



Hyattsville Mennonite Church

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

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Gathering for Worship

VT – *Voices Together* hymnal (purple)

Prelude: *from Bach G major Toccata BWV 916*

Brian Gorman

Praising

Call to Worship

Kristin Sampson

Friends, we know what God desires of us:

That we do justice, and love kindness, and walk humbly with God.

We gather this morning to remind each other about that,

To remember that now is always the right time to do these things.

With thanks in our hearts, let us worship God.

Hymn: VT 428 – *Praise with Joy the World's Creator*

Dan Daughtry-Weiss

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Mary Hershberger

Confessing

Confession

Kristin Sampson

Silence

Words of Assurance

Hymn: VT 715 – *Longing for Light*

Dan Daughtry-Weiss

Hearing The Word

Time for Children

Becca Walawender

Scripture

Luke 4:14-21; Isaiah 58:3-12

Message

Hymn: VT 790 – *How Can We Be Silent*

Sarah Augustine
Dan Daughtry-Weiss

Responding

Responses to the Message

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Please come forward to the mic if you wish to share something.

Praying Together

Work of the Church

Welcoming our Visitors

Announcements

The Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering (*children can bring their offerings forward at this time*)

Offering

Offertory – *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

Brian Gorman

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: VT 787 – *O Day of Peace*

Dan Daughtry-Weiss

Benediction

Kristin Sampson

TODAY

Usher/Greeter: Sarah Fretz-Goering

Worship Arts: David Conrad

TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$3,015 Weekly Goal – \$6,423

Mother's Day Bailout

Last Week – \$1,842 Total – \$4,272

Attendance Last Week – 89 in-person; 24 participants (Zoom)

Lectionary for Next Sunday

Acts 11:1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21:1-6; John 13:31-35

Calendar

May 15: *Sunday Worship*, Cynthia Lapp preaches, 11:00 a.m.

May 22: *Jubilee Sunday*, led by Jubilee clients & staff 11:00 a.m.

May 29: *Sunday Worship*, Marshall Dunn preaches, 11:00 a.m.

Announcements

We welcome Sarah Augustine as today's preacher: Sarah, who is a Pueblo (Tewa) descendant, is founder and cochair of the Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery Coalition (2014) and the co-founder of Suriname Indigenous Health Fund (2004). She has represented the interests of Indigenous community partners to their own governments, the Inter-American development bank, the United Nations, the World Health Organization, and a host of other international actors including corporate interests. She employs shuttle diplomacy and community-based participatory action to de-escalate conflict and establish common ground between communities and external interests. She currently lives in Washington state with her husband and son.

Volunteers needed for May 26 Day Center Meal: We need volunteers to prepare dishes (chili, cornbread, brownies) and provide fixings (shredded cheese, sour cream), fruit, and bottled water for the meal on Thursday, May 26 at the [PG Plaza Day Center](#). We also need

volunteers to sign up to help serve the meal. If you can help, [please sign up using the form](#) available in the listserv announcements (links to optional recipes are available at the SignUp form). If you do not have daytime availability, please note that the items can be dropped off at the church house prior to Thursday. If you have questions, contact Lori Zehr.

Ushers Needed: Now that we are passing the offering baskets during the service again, we need to have two ushers along with the greeter every Sunday. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Mary, the administrative assistant (admin@hyattsvillemennonite.org).

Sunday School: Kids and youth are invited to arrive at the church basement fellowship hall for casual catch-up and games between 9:30-9:45 a.m. We will begin our official Sunday School gathering time of sharing/singing/prayer at 9:45 a.m. and will then break out into age based sub-groups around 10:00 a.m. for further conversations/activities. Kids ages 4 and younger are welcome to attend Sunday School in the company of a designated adult. We are currently making our way through the Fruits of the Spirit and this week will consider: *Self-control*. Masks required for all participants over age 2.

Adult Education in May: On May 15 we will have one more Sunday morning of singing, including the Ukrainian anthem that people around the world are learning. On May 22 we will end adult ed for this spring with a discussion on where we go from here given all that we have learned about the Doctrine of Discovery. All are welcome.

Pastor Sabbatical: Associate Pastor Michelle Burkholder is currently on sabbatical this summer. We will welcome Michelle back on Sunday August 14.

Still Place - An Urban Retreat: Still Place is an urban retreat in Mt. Rainier, MD providing spiritual guidance and daytime accommodation for individuals and small groups. We can help you plan your day here or you can use your time as you wish and can provide healthful, homemade snacks, soups, salads and breads. For more information visit our website at: www.stillplacemd.com.

Rolling Ridge Available June 17-19: The Rolling Ridge Study Retreat House is currently available the weekend of June 17-19 for use. Please contact Cynthia Lapp (clapp@hyattsvillemennonite.org) or Keith Swartzendruber if you would like to use the space.