

Ten Thousand Villages Sale: The annual Ten Thousand Villages sale will be held at HMC on November 7-8 and is open to the public. In addition to the fair trade items from Ten Thousand Villages of Alexandria, there will be a bake sale. More details to come. For more information, contact Su Flickinger.



Hyattsville Mennonite Church

A Christ-centered welcoming church committed to peace & justice.

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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)

Gathering

Prelude	Jonathan Miller
Call to Worship	Kaye Brubaker
Hymn: HWB 1 – <i>What is this place</i>	Cynthia Lapp
Lighting the Peace Lamp	Lori Reeder
Hymn: STJ 105 – <i>Don't be afraid</i>	

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children	
Scripture Reading:	
<i>From the Sermon on the Mount</i>	
Matthew 5:1-11	Cleta Roth Gingerich
Matthew 5:38-48	Orv Gingerich
<i>After Pentecost: Life Among the Believers</i>	
Acts 2:44-47	Liz Hunsberger

Affirming Faith

<i>Sharing of Faith Stories</i>	Jodi Birkey, Elham Eftekhary, Sam Zehr
Hymn: HWB 145 – <i>There's a wideness in God's mercy</i>	
Baptism of Elham Eftekhary	
baptismal vows	
prayer	
baptism	
presentation of gift	
Welcoming new members	
congregational response: HWB 777	

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 on Tuesday and Friday.

Jake will be in the office Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Prayer Cards: If you want to share a prayer request in writing rather than verbally during the service, please use the space below, tear out this box, and place it in the prayer card box on the table in the foyer. Members of the Pastorate hold your joys, concerns, and sharings in prayer, both those shared verbally during the service and in writing.

Hymn: STJ 49 – *Rain down*
Service of Communion

Michelle Burkholder

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 78 – *Sizohamba naye*
Benediction

- *Peace Lamp prayer originally written in Spanish; English translation from World Council of Churches, a collection of prayers for peace.*
- *Children's time story from Hero Tales: A Family Treasury of True Stories from the Lives of Christian Heroes, Vol. II, Dave & Neta Jackson*

TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Greeter: Sara Fretz-Goering	Herb Reed
Ushers: Elina Minatelli, Karen Minatelli	Glen Gehman, Nancy Gehman
Nursery: Krysta Hawkey, Zsófia Tószegi	Crissie Buckwalter, Becca Walawender
Worship Arts: Meryt McGindley	Roxanne Ando

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering – \$3,240	Attendance – 115
Amount needed each week – \$5,348	Amount under budget – \$12,380

CALENDAR

Sun. 10/12—Cynthia Lapp preaches, fellowship meal.
Fri. 10/17-10/19—Church Retreat, no worship service Oct. 19.
Sun. 10/26-11/2—Warm Nights week.
Mon. 11/3—Community Café.
Fri. 11/7-11/8—Ten Thousand Villages sale at HMC.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Warm Nights October 26-November 2: We need your help to fill the slots for serving and providing lunches. We currently need servers for Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday nights. We also need lunch makers for Monday-Thursday and set up and take down help. This is a wonderful way to participate with your HMC small group or sign on as an individual with an existing serving group that has already formed. The signup sheets are now up on the bulletin board. Please sign up now! For more information, contact Cheryl Shreiner, Lori Reeder, Mary Jo Schumacher, or Cheryl Fish-Parcham.

Community Café: After a break in serving during September, HMC is scheduled to serve Community Café again on Monday, November 3. The signup sheet is on the bulletin board. Also, if anyone is interested in being the contact person/lead server for Community Café, contact Nate Hajdu (who is stepping down from that role) and Jake Short.

Church Directory Updates: If you haven't sent your updated information for the church directory, please get it to Jake Short ASAP.

Annual Report: Committee chairs and church organization leaders, please send your reports for the 2013-2014 church year to Jake Short ASAP.

October 12 Fellowship Meal: Bring your favorite fall foods to share. Also, remember to bring your own table service if possible.

Parents of Senior High Youth: Next Sunday, October 12, you are invited to a conversation about the year ahead for our youth during the Sunday School hour. This will be a time to speak out about what is or isn't working about youth activities, hear about some of the topics the youth may explore during Sunday School, and get on the same page about plans for fundraising and attending the youth convention in Kansas next summer.

Vacation: Jake Short will be out of the office October 10-16. He will be available periodically via email during that time.

Pastoral Sabbatical: Mennonite Church USA recommends pastors receive a sabbatical every four years. Pastor Cynthia Lapp's last sabbatical was in 2009. From December 1, 2014—February 28, 2015, Cindy will be pursuing renewal and rejuvenation. The pastorate and church council are planning pastoral coverage during that time. For more information, please talk to Cindy.

No Worship On October 19: Due to the church retreat the weekend of October 17-19, there will be no worship service at HMC on Sunday, October 19. If you are not attending the retreat, we encourage you to worship with University Park Church of the Brethren.

