**Sophia's Table Meeting:** Sophia's Table, the HMC women's group will meet on Saturday, November 23 from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. Denise Brown will lead us in a discussion of Why I Paint Pretty. Bring a breakfast item to share. Please

RSVP to: by November 20. *Please note that for this month only we are meeting at Janet Reedy's home at 630 14th Street NE, #2, in DC. Contact Saundra Plett for carpooling help.* 

Adult Education Next Sunday: "How we know what we know": Chet Jechura will lead a session on biblical hermeneutics, and the difference between different interpretations, and inaccurate interpretations. All are welcome at UPCoB at 9:30 a.m. Please note there will be no Sunday School for all ages on December 1.

Welcome to San Mateo on Nov. 24: We will welcome members of both the Spanish and English-speaking communities of San Mateo/St. Matthew's Episcopal Church during worship next Sunday, Nov. 24. Thank you for your hospitality and community building.

**Community Thanksgiving Service:** A community Thanksgiving service will be held at San Mateo Episcopal Church (5901 36th Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20782) on Sunday, Nov. 24 at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome.

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

- Advent begins: December 1
- *Church Work Day:* December 7
- Fundraiser at Franklin's for CUCE: December 9
- Christmas Eve Service: December 24

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)		
SIJ Sing	The Journey (green) 51	is sing the story (purple)
Prelude: Canon by Ch	arles Lefebvre	Wind Quintet*
Praising		
Call to Worship (inspired by I Kings 19:8-15) Brian Brubaker		
One: When we long for the special effects we think life should offer,		
Many: it is enough, for us,		
that God comes in a cool autumn rain. One: When our hearts are cracked by the drought of doubt,		
Many: it is enough, for us,		
that God opens up the springs of faith for us.		
One: When our senses are deadened		
by the political storms of our culture,		
Many: it is enough, for us,		
that God wraps us in the silence of grace. All: We gather to worship, trusting that we are enough,		
that God is enough, that God's grace and compassion		
will carry us th	0 0	
Hymn: HWB 327 – G		s Cynthia Lapp
Lighting the Peace La	mp	Becca Walawender
	Confessing	a
Confession (inspired by Luke 10:38-42)		
Hymn: STJ 46 – O breathe on me, O breath of God		

#### Hearing the Word

Penny Russell

Sharon Andre

Scripture Reading I Kings 19:3-8 Luke 10:38-42 Message: *Just Do It* Hymn: HWB 569 – *Day by day, dear Lord* 

Responding

Responses to the Message Sharing of Joys and Concerns Praying Together

The Work of the Church Greeting our Guests Announcements

Time for Children

The Ministry of Giving Children's Offering Offering of Gifts Offertory: *Pastorale* by Gabriel Pierne Prayer of Dedication

Wind Quintet\*

#### Sending

Hymn: HWB 546 – *Guide my feet* Benediction

\*Thank you to the wind quintet for playing today. Members include: Kathleen Bartolomeo, Cheryl Fish-Parcham, Dan Jarcho, Dwight Miyake, Janelle Tupper TODAY Greeter: Sara Fretz-Goering Ushers: Brad Leissa, Dorothy Leissa Nursery: Kirstin Showalter, Penny Russell Worship Arts: Jeanette Stoltzfus

# NEXT WEEK

Brian Brubaker Lindsay Deel, Keith Swartzendruber Dorothy Leissa, Mary Hershberger Melanie Friesen

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$4,975 Weekly Goal – \$5,255 Attendance Last Week – 97

**Lectionary scripture for next Sunday, November 24:** Jeremiah 23:1-6; Luke 1:68-79; Colossians 1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43

# CALENDAR

Wed. 11/20—TDOR service, 7:00 p.m. (*see announcement*).
Sat. 11/23—Sophia's Table (*see announcement*).
Sun. 11/24—Cindy Lapp preaches; Christ the Monarch Sunday; Church Council, 12:30 p.m.
Sun. 12/1—Advent I; Cindy Lapp preaches.
Sat. 12/7—Church work day, 8:30 a.m.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Ten Thousand Villages Craft, Rug, & Bake Sale:** This morning is your last chance to check out what's remaining at the TTV Craft, Rug, & Bake Sale. Your purchases support fair trade economics and HMC programs.

**HMC Online Directory Help:** David Kraybill and Jake Short will offer a final demonstration with the new online directory today before and after church. Come check it out, and if you are not a part of the online directory and want to be, or if your information is out of date, please let Jake Short know.

**Washington Women's Chorale Fall Concert:** "Fall In Love With Jazz," a concert by the Washington Women's Chorale will be today, at 6:00 p.m. at HMC. All are invited. (Cindy, Penny, and Mardi sing with this group.)

**TDOR Service at HMC:** In partnership with University Christian Church, HMC will host a Trans Day of Remembrance (TDOR) service THIS Wednesday, November 20 at 7:00 p.m. We will light candles in remembrance of our trans siblings who were killed in the past year.

*The Mennonite* Subscription: If you would like to renew or start a subscription to *The Mennonite* magazine, contact Jake Short by Tuesday, November 19. The subscription is \$37.00 for one year.

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