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Issue 1

No Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship

Prelude

Greetings and Announcements - Meg Emery

Call to Worship, Candle Lighting, and Prayer

Congregational Singing - Alice Hostetter

Prayer for El Salvador Churches - Kristi Stoltzfus

Scripture Reading: Colossians 3:12-17

Offering (includes coin offering for missions)

Children's Story - Debbie Frank

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:41-52

Message: "Living with the Holy in our Everyday Lives"

- Gerald Shenk

Song of Response

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Closing Song: "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice" (HWB 210)

Benediction

Today's Nursery Volunteer: Orpha Beyeler

Please pray for the family of C.L. Carwile (Gene Ramsey's brother-in-law, who passed away on Dec. 23); the family of Paul Weaver (who passed away on Dec. 24 - visitation is Jan. 5, 4-6 p.m., Reynolds Funeral Home, Stuarts Draft; funeral service is Fri., Jan. 6, 11 a.m., Springdale); and Jim & Sandy Goalder (dealing with COVID rebound).

TODAY / NEXT WEEK

Today 9:45 a.m.: Donuts, Coffee, and Fellowship

Tues. 7:00 p.m.: Evening Prayers

Wed. 7:00 p.m.: Congregational Council Meeting

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

Fri. 11:00 a.m.: Funeral Service for Paul Weaver

NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

Jan. 8: Celebrating the Lord's Supper during Worship Jan. 20-22: Teaching & Healing with Shawn Hurley

Jan. 29: Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions

Feb. 27-Mar. 5: Springdale Hosts WARM Guests

Nancy will be **in the church office this week** on Wednesday, Thursday & Friday. Pastor Kevin will be back in the office on Friday.

A huge **thank-you** to everyone who helped make Advent & Christmas at Springdale so wonderful! Also, 20 **infant care kits** and \$373 for **WARM** were collected through our Christmas Eve service!

Please note Ashley Showalter's **current address** while serving with the World Ocean School in St. Croix: P.O. Box 25034, Christiansted, VI, 00824. You may also send her email at <u>ashleyshowalter8@gmail.com</u>.

Copies of the January calendar are available in the literature rack.

Mark your calendars for a **weekend of teaching & healing** with Shawn Hurley of Happy Hands Ministries (Jan. 20-22). Invitation / information cards are available on the table in the foyer for you to share with friends & family members. Talk to Pastor Kevin, Gerald Shenk, or Kristi Stoltzfus with questions.

VMMissions Note: Happy New Year! Pray for God's Spirit to transform and multiply those who know and follow Jesus near and far in this next year.

Check the bulletin board for information on the following:

- Ken Medema in concert at EMU on Wed., Jan. 11, at 7 p.m.
- Volunteer needs from Mennonite Disaster Service.