

Ridgeview Mennonite Church
3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville, PA 17529
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September 16, 2018

Called by God to learn and share together God's love with all creation

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 AM

WORSHIP 10:15 AM

Worship Leader: Julie Sommers
Music: Joanne Dietzel
Children's Time: Evie Hershey
Greeters: Barry & Joyce Shirk
Nursery: Cliff & Carol Wenger

Prelude

Gathering Song

Welcome/Church at Work

Meeting God in Silence

Call to Worship Psalm 66

Left: Shout for joy to God, all the earth;

Right: Sing the glory of his name;

Left: Give to him glorious praise.

Right: Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

Left: Because of your great power, your enemies come cringing to you.

All: All the earth worships you; they sing praises to you, sing praises to your name." (Selah)

Leader: Come and see what God has done, bless our God, O peoples, let the sound of his praise be heard!

All: Amen! May it be so.

Congregational Singing

Receiving Our Tithes & Offerings

Children's Time

Scriptures: Psalm 116; Isaiah 50:4-11

Message: *"The Way of the Cross—Embracing Joyful Suffering"*

Mark 8:27-38

Pastor Audrey

Song of Response

Church in Prayer

Benediction/Sending Song

THIS WEEK

Wed 7 a.m. Men's breakfast @ Amos' Place

Thu 5:45 p.m. Ladies night @ Upohar

COMING EVENTS

Oct 9 Tues 6:00 p.m. The Factory Ministries fall banquet @ Shady Maple. "Cultivating Communities, addressing the root issues of poverty one resource at a time" Ruby Payne, guest speaker.

Oct 10 Wed Family Night

Oct 21 Sun Installation service for Robert & Audrey Kanagy

Oct 26 Fri 6:00 p.m. ACC Mennonite Women banquet @ Akron Mennonite. "Where do I go to find fresh bread?" Marilyn Henderson. Details posted on bulletin board. **6:30 p.m. Men's Dinner** at Neffsville (read announcement below)

Oct 27 Sat ACC annual assembly at Akron Mennonite

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR MICK is out of the office this week.

SEPTEMBER ingathering will be for Lancaster County Council of Churches...new men's and women's underwear, socks and winter coats for adults.

DURING OUR WEDNESDAY EVENINGS on the Ridge we will enter into different ways of drawing nearer to God. During each session we will have a certain emphasis as we explore the opportunities to have a closer communion with God on a daily basis. This will include serious interaction with scripture, followed by a hands-on activity. Come, and let God surprise you! **October 10, Celebrating our Spirits...**How can we deal with the stressors that are a part of life? Join in a light-hearted exercise to relieve that tension and discuss healthy ways to cope with stress.

ANNUAL ACC ASSEMBLY CELEBRATION, Saturday, October 27, 9am - 3:30pm, Akron Mennonite Church. Join to help us celebrate 40 years of ACC, 1978 - 2018. We'll remember the people and projects that helped define ACC in the past, consider where we are today, and think creatively about what the future might hold for our future together. Find more info about the weekend's events and register by October 24 at <http://atlanticcoastconference.net/assembly/>

MEN OF RIDGEVIEW register now for the exciting/stimulating/dynamic re-launch of Mennonite Men's Dinner during the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) Annual Assembly. The Men's Dinner will be held at Neffsville Mennonite Church on October 26 starting at 6:30 p.m. Experience camaraderie with other men of ACC. This dinner is open to men of all ages. The program will include a panel to explore the values of men's groups, a speaker, and special music by several members of Spare Parts, a men's acapella quartet. Register on the ACC website: www.atlanticcoastconference.net. Dinner is \$20.00 per person. Stay tuned for exciting detail

SCHEDULES FOR OUR PASTORS. Audrey's office/work hours will be Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday, 8:30 a.m. -3:15 p.m. Thursday and Saturday will be off, as well as a half day either Tuesday or Friday according to family schedule. Hours will also include Sunday morning and weekday or weekend meetings. There may be a time that she adjusts a weekday if there is a meeting in the evening, such as leaving early and coming back in the evening. You can reach her by cell phone 717 327-9241. Robert's work schedule is still a little more fluid until the end of September when he completes his commitment to Mt. Joy Mennonite. However, you can always reach him by cell phone 717 572-7189. This weekend he is serving as youth sponsor at the ACC youth retreat. Mick's schedule has dropped from full time to half time. His office time will be most of the morning hours on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday (usually from 6:00 a.m. on) and off on Tuesday and Friday.

REPORT FOR September 9

Offering \$2554 Oyate School \$560 Attendance: 109

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