



# 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 Dan Daughtry-Weiss, Eric Stoltzfus, Cheryl Fish-Parcham

## Praising

Call to Worship David Conrad

Hymn: VT 31 – *Come We That Love* Kim Schmidt

Lighting the Peace Lamp

## Confessing

Confession David Conrad

Merciful God, we mourn the violence and injustice  
that takes root in many forms in many places far and near

***Merciful God, we thirst for your peace.***

We recognize the roots of conflict in ourselves  
And our complicity in systems of power and control

***Merciful God, we thirst for your reconciliation***

We confess that stereotypes, envy, suspicion, and racism  
shape our perceptions and influence our actions.

***Merciful God, we thirst for your truth.***

We acknowledge that at times, we fear our neighbors.

***Merciful God, we thirst for your love.***

We repent of the ways we contribute to suspicion, fear and violence,  
Guide us as we reaffirm our calling as your peacemakers.

Grant us courage to risk loving each of our neighbors  
at home and around the globe.

***Satisfy our thirst by leading us to your living water. Amen.***

Silence  
Words of Assurance

David Conrad

Hymn: VT 162 – *The Love of God*

Kim Schmidt

## Hearing The Word

Time for Children  
(*children are dismissed for Children's Church*)

Penny Russell

Scripture  
Isaiah 48:12  
Isaiah 44:6-8

Angie Wiens, Aaron Campbell & Kaye Brubaker

***Listen you whom I have called:  
I am the One; I am the first and I am the Last.***

Mark 10:24-31

***Listen you whom I have called:  
I am the One; I am the first and I am the Last.***

Luke 13:22-30

***Listen you whom I have called:  
I am the One; I am the first and I am the Last.***

Message: **First, Last, and In-between**

Cynthia Lapp

Hymn: VT 390 – *In Christ There is No East or West*

Kim Schmidt

## 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 Guests

Announcements

*Offertory*

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

Offering

Prayer of Dedication

## Sending

Hymn: VT 810 – *Go, My Friends, in Grace*

Kim Schmidt

Benediction

David Conrad

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### TODAY

*Ushers: Peter Goering & Sara Fretz-Goering*

*Worship Arts: Kristen Sampson*

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Offering Last Week – \$4,970

Weekly Goal – \$6,423

Attendance Last Week – 65 in-person; 30 participants (Zoom)

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## Lectionary for Next Sunday

2 Kings 5:1-14 and Psalm 30; Isaiah 66:10-14 and Psalm 66:1-9;

Galatians 6:(1-6), 7-16; Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

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## Calendar

**July 3:** *Sunday Worship*, Alnicia Gibson preaches, 11:00 a.m.

*Children's Church (ages 4-9)*, 11:15 a.m.

**July 10:** *Sunday Worship*, Cynthia Lapp preaches, 11:00 a.m.

**July 17:** *Sunday Worship*, Adam Tice preaches, 11:00 a.m.

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# Announcements

**Welcoming Alnicia Gibson, July 3:** We will welcome Alnicia Gibson who will be giving the message on July 3. Alnicia is a devoted mother of three and devoted to serving the mental health community. She strives to educate, advocate, and help overcome the stigma associated with mental health conditions. Alnicia has served on the Board of Directors for the National Alliance of Mental Illness for Prince Georges and Anne Arundel County Maryland. She has also served as the walk chair for the 2017 & 2018 Out of the Darkness Community Walk sponsored by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

**Children's Church, June 26 & July 3:** After Children's Time, kids ages 4-9 are invited downstairs to the basement for Children's Church.

**Cindy out of town, June 28-July 1:** Pastor Cindy will be out of town from Tuesday, June 28 until Friday, July 1. Please contact members of the pastorate Murray Penner or Dorothy Leissa for pastoral care while Cindy is gone.

**Summer Conversations: IGH Funds, Aug. 21:** Please join us Sunday, Aug. 21 at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall for a Summer Conversation regarding how HMC could best use the funds we received from the sale of the IGH house. This will not be a decision-making discussion, rather listening to each other's thoughts/priorities/questions.

**Fall Church Retreat, Oct. 14-16:** Fall retreat is happening at Shepherd's Spring Retreat Center in Sharpsburg, MD, October 14-16. If you're interested in participating in planning or have an idea/offering of an activity, please contact Dorothy Leissa.

**Ushers and Greeters 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](mailto:admin@hyattsvillemennonite.org)).



Assistive Listening Devices are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

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