

Ridgeview Mennonite Church
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April 6, 2025

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:00 AM

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:15 AM

Worship Leader: Jill Heine
Music: Evie Hershey, Joanne Dietzel

Prelude

Gathering Song *All Things Bright and Beautiful* VT 177

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting the Peace Candle

Prayer of Confession

Words of forgiveness

Family of faith, hear and believe this good news:

When we fail to be righteous,

God is merciful.

When we fail to be merciful,

God invites us to try again.

Again and again,

God moves closer to us.

Again and again,

God shows us the way.

Thanks be to God for this unending love. Amen.

Receiving Our Tithes and Offerings

Call to Worship

We come to worship because we long for mercy.

We long for community.

We long for God.

We come to worship because we need a good word.

We need connection.

We need moral reminders.

We come to worship because we are in between:

hope and grief,

faith and doubt,

joy and longing,

curiosity and conviction.

So we come to worship and God meets us here.

Surely, we are not alone. Thanks be to God for meeting us in the middle! Amen.

Congregational Singing

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

VT 156

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

VT 160

Righteous Mercy

Children's Time: Sarah & Autumn Rohrer

Scripture: Luke 18:35-43 & 19:1-10

Message: *"Righteousness & Mercy"*

Pastor Katelyn

Response Song *Amazing Grace*

VT 163

Prayer Concerns and Praises

Benediction

Sending Song *I Know God Loves Me*

VT 158

CALENDAR

Tue 10 :00 a.m. Tuesday Alive...Roland Anye, MCC thrift shop coordinator, will be the guest speaker.

Wed 9:00 a.m. Food Pack

Thu 10:00 a.m. Let's pray (prayer room)

Apr 17 Thu 10:00 a.m. Prayer shawl group

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service @ Ridgeview

Apr 18 Fri 7:00 a.m. Men's breakfast

7:00 p.m. Good Friday service @ New Holland Mennonite

Apr 20 Sun 9:00 a.m. Breakfast (no Sunday school); **10:15** Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR CHURCH FAMILY...

While recovering from a broken leg, Ben Stoltzfus fell and broke the same leg in another place. He had surgery and is now back at Ephrata Manor.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES...

Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 p.m. at Ridgeview

Good Friday Service 7:00 p.m. at New Holland Mennonite

Easter Sunday 9:00 a.m. Breakfast & fellowship in the fellowship hall (No Sunday school); 10:15 a.m. Worship

REPORT FOR March 30

Offering \$3,140 Attendance: 55

Education Fund \$1,150



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Pastoral Advisory

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