

# Willow Springs Mennonite Church

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## 9:30 WORSHIP

Singing  
Call to worship  
Worship in song

Children's time  
Scriptures: John 1:14, 6:51-58, Luke 22:15-20  
Sermon: "*And the WORD became FLESH  
and dwelt among US!*"

Communion  
Songs

Sharing and Pastoral Prayer  
Offering  
Announcements  
Sending

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's classes - age 2 through 8<sup>th</sup> grade (basement)  
Adult classes: *Just Eating* – Maple Room  
Connecting in Conversation

**Welcome to Willow Springs worship!** Today we continue our series on the five love languages based on a book with the same title. We explore God's love and our life of love. The Five Love Languages: Words of affirmation, Quality time, Receiving gifts, Acts of service, and Physical touch.

**All who acknowledge Jesus as Lord** and believe in your hearts Jesus is alive are welcome in the celebration of Communion this morning. Crackers and juice are available for children.

Worship leader – Carol Zehr  
Children's story – Beth Gerig

Song Leader – Phil Kaufmann  
Sermon – Cal Zehr

**The plastic bank passed during the offering time** is for coins (50 cents or so). This symbolizes our desire to combat world hunger. Proceeds are divided between the local food pantry and MCC hunger projects.

**Pastor's plans:** Cal plans to attend pastor peer group Wednesday morning at the home of Dennis Kennell.

**Kids Klub,** Wednesday, February 27, 6-7 pm at the Tiskilwa Bible Church. Classes for K - 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

**Elders' Meeting,** Wednesday, February 27, 7:15 at the home of Cal Zehr.

**Way of Christ:** Pray for the participants and team of the Men's Way of Christ meeting Thursday through Sunday. The weekend concludes Sunday evening with a worship service here at Willow Springs.

**Our next Come and Dine** is next Wednesday, March 6, 5:55-7:45 pm at the home of Cal and Carol. We will gather for a soup and sandwich meal and share in a time of prayer & reflection with *Take Our Moments and Our Days, An Anabaptist Prayer Book*. Download it for use if you have a smart phone. Please sign up on the bulletin board to bring food.

## CALENDAR

March 6      Come and Dine  
March 7      Listening to the Bible in Tiskilwa  
March 12     Church board meeting  
March 13     Pie Making for MCC Relief Sale  
March 15-16 MCC Relief Sale, Bloomington  
March 20     Come and Dine  
April 3       Come and Dine

## Available for your use:

Accessible restroom by library  
Childcare for children through age 4 (following children's story)  
Elevator located inside main door and by library  
Large print hymnals & hearing devices available from ushers

## VISION STATEMENT

Willow Springs is a thriving Anabaptist community of believers saved by grace who love and desire to follow Jesus Christ. We celebrate life together through joyful worship, faithful study, intentional sharing of the Gospel and compassionate caring and service to others.

**Listening to the Bible in Tiskilwa**, Thursday, March 7, 6 pm at Piccolo's Restaurant.