

Greetings from the Grieser/Sherman Family: Dear HMC Church Family, We wanted to check in and let you know that we are missing this community a lot and think of you all often! We are settling in to our 1 year in Antigua, Guatemala. If you would like to hear more, we have started a blog at: <https://aguacateros.travel.blog/blog-feed/>. We love and miss you all! Mira (for Brett, Sadie and Willa).

TDOR Service at HMC: In partnership with University Christian Church, HMC will host a Trans Day of Remembrance (TDOR) service on Wednesday, November 20 in the evening. If you would like to help plan this service, contact Jake Short and Michelle Burkholder.

Save The Date: Below are some upcoming events at HMC:

- Annual Church Retreat: October 18-20
- Requiem Sunday: November 3
- Ten Thousand Villages (TTV) sale: November 15-17
- Trans Day of Remembrance (TDOR) service at HMC: November 20

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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9:30—Sunday School 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

Juan Hernández

Praising

Call to Worship

Kaye Brubaker

Hymn: HWB 59 – *Sing praise to God who reigns* Daniel Daughtry-Weiss

Community Reading (based on Psalm 146)

One: Alleluia! Praise the Eternal, my soul!

Many: I will praise you all my life;

I will sing praise to my God while I live!

One: Do not trust in rulers, in mortals in whom there is no salvation.

**Many: When their spirits depart, they return to the earth,
and on that day their plans perish.**

One: Happy are those whose help is God,

**Many: whose hope is in the One who made heaven and earth,
the sea and all that is in it!**

One: Infinite Love, holy and wise, you keep faith forever;

**Many: You secure justice for the oppressed;
you give food to the hungry;**

you set captives free;

you give sight to the blind;

you raise up those who were bowed down;

you love those who do justice;

you protect strangers;

you sustain orphans and the bereaved—

but you thwart the way of the corrupt.

One: Our transcendent, present God is all-powerful forever—

Many: through all generations. Alleluia!

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Denise Brown

Confessing

Prayer of Confession (from Amos 6:1a, 4-7)
Hymn: STS 81 – *When we are tempted*
Words of Assurance

Hearing the Word

Time for Children

Kaye Brubaker

Scripture Reading

Luke 16:19-31

David Conrad

I Timothy 6:6-19

Message: *Global Warning*

Cindy Lapp

Hymn: HWB 369 – *Lord, whose love in humble service*

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
Offering of Gifts
Offertory
Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Benediction

Hymn: HWB 537 – *En medio de la vida (You are the God within life)*

TODAY

Greeter: Jake Short
Ushers: Dorothy Leissa, Karen Minatelli
Nursery: Jim Rice, Lisa Daughtry-Weiss
Worship Arts: Jeanette Stoltzfus

NEXT WEEK

Brian Brubaker
Frank Graeff, Denise Brown
Amanda Melara, Angie Wiens
Jake Short

TREASURER’S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$5,532

Weekly Goal – \$5,255

Attendance Last Week – 94

Lectionary scripture for next Sunday, October 6:

Lamentations 1:1-6; Psalm 137; II Timothy 1:1-14; Luke 17:5-10

CALENDAR

Sun. 10/6—Cindy Lapp preaches; World Communion Sunday.
Sun. 10/13—Julie Hart preaches; fellowship meal.
Tues. 10/15—Worship committee, 7:00 p.m.
Fri. 10/18 - Sun. 10/20—Church Retreat (*see announcement*).
Tues. 10/22—Trustees, 7:00 p.m.
Sun. 10/27—New member Sunday; A Girl Named Tom special music.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Retreat, October 18-20: Registration is now open for the annual HMC Church Retreat! The retreat will be held Friday October 18 through Sunday, October 20 at Shepherd’s Spring Retreat Center, Sharpsburg, MD (near Harper’s Ferry). Registration forms and informational brochures are available on the table in the foyer. **Registration forms are due by Sunday, October 6!** Please return your registration forms (either hardcopy or electronic) to Becca Walawender. First time attenders save 50%, and financial aid is available to those who need it. Hope to see you at retreat!

Meals for the Shellys: HMC is helping to provide meals for Monica, Jacob, and Avery Shelly as they welcome baby Lincoln to their family. Check out the signup list here: <https://bit.ly/2mmjDHN>.

Sophia's Table Update: The HMC Women's Group for women of all ages will begin our new season on Saturday morning, October 26. Save the date! If you would like to get a monthly reminder of meetings in your inbox, please send a message to: [REDACTED], and your name will be added to the list. Note: the old email list is no longer active, so do let us know if you would like to be on this new list.

