


“United To Stop Gun Violence”: You’re invited to join Heeding God’s Call and other gun violence prevention organizations at “United To Stop Gun Violence”, a gathering that will include government officials and faith leaders as they hear from victims of gun violence and work to bring change. The event will be held on Tuesday, November 3, at 7:00 p.m. at the National Cathedral, 3101 Wisconsin Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20016. Admission is free.

Christian Family Montessori School: CFMS is now conducting tours for prospective parents for the upcoming school year. Many HMC children have attended CFMS through the years. CFMS serves children ages 2 ½-6th grade, but most open spaces go to children younger than 4, so if your child is 2, now is the time to explore. CFMS offers a Montessori education along with the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, a Montessori based spiritual formation program. For more information talk to Wendy Shenk-Evans [REDACTED], or visit our website www.cfmschool.org.

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.	
Cynthia Lapp, Pastor Michelle Burkholder, Associate Pastor Jake Short, Administrative Assistant Kelly Heatwole, Treasurer Christian Yoder, Congregational Chair Nancy Gehman, Pastorate Chair	clapp@hyattsvillemennonite.org mburkholder@hyattsvillemennonite.org jshort@hyattsvillemennonite.org kelly.j.heatwole@gmail.com christian.yoder@gmail.com ngehman@verizon.net
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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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)

Prelude
Krysta Hawkley

Praising

Call to Worship
Katrina Toews

Hymn: HWB 75 – *Heilig, heilig, heilig*
Eric Stoltzfus

Lighting the Peace Lamp
Loren, Trinda, Lily, and Elsie Groff

Parent/Child Dedication

Margaret Aoife McCullough,
 Daughter of Susie Reed McCullough & Jesse McCullough
 Prayer of Blessing
 Congregational Response: HWB 791
 Blessing Hymn: STJ 76 – *The Lord bless you and keep you*

Confessing

Confession
 Hymn: HWB 378 – *By Peter’s house*

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children
Katrina Toews

Children’s Church (ages 4 through 3rd Grade)

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 34:1-8
Beuford Aeschliman, Eve Knepp

Mark 10:46-52
Wyatt Feeler

Message: *We Need Jesus, Y’all*
Cynthia Lapp

Hymn: *Be still and know that I am God*

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: HWB 433 – *Go, my children*
Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Café Signups Still Needed! We still need most of the slots filled for Community Café, which HMC is serving on Monday, November 2. Please sign up on the bulletin board TODAY if you can help. Thanks!

Pledges: The deadline for pledges is November 1 so the 2016 FY Budget for HMC can be approved during the congregational business meeting on November 8, which will be right after the fellowship meal. Pledge forms are available on the back table or on the listserv email.

Church Directory Updates: It's that time of year again! The church directory is in need of an update, so if there are any changes to your current name, address, or contact information, email Jake Short the updates. Additionally, if you are not in the church directory and would like to be listed, please let Jake know. The deadline for updates is THIS Friday, October 31. Thanks!

Birthday Party: Rachel Stoltzfus is turning 90 – and you're invited to come celebrate! *When:* Saturday, November 7, at 2:00 p.m. [REDACTED]
Fare: Light refreshments and birthday cake. Please, no gifts, but you may bring a story, poem, song, instrumental, or anything you can share. Hope you can make it! Debbie and Gonz Accame: [REDACTED].

I Can Help With That! Now through November 21, HMC will be collecting materials for Refugee Relief Kits to be distributed through Mennonite Central Committee. MCC is in urgent need of 8,000 kits – can you help with that? Please see the table in the foyer for details, or write a check to HMC, designated to the MCC Kit Project. Contact Sandra Plett with questions. Visit www.mcc.org for more information.

Online Giving To HMC: So you got your third quarter pledge update and wondering if you'll ever remember your checkbook for church in order to get caught up. Have we got a deal for you! HMC has introduced two new ways to make contributions. First, you can make online donations (including credit card payments) through PayPal by simply visiting the HMC website (www.hyattsvillemennonite.org) and clicking the "GIVING" tab, where you'll find a "donate" button. Secondly, we have also opened a brokerage account through Everence should anyone wish to make a stock gift. Simply contact treasurer Kelly Heatwole ([REDACTED]) for details about stock donations. Please keep in mind that both of these options involve service fees per transaction for HMC, so checks or cash are still the method to beat, but we don't want to discourage your philanthropic creativity! Please also note that cash gifts can't be attributed to an individual, so if you're giving cash in fulfillment of your pledge, please put it in an envelope with your name so that the treasurer can give you credit for your gift. If you have any questions or suggestions about giving at HMC, please reach out to the treasurer. Thanks for your continued generosity!

TODAY

Greeter: Daron Showalter
Ushers: Kirstin Showalter, LeAnne Zook
Nursery: Dorothy Leissa, Jim Rice
Worship Arts: Melanie Friesen

NEXT WEEK

Michelle Burkholder, Judy Nord

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering – \$5,098
Amount needed each week – \$5,752

Attendance – 111
Amount under budget – \$12,494

Scripture for next Sunday, November 1:

Isaiah 25:6-9; Psalm 24; Revelation 21:1-6a; John 11:32-44

CALENDAR

Sun. 10/25—Church Council, 12:30 p.m.

Sun. 11/1—Requiem Sunday.

Mon. 11/2—Community Café.

Sun. 11/8—Melvin Schmidt preaches;

fellowship meal; congregational meeting.

Fri. 11/13-Sun. 11/15—Ten Thousand Villages sale at HMC.

Sun. 11/15—Michelle Burkholder preaches.
