

provided, and leaders will be available where needed. We are hoping for several households to volunteer to host these services. Hosts would be asked to provide elements for communion and sufficient space for a group of 10-12 people. Please contact Adam if you are interested in serving as a host at atice@hyattsvillemennonite.org

April and May Fellowship Meal Schedule:

There will be a departure from our usual 2nd Sunday Fellowship Meal schedule in April and May.

~April 24 - Easter Brunch-9:30-10:30 a.m. Please bring your Easter goodies to share.

~May 15 - The date has been changed due to Mother's Day

April 29-May 1: HMC Rock'n Women's Retreat at Rolling Ridge – All women of the church are invited to Rolling Ridge, near Harper's Ferry, W.V., April 29-31 for a time of reflection, building, reconnection and fun. For more information and to register see Crissie Buckwalter (car pooling, etc.).

Church List Serve: Join the HMC list serve to receive announcements and sharing each week. Send your request to hmcadmin@hyattsvillemennonite.org

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

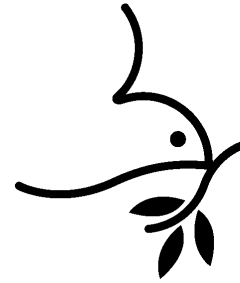
Cindy will be in the church office Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

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

Cindy & Adam will be meeting with the Allegheny Conference Leadership Commission on Thursday. Keep this meeting in your prayers.

Annabelle will be in the office Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

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9:30 – Sunday School 10:30 – Coffee Hour 11:00 – Worship Service

GATHERING FOR STUDY — Classes meet at University Park Church of the Brethren, 4413 Tuckerman, Hyattsville, Md.

GATHERING FOR COFFEE — Everyone is invited to meet in the fellowship hall for hot and cold drinks and a time of fellowship. Please make our visitors feel welcome.

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

HWB-Hymnal: A Worship Book STJ-Sing the Journey

*Becoming Human: called and shaped by Jesus
Fifth Sunday of Lent*

Prelude Mira Grieser

We Gather

Call to Worship	LeAnne Zook
Hymn: STJ 3 — <i>Jesus calls us here to meet him</i>	Cindy Lapp

Time of Silence (A bell will sound to enter and exit our time of silence)

Lighting the Peace Lamp

We Confess

Hymn: HWB 136 — *From the depths of sin*
Confessing (from Psalm 130)
Hymn: HWB 146 — *O Lamb of God all holy*

We Hear God's Word

A Time for Children
Scripture Reading: John 11:1-45 (p. 873-874)
Ezekiel 37:1-14 (p. 704-705)
Romans 8:6-11 (p.919)

Cheryl Shreiner

Sermon: ***Becoming Human: Body/Image***

Adam Tice

Hymn: (see insert) — *This is my body*

We Respond

Responding to the Message

What are the places in our world, in our communities and in ourselves that feel without spirit or life? How is God breathing joy and hope into those spaces?

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

We Go In Peace

Hymn: STJ 35 — *O Breath of life*
Benediction

TODAY

Greeter: Katrina Toews
Ushers: Sara Person, Christy Miller Hesed
Nursery: Jim R, Kathleen Z, Scott Y
Worship Arts: Meimon Glick
Children's Church: (not meeting)

NEXT WEEK

Cheryl Fish Parcham
Keith Swartzendruber, Kyle Melin
Anthony Y, Hannah S, Maria T
Sara Person
(not meeting)

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering received - \$3,393 Amount above budget - \$2,819
Offering needed each week - \$4,191 Lent Offering - \$640
Attendance - 111

Schedule for Iglesia Menonita Hispana:

Every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. – Rehearsals, Sunday School and Worship
Every Friday at 8:00 p.m.

CALENDAR

TODAY --Congregational meeting following the worship service.

Sun 4/17 --Palm Sunday: a service of hymns and scripture

--6:30 p.m., Church Council meeting

Thu 4/21 --7 p.m., Maundy Thursday service

Fri 4/22 --Good Friday services (see announcement)

Sun 4/24 --9:30 a.m., Easter Brunch (our April Fellowship Meal, see announcement), Sunday School classes will not meet.

--11 a.m., Cindy preaches

4/29-5/1 --Women's Retreat at Rolling Ridge (see announcement)

Sun 5/1 --Adam preaches

Mon 5/2 --Our turn to serve the noon meal at Community Café. See the sign up sheet to indicate how you can help.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our special offering during Lent this year will go to A Wider Circle, a local non-profit that works to help children and families in the Washington, D.C.-area escape poverty. They provide donated furniture, dishware, bedding and other basic need items to families who are moving out of shelters or living in neglected neighborhoods. The organization also runs after-school programs in low-income schools and teaches health and wellness classes at shelters and public housing facilities. Please bring personal care items to donate to A Wider Circle, including toothpaste, toothbrushes, lotion, deodorant, shampoo/conditioner, tissues, wet wipes, toilet paper, antibiotic ointments, band aids and soap. For more information go to www.awidercircle.org.

On Good Friday (April 22) we hope to have simple worship services in several homes (hopefully at least one in Virginia, the District, and Maryland). A liturgy with readings and songs will be