

a print photo or sending a digital photo to Michael Bender at mbender78@hotmail.com.

Worship on Saturday: Join us for a family-friendly contemplative worship service on Saturday, May 30 from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Music, candles, stories, and song will be part of this new time for worship at HMC. All are welcome.

Renter Needed: Available June 1 is a furnished large third floor bedroom with large private bathroom suitable for a single or couple. Shared kitchen, living, dining, washer/dryer. Off street parking, Wi-Fi, garage storage. Steps away from UMD shuttle, bus lines to West Hyattsville and P.G. Plaza metro stations (about 1.5 miles from both). Walk to coffee shops, restaurants, parks, bike paths. In historic Hyattsville. The professor who owns this home will be on sabbatical for six months starting in January 2016. A year-long commitment from the renter is needed. Asking \$700 for a single person, \$900 for a couple. Please contact: [REDACTED].

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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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.	



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

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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

Tim Buckwalter

Praising

Call to Worship

Eric Olson

Hymn: STJ 32 – *If you believe and I believe*

Cynthia Lapp

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Mark & Judy Nord

Confessing

Prayer of Confession

We lament the suffering and violence in (Colombia)...

We lament the effects of this war on (Colombia and) our country...

We repent of our failure to fully live the teaching of Jesus to be peacemakers...

We believe repentance means more than just being sorry...

We dedicate ourselves to the biblical vision of a world in which nations do not attempt to resolve international problems by waging war on other nations.

(Adapted from a prayer issued by Christian leaders to mark the fifth anniversary of the Iraq war.)

Silence

Words of Assurance

Hymn: HWB 371 – *Let there be light, Lord God*

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children

Mark & Judy Nord

Scripture Reading:

2 Corinthians 1:3-7

David Conrad

Isaiah 51:11-16

Message: *As We Share in Our Comfort and Suffering* Boris Ozuna
Hymn: STJ 69 – *Cuando el pobre*

Responding

Responses to the Message
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
 Sending for Rebeca & Boris
 *Our prayers go with you
 as you celebrate the work of Sembrando Paz
 and seek the reign of God in Colombia.*
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 75 – *Be still*
Benediction

CALENDAR

Thurs. 5/21—Trustees, 7:00 p.m.
Sun. 5/24—Pentecost; new member Sunday; no Sunday School.
Sat. 5/30—Contemplative prayer service, 5:00 p.m.
Sun. 5/31—Communion; youth Sunday.
Sun. 6/7—Joint worship at UPCoB; final week of Sunday School.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship Meal Today: All are welcome at the fellowship meal after the worship service today.

Days of Prayer & Action (DOPA) for Colombia: On May 17 and 18, Christian Peacemaker Teams (CPT) and partner organizations invite you to join them in prayer for peace in Colombia on Sunday, May 17. On Monday, May 18, you're invited to take action, calling for an end to the conflict and human rights abuses in Colombia. Although the Colombian government has now been in negotiations with the largest guerrilla group, the FARC, in Havana, Cuba for over two years now, Colombian civilians continue to bear the consequences of the war. Last year alone, more than 600 human rights defenders were attacked, including 55 assassinations, and hundreds more were threatened in early 2015. We thank Boris Ozuna for bringing us the message this morning and our sister church group for leading worship as part of observing DOPA.

No Sunday School: There will be no Sunday School next Sunday, May 24.

Reminder About Small Group Opportunities: Small groups at HMC are a vibrant part of the life of the church. From The Menno (happy) Hour to Fiber Arts to shared monthly meals and theology, small groups can provide space to grow, learn, evolve, connect spiritually, and/or simply meet other HMCers over food or fun. If you are interested in learning more, joining a group, or starting a new one, contact Annabeth Roeschley [REDACTED] or Mira Grieser [REDACTED].

Pentecost Offering: The Service Committee asks that we take a special offering for Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) on Pentecost, May 24, to support their work in Nepal after the earthquake. Thank you for your generosity in this time of great need.

New Members: The Pastorate recommends four people for membership on May 24: Julia Zehr and Christy Miller Hesed by transfer of membership, Leah Lumeya by affirmation of faith, and Kyle Miller Hesed by baptism.

Photo Wall: We have made good progress on the church photo wall (in the basement near the lift) that Pastorate is constructing so that we can know one another better. If we do not have your picture posted, please consider providing

TODAY

Greeter: Herb Reed
Ushers: Wyatt Feeler, Lori Reeder
Nursery: Krysta Hawkley, Liza Heavener
Worship Arts: Judy Nord

NEXT WEEK

Mary Jo Schumacher
Claire Noel-Miller, Keith Swartzendruber
Dorothy Leissa, Jim Rice
Melanie Friesen

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering – \$2,671 Attendance – 104
Amount needed each week – \$5,752 Amount under budget – \$6,199

Scripture for next Sunday, May 24:

Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

