

designed to replace *Hymnal: A Worship Book* (1992), *Sing the Journey* (2005), and *Sing the Story* (2007). This new collection will take into account the breadth of the Mennonite Church, the diverse ways Mennonites sing and worship, and will be available in bound and digital formats. This new song collection is to be owned by, and used throughout the denominations. As individuals, you are encouraged to fill in a survey about your own "heart" songs – songs and hymns from our existing collections (current and previous) that are important to you. Please visit: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MWSC_Heart_Song for the form.



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9:30—Sunday School

11:00—Worship Service

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

HWB – *Hymnal: A Worship Book* (blue)

STJ – *Sing The Journey* (green) STS – *Sing The Story* (purple)

Prelude

Juan Hernández

Praising

Call to Worship

Cynthia Lapp, Elham Eftekhary

Hymn: *Siyahamba (We are marching/Caminamos)** Eric Stoltzfus

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Clayton Steiner

Confessing

Confession**

Hymn: STS 30 – *Arise, your light is come!*

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children

Michelle Burkholder, Penny Russell

Scripture Reading:

Luke 24:28-32

Lawrence Ressler

Message: *From “Homelike” To “Holy”*

Andy Stoner

Hymn: HWB 277 – *I know that my Redeemer lives*

Responding

Gratitude from the IGH Board

Ilene Weinbrenner,
IGH board chair

Farewell to Judy & Mark Nord

Hymn: STJ 76 – *The Lord bless you and keep you*

Responses to the Message

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Nursery: Childcare is provided for children ages newborn through three years old.



Assistive Listening Devices are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Church Listserv: To add or change your email address, please email Jake Short.

Facebook: Hyattsville Mennonite Church.

Church Staff Schedule: The church office is closed on Mondays.

Cindy will be available Tuesday through Friday.

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The Work of the Church
Greeting our Guests
Announcements

The Ministry of Giving
Children's Offering
Offertory
Prayer of Dedication

Elham Eftekhary

Sending

Hymn: HWB 430 – *God be with you*
Benediction

**Siyahamba* translations:

(Zulu) Siyahamba ekukhanyeni kwenkos
(English) We are marching in the light of God
(Spanish) Caminamos en la luz de Dios

**from the Rule of St. Benedict, and *Radical Hospitality* by Lonni Collins Pratt

ANNOUNCEMENTS

International Guest House 50th Anniversary Celebration Sunday: We extend a special welcome to current and former hosts and volunteers at the International Guest House (IGH), who are here celebrating IGH's 50th anniversary. Thank you as well to the IGH board for planning the 50th anniversary weekend. Current board members are: Ilene Weinbrenner (chair), Gene Miller (secretary), Marlin Friesen, Sara Fretz-Goering, Will Hawk, Kim McClain, Stan Reedy, Valerie Schrock, and TJ Tennefoss.

Fellowship Meal Today: All are invited fellowship meal in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the International Guest House immediately following the worship service.

International Guest House 50th Anniversary May 6 and 7: You are invited to the International Guest House (IGH) as they celebrate 50 years! This afternoon at 4:00 p.m. there will be another open house at IGH, 1441 Kennedy St. NW, Washington, D.C. All are welcome!

Adult Education: We are continuing a series on animals in the Bible and animals and spirituality. If you would be willing to talk about your experience with animals and spirituality, contact [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].

Lent Offering: Our Lent offering went to Anacostia Watershed Society. We raised a total of \$1,734 towards their efforts to clean up and beautify the areas around the Anacostia River, which includes the Hyattsville area. This is part of HMC's commitment to creation care. Thank you for your generosity!

Congratulations Graduates: Congratulations to the seniors graduating in 2017: Johanna Steelberg, Case Western University; Cecilia Lapp Stoltzfus, Goshen College; Jesse Leissa, Ohio State University; Jerome Glick, Rochester Institute of Technology; Greta Leissa, Sherwood High School; Micah Shenk-Evans, St. Anselm's Abbey School.

New Members: The Pastorate recommends the following people for membership at HMC: Becky Albrecht, Tabitha Gingerich, Tim Platt, and Meadow Platt. They will share their faith stories with the congregation on Pentecost, June 4.

Last call for the Silent Retreat May 19-21: There is still room for 1-2 more people. We will be at Rolling Ridge (<http://rollingridge.net>). Cost for the weekend is no more than \$50 and don't let that deter you. Contact Cindy, CLapp@hyattsvillemennonite.org right away if you have been waffling.

New Mennonite Hymnal: MennoMedia, in consultation with Mennonite Church USA and Mennonite Church Canada, is developing a new collection

TODAY

Greeter: Sara Fretz-Goering
Ushers: Peter Goering, Jake Short
Nursery: Kathleen Zook, Laurel Macondray
Worship Arts: Valerie Schrock

NEXT WEEK

Sara Person, Amy-Whittington
Alice Bender, Charlotte Schmidt
Meryt McGindley

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$3,532 Weekly Goal – \$5,638
Attendance Last Week – 136

Lectionary scripture for next Sunday, May 14:

Acts 7:55-60; Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16; I Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

CALENDAR

Tues. 5/9—Worship committee, 7:30 p.m.
Sun. 5/14—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun. 5/21—Michelle Burkholder preaches; Silent Retreat weekend.
Sun. 5/28—Cynthia Lapp preaches.
Sun. 6/4—New member Sunday.
