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

Prelude - Martha Laub

Greetings and Announcements - Carleen Layman

Call to Worship and Candle Lighting ("Hope Waits for Us at Advent")

Congregational Singing - Wendy Hochstedler

Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 33:14-16

- Jim Goalder



First Sunday of Advent

Offering (includes coin offerings for missions)

Children's Story - Debbie Frank

Scripture Reading: Psalm 25:4-5 - Sandy Goalder

Message: "Making Room" - Sara Wenger Shenk

Song of Response

Congregational Sharing

Prayers of the People

Closing Christmas Carol

Benediction

Please pray for <u>Bertha Showalter</u> (recovering from pneumonia); <u>Alice Raiford</u> (dealing with significant back pain); and <u>Ashley Showalter</u> (leaving tomorrow for her new adventure through the World Ocean School learning to sail a teaching schooner).

Pastor Kevin is **out of the church office** until this Wed., Nov. 30.

You are invited to bring an **infant care kit(s) for MCC** to our Christmas Eve Service. Blankets, content lists, and a few other items are available in the church foyer.

THIS WEEK

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

Thurs. 7:15 a.m.: Morning Prayers **9:30 a.m.:** Sewing Circle

NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

Dec. 4: Choir Practice (following worship)

Dec. 8: Finance & Facilities Commission Meeting (7 p.m.)

Dec. 14: Christmas Caroling (p.m.)

Dec. 24: Providing Breakfast at Disciples' Kitchen (9 a.m.)

Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Service (7 p.m.)

If you would like to be a **Sunday morning greeter** or **serve as an usher** during 2023, please contact Nancy Stoll. Thanks!

As we move into the colder months of the year, please be aware that **in case of inclement weather**, changes to Springdale's services & activities will be shared via email when possible; on the church Facebook page and website; and via WHSV TV3.

Copies of Virginia Mennonite Conference's *Pathways* publication are available under the church mailboxes for anyone interested.

Check the **bulletin board** for information about the following:

- <u>ComfortCare Women's Health Open House</u> (drop-in), Nov. 29, 4 7 p.m., Staunton & Lexington.
- VMRC's <u>Celebration of Lights</u> fundraising event / program, Dec. 1, 6:45 p.m., Detwiler Auditorium.
- <u>Christmas Concert</u>, Dec. 1, 7 p.m., W'boro Seventh-Day Adventist Church, to benefit Augusta Health Hospice of the Shenandoah.
- <u>Highland Retreat work day</u>, Dec. 3, to stock woodsheds. Tasks for school-age children through adults, and a free lunch provided!
- Waynesboro Choral Society's <u>Christmas Concert</u> to benefit Embrace & Love INC, Dec. 4, 7 p.m., W'boro Main Street UMC.
- Schola Cantorum's <u>Christmas Concert</u>, "An English Christmas," Dec. 10, 3 p.m., First Baptist Church, Waynesboro.
- Walking Roots Band Christmas Concert, Dec. 11, 6:30 p.m., EMS auditorium, to benefit MCC. Free admission; donations accepted.