

Ridgeview Mennonite Church  
3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville, PA 17529  
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February 10, 2019

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

PRAYER 8:30 AM  
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 AM

WORSHIP 10:15 AM

Worship Leader: Mick Sommers  
Children's Time: Julie Sommers  
Greeters: Jake & Loretta Lapp  
Nursery: Bonnie Winters, Julie Sommers

Prelude  
Gathering Song  
Welcome/Church at work  
Meet with God in Silence  
Call to Worship  
Leader: Open our ears  
**People: to hear your word.**  
Leader: Open our eyes  
**People: to see your presence.**  
Leader: Open our arms  
**People: to the embrace of community.**  
Leader: Open our minds  
**People: to the beauty of truth.**  
Leader: Open our hearts  
**People: to the joy of new life.**  
Worship in Song  
Receiving our Tithes and Offerings  
Children's Time  
Scripture: Psalm 62:5-8, Romans 8:26-39  
Message: *"Walking in the Wilderness: Meeting God in the in-between"*  
Genesis 28:10-22 Pastor Audrey  
Song of Response *"I heard the voice of Jesus say"* HWB #493  
Church at Prayer  
Benediction/Sending

## THIS WEEK

Wed 9:00 a.m. Food pac  
6:00 p.m. Family Night

## COMING EVENTS

Wed, Feb 20, 7:00 a.m. Men's breakfast @ Amos' Place  
Thu, Feb 21, 6:00 p.m. Ladies Night @ Upohar  
Sat, Mar 2 Stewardship University  
Wed Mar 6 Ash Wednesday service with New Holland Mennonite @  
New Holland, 7:00 p.m.

## YOUTH & JUNIOR YOUTH

Wed, Feb 20, 7:00 p.m. Game night @ Ridgeview  
Wed, Mar 6 7:00 p.m. Discussion groups following Ash Wednesday  
Service @ New Holland

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FAMILY NIGHT, Wednesday, February 13...** Join us for a heartfelt time working together to serve our church and community in a loving way during our "Valentine's" themed evening. This is an all-ages group activity. Stations will be ready to complete various service projects such as blanket knotting, dried soup mix assembly, and others. These items will then be used to serve people in our church or community as needed. Also a game table will be set up for fun fellowship together.

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE:** New Holland Mennonite Church & Ridgeview Mennonite Church (at New Holland Mennonite Church), Wednesday, March 6, 7:00 p.m.. A service of confession, scripture, and hymns. "Yet even now, return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; rend your hearts and not your clothing. Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relents from punishing." — Joel 2:12-13

**THANK YOU** to all who contributed to the Amish Turkey dinner through contributions of food, help in the kitchen and your generous donations! We served approximately 150 people and raised \$2,363.87 after expenses. These funds will go toward the expenses for Ridgeview and New Holland youth to go to Mennonite Youth Convention this summer - #MennoCon19.

**TIME TO COLLECT OUR COINS!** This year, the proceeds from My Coins Count will be designated toward Mennonite Central Committee's peace initiatives. You can join MCC in partnering with peacemakers around the world. Coins will be collected throughout February and March.

**JUST A REMINDER....**host homes are still needed for hosting the students/sponsors from Rockway Mennonite School from Canada. The choir will be participating in the Mennonite schools council choir festival at Lancaster Mennonite School. Dates are April 12-14. Signup sheet is in the lobby.

**CROSSNET MINISTRIES** annual banquet is Tuesday, March 26 at Shady Maple Banquet Center. RSVP by March 18 (reservations are necessary) @ [www.elancocross.org](http://www.elancocross.org). A breakfast banquet is also offered Wednesday, March 27. Details are posted on bulletin board.

**MARCH 9, 6:30 - 8:00 PM @ NEFFSVILLE MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Shane Claiborne, Mike Martin, and friends are stopping in Lancaster on the first day of a twenty-city Beating Guns Tour to promote their new book, *Beating Guns: Hope for a people who are weary of violence*. This event will feature a live transformation of a gun into a garden tool. The events will also feature speakers, music, and stories. This is a free event, but tickets are required. Donations will be accepted to help offset costs. [www.beatingguns.com/](http://www.beatingguns.com/)

**INGATHERING FOR FEBRUARY....**items for the Food Pantry at CrossNet Ministries (all items must be in date).

### **REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 3**

Offering \$5905.50 Attendance: 117

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