

**Ridgeview Mennonite Church**  
**3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville, PA 17529**  
**717 768-3143**  
**January 13, 2019**

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

**PRAYER AM** **8:30**  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
**9:00 AM**

**WORSHIP AM** **10:15**

Worship Leader: Joanne Dietzel  
Music: Worship Team  
Children's Time: Evie Hershey  
Greeters: Tony & Christie Gehman  
Nursery: Jim & Joy Lapp

Prelude  
Gathering Song  
Welcome/Church at Work  
Meeting God in Silence  
Call to Worship

L: When we pass through difficulties and stress,  
**P: God is with us always and calls us each by name.**  
L: When we are discouraged and feel lost and alone,  
**P: God is with us and calls us by name.**  
L: We are marked as God's beloved ones.  
**P: What have we done to deserve God's love?**  
L: God's love is God's free gift to us, always and forever.  
Even when we are difficult and turn away from God,  
**P: Blessed be God who knows us and calls us by name.**  
**All: Thanks be to God who is ever faithful to us**

Worship in Song  
Receiving Our Tithes & Offerings  
Children's Time  
Scripture: Psalm 29, Isaiah 43:1-7  
Message: "Not Around But Through" Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 Pastor Mick

Song of Response *I Will Come To You in the Silence* STS #49  
Church in Prayer  
Benediction/Sending Song

### **THIS WEEK**

**Wed 7:00 a.m.** Men's breakfast @ Amos' Place  
**9:00 a.m.** Food pac  
**6:00 p.m.** Ladies night @ Gracies on Main

### **COMING EVENTS**

**Sun, Jan 20** Youth/Jr High event. Team Building 12 noon @ Meadville. Bring a packed lunch and your ideas for future youth activities and topics for discussion. Resourced by Lew and Kaylene Martin.

**Sun, Jan 27** 10:15 a.m. Friendship Community Worship Team will be in charge of the service. There will also be display of art by Friendship Community residents.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASTORS MICK, AUDREY, AND ROBERT** will be attending the School for Leadership Training at EMU this week in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

**STEWARDSHIP UNIVERSITY**, hosted by Everence Lancaster, Saturday, **March 2, 2019**. This outstanding educational opportunity is a ministry partnership between Everence and our local faith community. Courses will explore subjects ranging from de-cluttering your home to financial markets and retirement preparation. This is held at Calvary Church, Lancaster from 8:00 a.m.-2:45 p.m. For registration info, contact Etta Esch at [the303esch@gmail.com](mailto:the303esch@gmail.com), text or call (717) 808-2855.

**MENNONITE SCHOOLS COUNCIL (MSC)** Choir Festival will be hosted by Lancaster Mennonite School this spring. We are looking for persons willing host students/sponsors from Rockway Mennonite School from Canada. Host responsibilities include beds and breakfast for April 12-14, transportation to and from Ridgeview or LMH, and an evening meal on the 14<sup>th</sup> and breakfast on the 15<sup>th</sup>. Child Abuse Clearances are required for hosts. If you do not have one, Ridgeview will assist you in getting one. More details and a signup sheet are on the lobby table. While hosting does require time and energy, it is also a

wonderful opportunity to connect with and support our faith community from Canada.

**INGATHERING FOR JANUARY....**items for the Food Panty at CrossNet Ministries. (All items must be in date)  
Pancake mix, canned fruit, canned pasta, stuffing mix, ketchup, mayonnaise, salad dressing, mustard, sugar, flour, syrup, laundry detergent, toilet paper, paper towels, facial tissues.

### **REPORT FOR JANUARY 6**

Offering \$4640 Attendance: 121

#### **Ministry Staff**

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