

north of the parking lot on Wells Parkway.

**EMU alum looking for a room** to rent for six months, starting mid-April. See his Linked In profile for more info. <http://www.linkedin.com/pub/jud-shearer/10/507/593>

**Attention High School Seniors:** Want to take some time off from school to focus on service and learning? Service Adventure gives you the opportunity to live in community with other young adults and a unit leader or couple while you learn more about what it means to serve God and each other. Visit [Service.MennoniteMission.net](http://Service.MennoniteMission.net) for more information or an application.

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**Church List Serve:** Please note new instructions -- Join the HMC list serve to receive announcements and sharing each week. To join, send an email from the account you wish to receive your messages with "Subscribe list" (no quotes) in the body of the email to [STServ@hyattsvillemennonite.org](mailto:STServ@hyattsvillemennonite.org). To remove yourself from the list, send an email from the subscribed email address with "Unsubscribe list" in the body of the email to [STServ@hyattsvillemennonite.org](mailto:STServ@hyattsvillemennonite.org). If you change email addresses, you must remove the old one and add the new one.

**Church Staff Schedule:** The church office is closed on Monday.

*Cindy* will be in the office Tuesday through Friday.

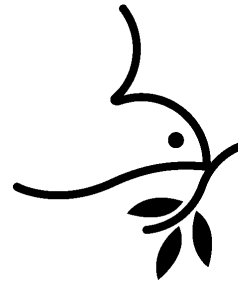
*Adam* will be in the office Tuesday through Friday.

*Annabelle* will be in the office Tuesday and Thursday.

**Please have all bulletin information in the office by 9 a.m. Thursday morning.**

Cynthia Lapp, Pastor  
Adam Tice, Associate Pastor  
LeAnne Zook, Congregational Chair  
Annabelle Kratz, Admin. Asst.

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10:40-Sunday School

11:30-Worship Service

All services are held at University Park Church of the Brethren  
4413 Tuckerman, Hyattsville, Md.

### **GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

#### **Palm Sunday**

*HWB-Hymnal: A Worship Book STS-Sing the Story*

Prelude

Jerome Glick

#### **We Gather**

Welcome

Annabeth Roeschley

Call to Worship

Palm Processional with Children

Karrie Peterson

Hymn: HWB 238 – *Hosanna. loud hosanna*

Adam Tice

Lighting the Peace Lamp

#### **We Reflect and Confess**

Hymn: HWB 411 – *I bind my heart this tide*

Confession

“We Have Forgotten Who We Are,” United Nations Environmental  
Sabbath Program (*Earth Prayers* by Roberts and Amidon)

Silent Reflection

The meditation bells will bring us in and out of the silence.

#### **We Listen**

Hymn: HWB 560 – *In lonely mountain ways*

## A reading of the Passion Story according to Mark 14-15

Readers: Michelle Burkholder, Laurie Melin, Eric Stoltzfus  
Photos assembled by Kamweti Mutu

Silent Reflection

Hymn: *My God, My God* (Psalm 22)

### We Bring

Sharing our Responses, Joys and Concerns  
Prayers of the Church

The Work of the Church

Greeting our Guests  
Announcements

The Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering  
Offertory  
Prayer of Dedication

### We Go in Peace

Sending Hymn: STS 84 – *So much wrong*  
Blessing for the Journey

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#### TODAY

Greeter: Mark N  
Ushers: Roxanne Ando, Kelly Heatwole  
Nursery: Rita & Phil Oswald Christano  
Worship Arts: Doris Bartel

#### NEXT WEEK

Katrina Toews  
Ruth Tillman, Cecilia Lapp Stoltzfus  
Scott Yoder, Kathleen Zook  
Judy N

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Last week's offering - \$985	Attendance - 121
Amount needed each week - \$3,947	Amount above budget - \$1,732
Lent offering for Academy of Hope - \$280	

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#### CALENDAR

Thu 4/5 --7 p.m., Love Feast, jointly with UPCOB  
Sun 4/8 --Easter Sunday — joint service with UPCOB  
--9:30 a.m., Easter Brunch (see announcement)  
--11 a.m., Worship  
Sun 4/15--Adam preaches/Fellowship Meal follows – see

announcement for details  
Sun 4/22--Cindy preaches

#### Looking Ahead:

April 27-29: Couples Retreat. Space is available for two more couples. See Cindy for details.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**This year's Lenten offering** will go to Academy of Hope, which provides basic education for adults in Washington, DC (<http://aohdc.org/>). A number of Hyattsville VSers and congregational members have or continue to volunteer or work at Academy of Hope.

**Prayer cards:** During Lent we are providing prayer cards for those who like to write down prayer requests instead of speaking them during the service. The cards (and a box to put them in) are on the back ledge of the UPCOB sanctuary. The pastors and pastorate members will receive these prayer requests and follow up if requested.

#### Hospitality Happenings:

Apr. 8- Fellowship Meal - Easter Brunch 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Please bring Easter goodies to share. This will be a joint gathering with UPCOB members.

**Apr. 15 - Farewell Meal for Adam and Maria** following the worship service. We are sad to say goodbye, but want to send them off with our warmest love and best wishes. There will be a place for you to share money gifts with them if you would like to contribute in that way. Please bring a dessert and salad or main dish to share.

**Easter Sunday** - Please bring cut flowers from your yard (if you are able) for our Easter processional to the cross. Easter potted plants purchased at Behnke's (lilies, daffodils, tulips & hyacinths) will be available for purchase following the service. Also, parking may be tight for Easter since it is a joint service with UPCOB. Be prepared to park on the street, either Tuckerman, 44th Avenue or