

Ridgeview Mennonite Church
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October 5, 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: Sarah & Autumn Rohrer, Shirley Nolt

Prelude
Gathering Song *God of Grace and God of Glory* VT 716
Welcome & Announcements
Lighting the Peace Candle
Receiving Our Tithes and Offerings
Call to Worship

Congregational Singing
Be Thou My Vision VT 549
Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore VT 283
I Saw a Tree VT 514

Children's Time: Julie Sommers
Scripture: Micah 3
Message: *"Repentance in Knowing Justice"* Pastor Katelyn
Response Song *Longing For Light* VT 715

Prayer
One: Like a sower, God scatters, and God will give growth.
Many: God scatters life across the earth.
One: God scatters people in every land and nation.
Many: God scatters disciples far and wide.
One: Like a shepherd, God gathers.
Many: God gathers people into families of faith.
One: God gathers people into communities of love.

Many: God gathers people into the body of Christ.

One: Today, on this World Communion Sunday, God gathers us at one table with disciples of every language, culture, and tradition. From cathedrals and chapels, from huts and houses, from fields and cities, God gathers us in many places and makes us one in Christ. At this table, we remember the cost of discipleship and rejoice in the richness of Christ's gifts poured out for the whole world.

Many: With our ancestors in faith, and with our brothers and sisters who gather at your table across every continent and island, we ask your blessing on this bread and this cup. May these gifts of Christ's body and blood strengthen us to be the gathered and scattered Church in the world—many in culture and expression, yet one in Spirit, one in truth, one in faith, one in love. Gather your scattered seeds into your home of grace and peace, where all creation is renewed in you.

Communion
Song *I Am the Bread of Life* VT 480
Benediction
Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow VT 70

CALENDAR

Oct 14 Tuesday Alive
Oct 17 Men's breakfast
Oct 26 Rededication and celebration of our chapel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONRAD BILDSTEIN recently had a fall. He fractured two ribs and punctured a lung. He is currently at Manatawny Manor, 30 Old Schuylkill Road, Pottstown, PA 19465, Room B-5.

JAKE LAPP is a patient at Lancaster General Hospital.

PLANNING FOR THE RIDGEVIEW AUCTION CELEBRATION is getting underway. If you are interested to help in some way, please contact Tyler Glick or Dick Thomas. So far, the following people are involved in some way in this community building event. Sara Bushong, Dan Dietzel, Emily Glick, Tyler Glick, Heidi Loncosky, Katelyn Robbins, Merv Stoltzfus, Joyce Thomas & Dick Thomas. Now is a good time to consider a contribution to the auction or friends & neighbors you may invite to this event.

THE RIDGEVIEW FISCAL YEAR BEGINS ON OCTOBER 1. Thank you for your contributions in time, prayer, attendance at church events and financial giving during the past year. Looking forward please note the October 26 Church Celebration Sunday as well as the upcoming auction and Joining Together in December to enable us to meet budget goals for the 2025-26 church year. The auction and Joining Together in December (to give beyond weekly giving) are important events to help us meet budget goals for the year. Please pray for the year ahead and consider how you may be called to advance our mission to all of creation.

REPORT FOR September 28
Offering \$3,572 Attendance 69

Pastoral Advisory
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