

Willow Springs Worship

January 18, 2026 9:30 a.m.

Welcome and Call to Worship

VT 868 – Pam Kaufmann

Songs – Phil Kaufmann

Children's time – Andy Krabill

Scripture – Luke 10:38-42 NRSV

Sermon – Phil Waite

Being with Jesus in Our Daily Living

Songs – VT 435 Blessed Assurance

Sharing and prayer – Ellen Davis-Zehr

Song

Announcements

Sunday School ends at:

Sending – VT 1065

Sending Song

Calendar

Jan. 25 Sharing Scripture with each other

Feb. 1, 15, 22 Phil Waite Preaching

Feb. 8 Doug Kaufman Preaching

Tuesdays at 10:00 am: Praise, Prayer and Pacing:
If you would like company getting in your daily walk
join the group at the church.

Please remember to place your gifts in the basket
towards the back of the sanctuary.

For adult Sunday School today, we will continue
discussing the booklet "What is an Anabaptist
Christian?"

We will be providing transportation for the Living
Water youth and sponsors between Amtrak and
Menno Haven on the weekend of Jan. 30-Feb. 1.
Two or three drivers are needed. Please contact
Anna Zehr if you would like to volunteer for this.

A BIG thank you goes to our congregation's
children for their work cutting most of the
snowflakes that decorate our worship space.
Thanks to all the children!

For worship next Sunday, January 25, instead of
having a sermon, we ask that throughout this
coming week, each person reflect on and pick out a
scripture passage that is important to them. This
can be as short as a verse or as long as a chapter.
We will read these passages during our morning
service, without adding why the verse is important
to us.

Hopedale Mennonite Church is hosting a comforter
bash Friday, February 13 and Saturday, February
14 starting at 9:00 AM and continuing until 4:00 PM
each day. From HMC: Our purpose is to put
together as many comforters as possible to send to
Mennonite Central Committee to be sent to our
neighbors near and far who need the comfort and
warmth of a colorful and well-made comforter. We
are hoping to make 35-40 comforters. We invite all
who are interested to join us one or both days, all
day or part of a day, regardless of your skills in
tying knots in a comforter. We will teach you the
simple skills needed. We will provide lunch and
snacks, as well as a fun time working together to
help those in need around the world. We ask only
that you contact Hopedale Mennonite Church to let
us know you are coming so we can plan for lunch.
See the flyer in your email for more information.

If pastoral care is needed, please contact Phil
Waite or an Elder: Dale Bachman, Ellen
Davis-Zehr, Pam Kaufmann, or Elvin Krabill.

Luke 10:38-42 (NRSV)

Jesus Visits Martha and Mary

38 Now as they went on their way, he entered a
certain village where a woman named Martha

welcomed him.[a] **39** She had a sister named Mary, who sat at Jesus's[b] feet and listened to what he was saying. **40** But Martha was distracted by her many tasks, so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her, then, to help me." **41** But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things, **42** but few things are needed—indeed only one.[c] Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."