

# Spring Mount Mennonite Church

[www.springmountmennonite.org](http://www.springmountmennonite.org)

610-287-5280

**Our Mission:** *To reach out to our community as a healthy congregation able to offer welcome and fellowship for the purpose of salvation and nurture in God's grace.*

<b>Pastor:</b>	Christian J. Nickels	610-287-3681
<b>Associate Pastor:</b>	Don McDonough	610-222-0357
<b>Elders:</b>	Eleanor Ruth	215-361-6855
	Ruth Reinford	610-287-2361
	Rich Miller	215-723-5422

**Preservice Prayer Time 9:30 a.m.** (in a classroom in the basement)

Worship Service 9:45 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

## October 25, 2009

Preservice Music	Eleanor Ruth
<b>Gathering and Praising</b>	
Welcome and Call to Worship	Blake Pennington
Worship through song	Gay Brunt Miller
<b>Offerings to God</b>	
Offerings of tithes	
Offerings of praises and prayer requests	
Offerings of prayer	
Offering our voices	Gay Brunt Miller
<b>The Word proclaimed and our response</b>	
Children's time	Kelly Fickert
Scriptures:	1 Kings 11:1-13 pp. 275-276
	2 Corinthians 12:6-10 pp. 943-944
Sermon:	"Weakness" Ben Morrow
We respond in song	Gay Brunt Miller
<b>Closing</b>	
Announcements	
Sending/Benediction	Blake Pennington

<b>Greeters/Ushers:</b>	Al Paul	David McDonough	Carol Menser
		Jonathan Pennington	Rich Miller

### THIS WEEK AT SPRING MOUNT MENNONITE CHURCH

Wednesday, **October 28**, 7:00 p.m. – **Worship Committee** Meeting

Wednesday, **October 28**, 7:30 p.m. – **Bible Study** at Ruth Reinford's home

**NEXT SUNDAY:** November 1, 2009

Theme: **"For all peoples a feast of rich food"**  
Scriptures: Psalm 119:1-8; Hebrews 9:11-14; Mark 12:28-34  
Worship Leader: Chris Nickels  
Song Leader: Walton Ruth

*We will celebrate baptism and communion next Sunday.  
Please bring a gift of food for the Jerusalem Community  
Food Pantry to place around the Communion Table.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

In addition to continuing to pray for Kimberly, who is suffering with terminal cancer, you are encouraged to send cards and/or notes of encouragement to her. The address is <b>Kimberly Calala, 833 Cyprus Avenue, Spring City, PA 19475</b>
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On Sunday, **November 1**, 6:30 p.m., author and educator **David W. Shenk** will be at **Franconia Mennonite Church**. He will share stories and insight from his work and ministry in global missions and will focus on the challenge to be **"Ambassadors of Reconciliation in a World of Many Religions."**

**David W. Shenk** will also lead the course, **Anabaptist Mission and Peace**, being offered by Eastern Mennonite Seminary. The course will explore redemption and reconciliation as the heart of Anabaptist Mennonite mission. Dates for the course are **October 30-31** and **December 11-12** at **Conestoga Mennonite Church** in Morgantown, PA. For more information and registration, visit [www.emu.edu/lancaster/seminary/gateway](http://www.emu.edu/lancaster/seminary/gateway).

Come to **Penn View Christian School's Fall Open House** on Sunday, **November 1**, 1:30-4:30 p.m. There will be tours, refreshments and fun for families with children in early childhood through 8<sup>th</sup> grade! Come meet **The Cat in the Hat** in the Media Center for story time, visit classrooms and meet teachers. Please contact Sandra Harrell, Director of Admissions at 215-723-1196, x 1352 or email [sharrell@pennview.org](mailto:sharrell@pennview.org) to register. For more details visit [www.pennview.org](http://www.pennview.org).

**The Adventure of Parenting Teenagers.** Parents of Jr. High and Sr. High Youth come hear youth expert, **Duffy Robbins**, on Wednesday, **November 4**, 7:00 p.m., at **Franconia Mennonite Church**. This free presentation is open to the public. To register for free childcare, please call 215-723-3220.

**Worldwide Evangelistic Ministries** invites you to attend their **Fundraising Banquet** at **Franconia Heritage** on Friday, **November 6**, 6:30 p.m. The featured guest speaker is Evangelist **Joey Perez** with special music by **Donna Godshall**. A free will offering will be taken. For reservations contact Lisa Shields at [worldwidemin@comcast.net](mailto:worldwidemin@comcast.net) or call 215-223-1022. For more information visit [www.worldevangmin.com](http://www.worldevangmin.com).

**Bellaccord**, a 13-member male a cappella group from Eastern Mennonite University, will perform at **Plains Mennonite Church** on Saturday, **November 7**, 7:00 p.m. Members of the group include Ben Bergey from Blooming Glen Mennonite Church, Steven Rittenhouse from Souderton Mennonite Church, and Andrew Derstine from Plains Mennonite Church. A free will offering will be received.

### SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE MONTH:

Cast your burden on the Lord, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved. 55:22	Psalm
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### REMINDER OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 25 – Grave yard tour by John Ruth at Methacton Mennonite Church  
October 31 – Craft Fair and Bake Sale at Rockhill Mennonite Community  
October 31 – Myron & Esther Augsburgers at Deep Run Mennonite Church East  
October 31 – Ten Thousand Villages Gift Festival at Upper Milford Mennonite Church  
November 13-14 – Conference Assembly '09 at Souderton Mennonite Church