

Ridgeview Mennonite Church
3723 Ridge Road, Gordonville, PA 17529
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January 11, 2026

WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:50 AM

Worship Leader: Joanne Dietzel
Music: Elaine Shirk, Shirley Nolt

Seeking Peace Together

Prelude
Gathering Song *All People That on Earth Do Dwell* VT 5
Welcome & Announcements
Receiving Our Tithes & Offerings

Call to Worship
One: We call upon you, our Creator--Source of all that is and all that is coming.
Many: Come among us and let us sense your presence.
One: Help us to harmonize our lives with all that you are doing – in us, among us, and around us.
Many: Give us the courage to follow where you lead.
One: Holy One in Heaven,
Many: Help us to follow you in our words and actions.
One: Give us enough bread to live today. Encourage us to claim your forgiveness and to forgive each other.
Many: Guide us away from temptations and strengthen us in our resistance to all that we know as evil.
One: We are deeply grateful for the life and the world you have given us and we stand in awe of what you have done and are doing.
Many: We invite you to direct our lives toward your glory and hope to find rest in your peace.
One: We pray for your reign to come.
All: We offer our worship to you.

Congregational Singing
For the Healing of the Nations VT 705
Renew Your Church VT 717
Gentle Shepherd, Come and Lead Us VT 718

Children's Time Julie Sommers
Scripture Reading Matthew 6:5-13
Message "*Simplicity in Prayer*" Pastor Katelyn

Responsive Reading
Response Song *Longing for Light* VT 715
Praises and Prayer Concerns
Benediction
Sending Song *The Lord's Prayer* (recording)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A SOUP SUNDAY fellowship meal is being planned for Sunday, February 8. We are inviting 6 people to share a crock pot filled with soup. Please be in touch with Charlotte Lapp if you are interested in providing a crockpot of soup. Leave a message on our home phone 717 768-3371.

SAVE THE DATE for a Winter Cabaret, a Lancaster event benefiting Mennonite Action. Enjoy live music, snacks and warm drinks, a silent auction, and a cozy space to gather and connect. Sat, Feb 7, 7pm at Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster. Suggested donation at the door but all are welcome.

MENNONITE EDUCATION FUND There is currently \$75.00 in this fund for the 2026-27 school year. The awards for the year are based on the dollars in the account around April 1. This year we provided a scholarship of \$1,000 to our three students in a Mennonite school. The schools matched the congregational scholarship providing \$2,00 for our three students. The fund is open to receive contributions.

JAMAICA HURRICANE RELIEF FUND A fund is open until the end of January to aid a congregation whose church building suffered damage in the hurricane. Sam Walters has connections to this congregation which is part of the Mennonite Church in Jamaica.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING Sunday, January 25, following the worship service.

REPORT FOR January 4

Offering \$2,332

Attendance: 45

Budgeted Amount	\$32,526.00
YTD Received	28,528.00
Year-end Giving	10,611.00
Education Fund	85.00



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

Pastoral Advisory

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**Your Kingdom Come
Peace with God**

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