

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

Mira Grieser

Praising

Call to Worship

LeAnne Zook

One: Arise, shine; Your light has come.

Many: God's glory has risen upon us.

One: Even if darkness should cover the earth,

Deep darkness cover the peoples,

Many: Nations shall come to your light;

Kings to the brightness of your dawn.

One: Nothing can hide God's glorious light.

All: Let us look to God and be radiant.

Let us reflect the brightness of this dawning.

Hymn: HWB 221 – *Hail the bless'd morn*

Cynthia Lapp

Confessing

Confession of Faith: Psalm 72:1-8

Hymn: STJ 109 – *There is more love somewhere*

Hymn: *Woke up this morning*

Hearing the Word

A Time for Children

Michelle Burkholder

Epiphany Pageant: Young and young at heart of Hyattsville Mennonite

Hymn: HWB 197 – *Angels we have heard on high*

Hymn: HWB 199 – *The first Noel, the angel did say*

Hymn: HWB 318 – *Joy to the world*

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.

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

Mira Grieser

Sending

Benediction (from Psalm 72)
Hymn: STS 32 – *Oh, beautiful star of Bethlehem*
Blessing

One: People of God, let your Light Shine.

**Many: The light of Christ is in us and among us
Guiding us and blessing us, now and always.**

All: Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship Meal Next Sunday: Our monthly potluck fellowship meal will happen next Sunday, January 10. Please bring something to share and your own table service if possible.

Upcoming Sunday School Schedule: Adult education for January will be a study of Abraham in Genesis led by Micah Tillman.

Meals: Meals are being organized for Daron and Kirstin Showalter as they welcome Marie. They live close to the church. Please use this link to sign up: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090449afa8283-meals2>. Thanks! If you would like to provide a meal but cannot transport it, please email [REDACTED] and we can work to coordinate delivery.

Hospitality Opportunity: My name is Rebecca Babirye. I am a 26-year-old Ugandan woman who just graduated from Wheaton College and will be doing an internship this semester at Mennonite Central Committee U.S. Washington Office. I am starting work January 11 and still haven't been able to find housing. I would prefer to live with a family or someone so as not to be by myself for the four months I will be in D.C. Please let me know if you know anyone who might be willing to let me stay with them at a low cost. I can be reached at: [REDACTED], or it is also fine to email Rachelle Lyndaker Schlabach at: [REDACTED].

House For Rent: Becca Walawender and Kristen Sampson's house on Minnesota Ave SE will be available for rent starting Feb. 1. Contact them if you are interested in renting: [REDACTED].

Hosts Needed: Fidele Lumeya is looking for host families from May 5-10 for relatives of his who will be in D.C. for the graduation of his niece Lisa from American University. They are looking for places to stay for three couples and four single persons. If you can help, contact Fidele and Leah: [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. Thanks!

Getting Involved At HMC: Have you wondered how to get more involved at Hyattsville Mennonite and/or want to meet more people in our congregation? Being an usher or nursery attendant is a great way to do so! If you are interested in learning more about what it means to be in these positions at HMC, contact Jake Short: [REDACTED].

| TODAY | NEXT WEEK |
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| Greeter: Peter Goering | Mary Jo Schumacher |
| Ushers: Karen Minatelli, Elina Minatelli | Lori Reeder, Sam Zehr |
| Nursery: Zsófia Tószegi, Peter Sabath | Krysta Hawkey, Yahtyng Sheu |
| Worship Arts: Judy Nord | Jake Short |
| TREASURER'S REPORT | |
| Offering – \$9,421 | Attendance – |
| Amount needed each week – \$5,752 | Amount under budget – \$161 |

Scripture for next Sunday, January 10:

Isaiah 43:1-7; Psalm 29; Acts 8:14-17; Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

CALENDAR

Mon. 1/4—Community Café.

Sun. 1/10—Cynthia Lapp preaches; fellowship meal.

