

Participants

Hyattsville Mennonite Women:

Roxanne Ando, Laura Baumgartner, Mira Grieser, Mardi Hastings,
Jennifer Hiebert, Cynthia Lapp, Cecilia Lapp Stoltzfus, Karen Minatelli,
Penny Russell, Kimberly Schmidt, Kathleen Zook

Singing Quaker Women plus Other Faithful Friends:

Janice Fain Dean (director), Joanna Axtmann, Cynthia Lapp, Kit Mason,
Meg Meyer, Ann Marie Moriarty, Lara Oerter, Barbara Platt

Musicians:

Recorder – Emily O'Brien
Cello – Eric Stoltzfus
Banjo – Mark Nord
Piano – Janet Peachey
Harmonica and Bodhrán – Richard Brown

Music director – Cynthia Lapp, pastor
Worship leader – Michelle Burkholder, associate pastor

Sound system – Jamie Stoltzfus
Ushers – Judy Nord, Jake Short

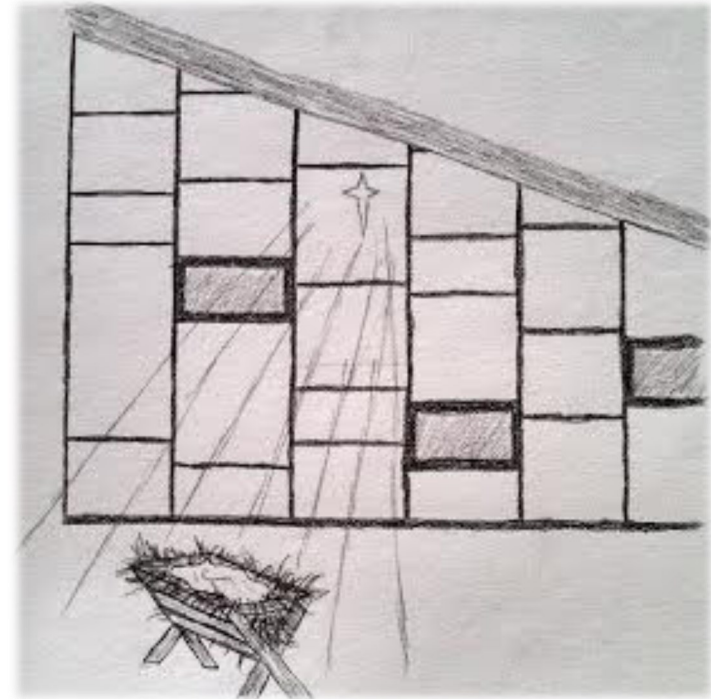


Poinsettias: Poinsettias are available for purchase after the service. They are \$10.00 each. Please make your purchases with Jake Short (exact change is appreciated).

Join us for worship on Sundays at 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages on
Sundays at 9:30 a.m., held at the University Park Church of the Brethren,
4413 Tuckerman St., Hyattsville, MD.

Christmas Eve Service of Lessons & Carols

December 24, 2013, 6:00 p.m.



Hyattsville Mennonite Church

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HWB—*Hymnal: A Worship Book* (blue)
STS—*Sing The Story* (purple)

Prelude: Emily O'Brien and Janet Peachey

Hyattsville Mennonite Women: *Hodie; Wolcum Yole* – Benjamin Britten

Welcome and prayer

HWB 318: *Joy to the world*

A Service of Lessons and Carols

First Reading: *In the Beginning*

Genesis 1:1-5: Jake Short

HWB 177: *Creator of the stars of night*

Second Reading: *Light and Shadow*

Isaiah 9:2-7, I John 1:5-7: Eric and Hope Olson

HWB 216: *Christ whose glory fills the skies*

Third Reading: *Prepare*

From Isaiah 40 and Mark 1:1-3: Amy and Alex Whittington

HWB 184: *Hark the glad sound*

Fourth Reading: *Rejoice*

From Isaiah 61, Luke 1:47-55: Jakob & Christina Hade Henriksson

Singing Quaker Women: *Ave Maria* – Ellen Keating, OP

STS 124: *My soul cries out*

Fifth reading: *God with Us*

Isaiah 11:1-6, Matthew 1:18-23: Mark Nord and Tony Brun

Hyattsville Mennonite Women: *This Little Babe* – Benjamin Britten

HWB 211: *Lo how a rose e'er blooming*

Sixth Reading: *The Time Comes*

Luke 2:1-7: Becca Walawender & Kristin Sampson

Singing Quaker Women: *Pueri Concinite* – Jacob Handl

HWB 191: *O little town of Bethlehem*

Seventh Reading: *Peace on Earth*

Luke 2:8-20: Mira Grieser, Brett, Sadie, and Willa Sherman

Singing Quaker Women: *O Magnum Mysterium* – Cristóbal de Morales

STS 22: *There were angels hovering around*

Eighth Reading: *The Star*

Matthew 2:1-12, Psalm 72:11-14: Roxanne Ando and Tiko Mason

HWB 201: *Hark the herald*

Ninth Reading: *In the Beginning*

John 1:1-14 (selected): Penny Russell

Hyattsville Mennonite Women: *Adam lay i-bounden* – Benjamin Britten

HWB 212: *O come, all ye faithful*

Offering:

The offering will go towards the work of the Ecumenical Project for International Cooperation (EPIC). See the insert for more information.

Offertory: HWB 215: *What Child is this*

Prayer

HWB 193: *Silent night*

Benediction

Postlude

Translations

Hodie:

Today Christ is born. Today the Savior appeared. Today on Earth the angels sing, archangels rejoice. Today the righteous rejoice saying, Glory to God in the highest. Alleluia.

Ave Maria:

Hail Mary, full of grace. God is with you. Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb Jesus. Holy Mary, mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Pueri Concinite:

Sing together children. Sing songs to the newborn King. In pious tones say: he who was born of Mary appears. Now we see fulfilled the word of Gabriel. The virgin has given birth to God as divine mercy willed.

O Magnum Mysterium:

O great mystery and wondrous sacrament, that the animals should witness the birth of the Lord in the manger. Blessed are you, Virgin Mary, whose womb was deemed worthy to bear Christ the Lord. Lord, I have harkened, heard, and been afraid; I have contemplated your works and become afraid: I am between two beasts.