. Vista Drive, #106, Stuarts Draft). Keep her in your prayers during this transition!

TODAY / THIS WEEK

Today 2:00 p.m.: Question / Answer time with Art Thomas

6:00 p.m.: "Experiencing Freedom" (Art Thomas)

Thurs. 9:30 a.m.: Sewing Circle Meets

6:30 p.m.: Freedom Group Gathering

NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

July 6: Small Group Gathering (5 p.m.)

July 8: Evening Prayers (7 p.m.)

July 12: Bake Sale for Missions (Cheese Shop, 9 a.m.)

Aug. 10: Shared Meal following Worship

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

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

You are invited to the **Celebration of Life service** for Ralph Showalter tomorrow, June 30, 11 a.m., at Springdale. A meal will be provided following the service.

Gerald Shenk was approved by ballot vote last Sunday to serve as **Springdale's delegate** to the MC USA Convention / Delegate Assembly, July 8-12, in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Springdale calendars for July are available in the literature rack.

Lots of baked items will be needed (some larger, some smaller) for Springdale's **bake sale for missions**, **July 12**, at the Cheese Shop. Please list any allergens on the baked goods; bring items to the site by 9:00 that morning; and sign up in the foyer if you can help at the sale.

If you are interested in participating in a **three-day MDS trip** to Hurley, Virginia in July, please contact Dave Mininger as soon as possible. Dates are fluid at this point.

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

- Worship in the Woods Meditation & Music, Sunday evenings at 7:00, Brethren Mennonite Heritage Center.
- <u>Summer Music Jams</u>, Tuesday evenings at 7:00, in the gathering space at Eastern Mennonite School.
- BBQ chicken fundraiser, Wilson Volunteer Fire Co., July 12.