# May 14, 2023

Issue 20

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

### Gathering

Prelude - Ranita Shenk Welcome and Announcements - Kim Powell Call to Worship and Prayer



Congregational Singing - Gerald Shenk Offering (includes coin offerings for missions)

#### Listening

Scripture Reading: Romans 5:1-5; Ephesians 3:14-21 Message: "Through the Love of Jesus" - Kevin Goertzen

#### Responding

Song of Response **Congregational Sharing and Prayer** 

### Sending

Sending Song Benediction

Today's Nursery Volunteer: Sharon Shenk

Please pray for Jim Brenneman who underwent shoulder replacement surgery several weeks ago and has now started therapy. Pray for strong and complete healing.

Everyone is invited -- especially if you are newer to Springdale -- to participate in a "Welcome to Springdale" Picnic next Sun., May 21, at 5:30 p.m., in the church vard. The evening will include conversation, food, singing, and sharing. Please sign up in the fover if you plan to attend and/or if you are willing to bring a side dish or ingredients for s'mores. Talk to Kevin or Denise G. or Sharon S. with questions.

# THIS WEEK

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

# NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

May 21: "Welcome to Springdale" Picnic (5:30 p.m., church yard) May 21: Congregation / Pastor Evaluation Surveys Due **June 5-9:** Vacation Bible School (with Lynside & Greenmonte) June 11: Church Day Out at Sherando Lake June 19 - Sept. 27: Pastor Kevin's Vacation / Sabbatical

You are encouraged to complete your congregation / pastor review by May 21 using the link you received via email or a printed copy (available on the table in the foyer; please return to white metal box). Feel free to contact Gerald Shenk or Kim Powell with questions.

A sign-up sheet is available for those who plan to participate in **Church** Day Out at Sherando Lake on June 11! A head count will be helpful for the food being planned. Additional details are coming soon!

This year is Pastor Kevin's tenth year of serving at Springdale, making him eligible for a three-month sabbatical which he will take June 27 -September 27. He will also use a week of vacation just prior to the sabbatical (starting June 19) in order to officiate / be present at son Stephan's wedding in Colorado! Spiritual Health Council is working on pulpit supply & care coverage for those months, and further information will be made available in the near future.

In October, Kevin will begin serving Springdale in a three-quarter time role instead of full time (due to budget constraints). Related changes to his job description are still to be determined.

Ladies - please indicate your interest / non-interest in joining a Bible study by completing a yellow response form (available in the foyer).

Men - please talk to Dave Mininger if you who are interested in attending a **baseball game in Washington, DC** (Nationals vs. Phillies) on Sat., June 3 (or possibly Aug. 19).

Check the **bulletin board** for information about Highland Retreat's Celebration and VMMissions' Putt Fore Missions event, both on Sat., May 20.