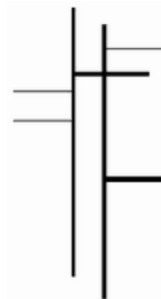


Nicaragua Benefit Concert: You are invited to join a benefit concert on Friday, August 24 at 7:30 p.m. at Seeker's Church, 276 Carrol St. NW, DC, near the Takoma Park metro station. D.C.-based bilingual folk-rock band Elena and Los Fulanos create music that ranges from Folk Americana to Latin Rock. \$20 suggested donation, with funds going to ADN (Alianza Democratica Nicaraguense) to support rural Nicaraguans and continue solidarity actions in US. Tickets and more information: carrollcafe.org, or call 202-829-9882.



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10:30—Fellowship Time 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: (based on Psalm 130) Keith Swartzendruber

One: We gather as pilgrims on a journey of faith.

**Many: We come seeking the cloud of your presence
as we travel on the way.**

We come seeking your pillar of fire to light our darkness.

We come seeking sustenance for the trying days ahead.

***All: Shine in our hearts O God. Fill us anew with heavenly food
to sustain us on our arduous journey.***

Hymn: HWB 8 – *Brethren, we have met to worship* Cindy Lapp

Lighting the Peace Lamp Madeline Kauffman

Confessing

Confession

One: God of judgment and mercy, we draw near to you.

Draw now near to us and hear our confession.

**Left: Our hands need cleansing, for they have participated
in systems of injustice and violence.**

***Right: Our hearts need purifying, for they have been wooed
by the power and hatred of the world.***

One: God of mercy, hear our prayers for healing and restoration.

Silence

Words of Assurance

***All: In our hunger for righteousness, God meets us
in the wilderness with enough food for the journey.***

Hymn: HWB 521 – *Come, thou fount*

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 and Friday.

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Hearing the Word

Time for Children

Scripture Reading:

Exodus 16:9-15

Message: ***On Pilgrimage***

Hymn: HWB 532 – *I am leaning on the Lord*

Sarah Hall Aguila

Michelle Burkholder

Responding

Responses to the Message

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Blessing for Madeline Kauffman

The Work of the Church

Greeting our Guests

Announcements

The Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: STJ 2 – *Hamba nathi*

Benediction

Lectionary scripture for next Sunday, August 26:

I Kings 8:1-43; Psalm 84; Ephesians 6:10-20; John 6:56-69

CALENDAR

Sun. 8/26—Cindy Lapp preaches.

Sun. 9/2—Joint worship in the park. (see announcement)

Sun. 9/9—Cindy Lapp preaches.

Sun. 9/9 – Sun. 9/16—Warm Nights week at HMC. (see announcement)

Sun. 9/16—Cindy Lapp preaches.

Fri. 10/19 – Sun. 10/21—Annual church retreat.

Fri. 11/16 – Sun. 11/18—Ten Thousand Villages sale.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ice Cream Social with the Nords Today: Mark & Judy Nord are back visiting HMC, and you are invited to share in their time-honored tradition of ice cream after worship! We will gather immediately after the service in the fellowship hall. All are welcome!

Directory Updates: It's that time of year again! If you have updates to your information in the church directory, or want to be added to the directory, please send your information to Jake Short by Friday, September 7.

Photo Directory: Many thanks to Michael Bender for maintaining the photo gallery in the basement! To help make putting names and faces together even easier, we are planning to create a photo directory this fall. If you could submit a digital photo and names of all those in it to Jake Short by Friday, September 7, it would be much appreciated. If you don't have a digital photo, but still want to be included, contact Jake Short to make other arrangements.

Warm Nights in September: We are hosting Warm Nights September 9-16. Please consider signing up to serve dinner, pack lunches, provide breakfast, setup, teardown, or help out by coming in to clean the restrooms before dinner. Contact Lori Reeder, Lisa Zammuto, or Cheryl Fish-Parcham with questions. Sign up at: <https://bit.ly/2nhq384>.

Service in the Park: On Sunday, September 2 we will hold our annual service in the park at Fletcher's Field in Riverdale. Once again we will join together in worship with folks from University Park Church of the Brethren (UPCoB) and creatively explore scripture stories around this year's theme: Animals in the Bible. You are invited to bring your pets along to the park for this unique service which will include a special blessing of the animals.

TODAY

Greeter: Cheryl Fish-Parcham

Ushers: Sara Person, Daron Showalter

Nursery: Charlotte Schmidt, Becky Hass

Worship Arts: Sara Person

NEXT WEEK

Sara Fretz-Goering

Nancy Gehman, Glen Gehman

Kathleen Zook, Meadow Platt

Michelle Burkholder, Becky Hass

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$3,698

Weekly Goal – \$5,863

Attendance Last Week – 83

