



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

Praising

Call to Worship

VT 853

Hymn: VT 10 – *Here in This Place*

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Confessing

Confession

We, like sheep, have gone astray.

Forgive us, Lord.

We have not honored you above all other pursuits.

Forgive us, Lord.

We have not loved the people around us fully.

Forgive us, Lord.

We have left things undone that you have called us to.

Forgive us, Lord.

We long to return to you, the Shepherd and Overseer of our souls.

Forgive us, Lord, and renew us with your peace.

Hymn: VT 718 – *Gentle Shepherd, Come and Lead Us*

Words of Assurance

Hearing The Word

Time for Children

Scripture Readings

Psalm 23

John 10:1-10

Message: **Life to the Full**

Michelle Burkholder

Hymn: VT 174 – *Christ Has Broken Down the Wall*

Responding

Responses

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

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

Praying Together

Prayer of Blessing for Pastoral Intern, Mick Atencio

(The words of this prayer are adapted from VT 966 and the Episcopal Form of Commitment to Christian Service)

God's Spirit calls,

the church commissions.

and servants of Christ scatter throughout the world.

We join with you in seeking first the reign of God,

We bless your service as part of the church's witness

and we pledge our prayers of support for your ministry.

We trust the Holy Spirit's work within you as you serve.

May the Holy Spirit guide and strengthen you,

that in this, and in all things, you may do God's will

in the service of the kingdom of his Christ.

May you see the face of God

in every person you meet.

May you be given a deep love

for your new community.

and may your words and deeds

reflect the grace, peace, and love of Christ.

Work of the Church
Welcoming our Guests
Announcements

The Ministry of Giving
Children's Offering (*children can bring their offerings forward at this time*)
Offertory
Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: VT 816 – *Guide My Feet*

Benediction
