July 24, 2022

Issue 30

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

Gathering

Prelude - *Martha Laub*Welcome, Announcements, and Prayer - *Martha Laub*Congregational Singing - *Wendy Hochstedler*Call to Worship Scripture - *Martha Laub*

Praising & Listening

Congregational Singing - Wendy Hochstedler Prayer for the Offering - Kevin Goertzen Scripture Reading: Galatians 5:13-23 Message: "Heartache and Pain" - Kevin Goertzen

Responding & Sending

Congregational Sharing and Prayer - Martha Laub Sending Song - Wendy Hochstedler Benediction - Kevin Goertzen

Please pray for George Weaver (diagnosed with non-aggressive cancer in his saliva gland / lymph nodes; no treatment necessary at this time); Lindsey Showalter (looking for a new teaching job in Thailand); and the Springdale backpackers (Noah Breeden; Kevin Goertzen; Mark, Isaac & Cyrus Hochstedler; Dave Mininger; & Ryan Stoltzfus; who will all be backpacking together this Thursday - Saturday).

Next Sun., July 31, will be our **Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions**. Mission giving year-to-date totals \$4,915: VMM/MCC - \$1,306; Local Missions - \$1,352; Menn. Church Related Missions - \$642; MC USA - \$507; EMU/EMS - \$247; Green Family/Hispanic Ministry - \$861. Giving envelopes are available on the foyer table for your use.

THIS WEEK

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

Wed. 7:00 p.m.: Book Event with Author Kathleen Weaver Kurtz

Thurs. 7:15 a.m.: Morning Prayers

Thurs.-Sat.: Backpacking Trip for Men / Boys

NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

July 31: Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions

Aug. 2: Evening Prayers (7 p.m.)

Aug. 4: Sewing Circle (9:30 a.m.)

Aug. 17: Congregational Meeting (7 p.m.)

Aug. 21: Women's Afternoon Gathering (at Ann Frank's Home)

Sept. 17: Apple Butter Boiling at Friendship Park

Sept. 30-Oct. 1: VA Mennonite Relief Sale (R-ham Fairgrounds)

Financial Update: For the first six months of 2022, Springdale offerings totaled \$59,555 and expenses totaled \$81,534. Additional financial details will be shared / discussed at the Congregational Meeting on Aug. 17.

You are invited to hear author Kathleen Weaver Kurtz **introduce her memoir**, *The Blistering Morning Mist*, at Springdale this Wed., July 27, at 7 p.m.! The Springdale congregation & surrounding communities played a role in her developing life, including the year she attended Augusta Mennonite School. Check the foyer table for additional info.

If you have not yet blessed someone with your **9:11 Project money**, please do so & share a quick update with Pastor Kevin. Also, if you've given your money but haven't let Kevin know, please do that as well.

Mark your calendars for **apple butter boiling** on Sat., Sept. 17, at Friendship Park; and pick up a **VA Mennonite Relief Sale** flyer from the foyer table (this year's sale will be held Sept. 30 - Oct. 1).

Check the Springdale **bulletin board** for information on the following: 1) serving as a <u>hospice volunteer</u> through Augusta Health; 2) the <u>Walk</u> to End Alzheimer's on Sept. 24; 3) the <u>CROP Hunger Walk</u> on Sept. 25; and 4) a <u>Women's Weekend Retreat</u> in November (early bird registration ends on Aug. 12).