

Ridgeview Mennonite Church  
3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville, PA 17529  
717 768-3143  
December 31, 2023

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

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 9:00 AM

**WORSHIP SERVICE** 10:15 AM

**How will we know...who knows?**

**Worship Leader:** John Denlinger

**Music:** Jeff Raught

**Service of Song, Spoken Word & Silence**

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting the Peace Candle

Receiving Our Tithes and Offerings

Call to Worship

L: In the beginning God was.

**Right: In the beginning God spoke all the world into being. God created all of light, life and love. And God said it was good.**

L: In the beginning was the word and the word was with God and the word was God. And time passed.

**Left: And God loved the whole world so much that God gave and God came!**

L: And the "God-Word" became flesh and lived among us and His name was Jesus. And time continues to pass.

**ALL; Jesus is the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end. Jesus will come again.**

L: How will we know? Who knows? Time passes.

Lighting the Advent Candles  
Congregational Singing  
Children's Time: Julie Sommers  
Congregational Singing  
Sending & Blessing

**WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY...**January 7...*Jesus' Authority*,  
Mark 1: 21-28, Pastor Klaudia

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Tue 6:30 p.m.** Pastoral Search Committee meeting

**Wed 9:00 a.m.** Food pac

**Jan 14 Sun 9:30 a.m.** Congregational meeting.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**NEW EMAIL ADDRESS** for Merv Stoltzfus... [mrstoltzfus@gmail.com](mailto:mrstoltzfus@gmail.com)

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**, Sunday, January 14, 9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday school classes will meet 9:00 – 9:30 a.m.

**IF YOU HAVE A CREDIT CARD** thru Everence, please consider earmarking Ridgeview Mennonite Church as "Your Neighbor." My Neighbor program is an easy way to support Ridgeview Church, your Neighbor, through your normal shopping routines. For every grocery, gas or other purchase you make, Everence will donate 1.50% of the transaction to the Church.

### REPORT FOR December 24

Offering \$2,375 Attendance 74

Year End for 12//24/23 \$ 0

Year-end to date 10,252.00

Year-end & Auction 17,488.62

Our offering today will need to be \$4,256.38 to reach our budgeted amount for December plus our goal of year end. Anything over this amount will be applied to the chapel fund.



**December 31, 2023**

**Pastoral Advisory Council**

Klaudia Smucker, Interim Pastor

Etta Esch

John Denlinger

**Ministry Leadership Team**

Dick Thomas

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