

Summer Choir: There has been a request to sing some 16th century music for fun. If you would like to sing Tallis and Palestrina and other old European composers a few evenings this summer, contact Cindy: [REDACTED]. We can make it happen.

Anti-Racism Training With Drew Hart: You are invited to join “Confronting Racism in the Church” with Dr. Drew G.I. Hart, author of *Trouble I’ve Seen: Changing the Way the Church Views Racism*. The training will be held on Saturday, July 22, from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. at the Festival Center, 1640 Columbia Rd. NW, Washington, DC 20009. Tickets for the training are \$10.00 and are available at: www.soteriadc.com. Light refreshments will be served at this event, and doors open at 12:30 p.m.



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11:00—Worship Service

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

HWB – *Hymnal: A Worship Book* (blue)

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

Prelude

Zsófia Tószegi

Praising

Call to Worship

Kaye Brubaker

Hymn: STJ 16 – *Praise with joy the world’s Creator* Penny Russell

Gathering Litany (Psalm 133:1)*

One: In the midst of a world that exalts the proud,
let us gather with humility.

**Many: How good it is when all of God’s people
live together in unity.**

One: Though we may be tempted to use harsh words,
let us gather in gentleness.

**Many: How good it is when all of God’s people
live together in unity.**

One: Though we may want everything to happen quickly,
let us gather in patience.

**Many: How good it is when all of God’s people
live together in unity.**

One: Though the world around often encourages hate,
let us gather in love.

**Many: How good it is when all of God’s people
live together in unity.**

One: In humility, gentleness, patience, love, and unity,

All: Let us worship the God who has called us together.

Hymn: *Hinei Mah Tov* (see insert)

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

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.

Michelle will be available Tuesday and Thursday.

Jake will be in the office Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.

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Confessing

Prayer of Confession**

Hymn: HWB 7 – *Here, O Lord, your servants gather*

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children

Scripture Reading:

Matthew 18:15-17

Zechariah 7:8-10

Ephesians 4:1-6

Message: ***This Broken Jug***

Hymn: STJ 38 – *Beloved, God's chosen*

David Conrad

Julia McCune

Responding

Responses to the Message

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

The Work of the Church

Greeting our Guests

Announcements

The Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: STJ 87 – *Put peace into each other's hands*

Benediction

* *Gathering Litany adapted from Words for Worship 2, edited by Diane Zaerr Brenneman, © 2009 by Herald Press, Scottsdale, PA.*

***Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance from Montreat 2017 College Conference Resources, "inspired by a prayer of the Middle East Council of Churches," <http://www.montreat.org/college-conference-resources/>*

TODAY

Greeter: Sara Fretz-Goering

Ushers: Kirstin Docken Showalter, Cheryl Fish-Parcham

Nursery: Dorothy Leissa, Katrina Toews

Worship Arts: Jake Short

NEXT WEEK

Mary Jo Schumacher

Yahtyng Sheu, Richard Brown

Laurel MacCondray, LeAnne Zook

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$3,069

Weekly Goal – \$5,638

Attendance Last Week – 97

Lectionary scripture for next Sunday, July 16:

Genesis 25:19-34; Psalm 119:105-112; Romans 8:1-11; Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

CALENDAR

Sun. 7/16—Orlando recap.

Sun. 7/23—Michelle Burkholder preaches.

Sun. 7/30—Begin “Faith, Hope, & Love” series (see announcement).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship Meal Today: All are welcome to stay for the fellowship meal immediately after the worship service today in the basement fellowship hall.

Pastoral Care: Pastors Cindy Lapp and Michelle Burkholder are going to the MC USA Convention this week. Both of them will be back in the office on Tuesday, July 11. For pastoral care, please be in touch with members of the Pastorate: Becca Walawender, Sandra Plett (evenings), and Nancy Gehman.

Candles Need a Good Home: The Worship Arts Committee recently did one of its periodic cleanups of the worship arts room. As a result, there are two boxes of lightly used candles that need a new home. Candles will be out in the lobby following the next few Sunday services. Please help yourself to as many or as few as you'd like.

Guest Preaching: Michelle Burkholder will be preaching at Scottsdale Mennonite Church in Scottsdale, PA next Sunday, July 16.

Worship Series: The worship committee is planning a series of services on Faith (July 30), Hope (August 6), and Love (August 13). We would like to hear a short reflection from 3-4 people each Sunday. If you would like to share a story, poem, dance, song, art, or sermonette on one of those Sundays, please contact Michelle or Cindy.

