



# Hyattsville Mennonite Church

A Christ-centered welcoming church committed to peace & justice.

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## *Gathering for Worship via Zoom*

Gathering & Prelude (10:45 a.m.)

Dave Kraybill, tech host

Welcome & Call to Worship (11:00 a.m.)

Richard Brown

## Praising

Hymn: HWB 343 – *My hope is built on nothing less*

(1) My hope is built on nothing less  
than Jesus' blood and righteousness.  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,  
but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

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On Christ the solid rock, I stand;  
all other ground is sinking sand,  
all other ground is sinking sand.

(2) When darkness veils his loving face,  
I rest upon unchanging grace.  
In ev'ry rough and stormy gale,  
my anchor holds within the vale.

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(3) His oath, his covenant, and blood,  
support me in the 'whelming flood.  
When all around my soul gives way,  
he then is all my hope and stay.

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(4) Not earth, nor hell, my soul can move;  
I rest upon unchanging love.  
I trust his righteous character,  
his counsel, promise, and his pow'r.

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(5) When he shall come with trumpet sound,  
oh, may I then in him be found,  
dressed in his righteousness alone,  
faultless to stand before the throne.

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Lighting of the Peace Lamp

*All are invited to light a candle or lamp where you are.*

## Confessing

Confession: words from Frederick Douglass

Hymn: HWB 575 – *Precious Lord, take my hand*

(1) Precious Lord, take my hand,  
lead me on, let me stand,  
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.  
Through the storm, through the night,  
lead me on to the light,  
take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

(2) When my way grows drear,  
precious Lord, linger near,  
when my life is almost gone,  
hear my cry, hear my call,  
hold my hand lest I fall.  
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

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(3) When the darkness appears  
and the night draws near,  
and the day is past and gone,  
at the river I stand,  
guide my feet, hold my hand.  
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

## Hearing The Word

Time for Children

Becca Walawender

Scripture Reading:

Romans 12:9-18

Message: *Atonement*

Denise Brown

Richard Brown

Musical Interlude: [There is a time for silence](#)

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## Responding

Prayer

Michelle Burkholder

*If you want to share something to be included in the prayer, please type it in the chat box.*

Offering & Announcements

*Your offerings can be mailed to the church, you can give through the HMC website on PayPal, or set up with your bank to have a check sent to the church each month.*

Ministry Highlight: Life After Release (LAR) holiday offering      Dawn Longenecker

Benediction: excerpts from "Let America Be America Again" by Langston Hughes

Hymn: HWB 553 – *I am weak and I need thy strength*

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(1) I am weak and I need thy strength and pow'r  
to help me over my weakest hour.

(2) Help me tread in the paths of righteousness.  
Be my aid when Satan and sin oppress.

Help me through the darkness thy face to see.

I am putting all my trust in thee.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

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Lead me, guide me, along the way,  
for if you lead me, I cannot stray.

(3) I am lost if you take your hand from me.  
I am blind without thy light to see.

Lord, let me walk each day with thee.

Lord, just always let me thy servant be.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

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## Conversing

Conversation & Welcoming Our Guests

hosted by Michelle Burkholder

*This time of conversation is a space to share any joys, concerns, or other reflections from today's service.*