

# Staunton Mennonite Church

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Pastor: Kevin Gasser

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October 7, 2007

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Greeter: Joyce Showalter

## 9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL

"Sibling Rivalry!"—Genesis 25:19-34

-Discussion led by Glenn Zendt

Nursery this week: Joyce Showalter

Next week: Florence Showalter

## 10:30 WORSHIP

### Gathering

Announcements

Call to Worship

Ronald Friesen

### Praising God

Worshiping in Song

Moment in Mission

Offering

Congregational Prayer

Glenn Zendt

Ronald

### Listening to God

Scripture: Acts 10:1-35

Sermon: "Who do we invite to Christ's table?"

Kevin Gasser

### Responding

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Benediction

Sending Hymn

Kevin

Glenn

Last Sunday

Worship attendance

32

Offering

\$1,365.75

Next Sunday October 14th, 2007

Sunday School discussion leader: Marvin Showalter

Worship leader: Marvin Showalter

Message by Ronald Friesen

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

*Thanks to all who were able to help make the Relief Sale a success this year!*

Church council meets this Wednesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00.

Please join us on November 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm for an ordination celebration for Kevin here at SMC. We will plan to share finger foods following the service.

November 9-11<sup>th</sup>: Mennonite Women of Virginia Fall Retreat in Richmond. The speaker this year will be Angie Williams.

Springdale Mennonite will be assembling a choir made up of local church members to participate in a Christmas Eve concert.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

- Michael Jasper Zook Friesen facing surgery in October
- Janie Delp as she deals with the pains of sciatica
- Peggy Blosser, recovering from a leg injury
- The Duncan family for healing
- Sudana Wilmott facing trials and temptations
- Pray for Ronald and his opportunities to minister to "Sleepy" and Della Smith at the MRRJ
- Staunton Mennonite as we discern a vision for our future

Acts 10:34-35, "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him."

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## 9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL

"Understanding our dreams!"—Genesis 28:10-22

-Discussion led by Marvin Showalter

Nursery this week: Florence Showalter

Next week: Frances Weaver

## 10:30 WORSHIP

### Gathering

Announcements

Marvin Showalter

Call to Worship

### Praising God

Worshiping in Song

Lowell Wenger

Moment in Mission

Offering

Marvin

Sharing/Congregational Prayer

### Listening to God

Scripture: Philippians 1:7-11 and Romans 12:2

Sermon: Inclination→Compelled...Action?

Ronald Friesen

### Responding

Hymn of Response

Lowell

Benediction

Ronald

Last Sunday

Worship attendance

29

Offering

\$798.00

Next Sunday October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007

Sunday School discussion leader: Ronald Friesen

Worship leader: Kathy Zendt

Message by Kevin

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

This year's Relief Sale auction raised over \$310,000.00, and the Penny Power offering brought around \$17,000 with SMC contributing over \$652! Thanks again to all who participated.

Tony Campolo, author and evangelist, will be speaking at EMU Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm and Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.

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Springdale Mennonite will be assembling a choir made up of local church members to participate in a Christmas Eve concert. Practice will begin soon.

It isn't too soon to be planning for Stewardship University on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008 at Waynesboro Mennonite.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

- Michael Jasper Zook Friesen facing surgery in October
- Janie Delp as she deals with the pains of sciatica
- Logan Showalter, grandson of Marvin and Florence, as he deals with sensory processing disorder
- Sudana Wilmott facing trials and temptations
- Staunton Mennonite as we discern a vision for our future

