

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 851

Hymn: VT 1 – Summoned by the God Who Made Us

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Hymn: VT 628 - Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Confessing

Confession

Hymn: VT 617 – When Peace Like a River

Hearing The Word

Time for Children

Scripture Reading

Micah 6:1-8

What shall I bring when I come before YHWH, and bow down before God on high? Am I to come before God with burnt offering? With year old calves?

Will YHWH be placated by thousands of rams or ten thousand rivers of oil? Should I offer my firstborn for my wrongdoings - the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

Mennonite Action Sharing

Hymn: VT 605 - My Life Flows On

When tyrants tremble, sick with fear, And hear their death-knell ringing, When friends rejoice both far and near, How can I keep from singing?

In prison cell and dungeon vile Our thoughts to them are winging. When friends by shame are undefiled, How can I keep from singing?

Responding

Responses
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Praying Together

Work of the Church
Welcoming our Guests
Announcements

The Ministry of Giving Children's Offering Offertory Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: VT 797 - We are People of God's Peace

Benediction

Lectionary for Next Sunday

Isaiah 40:21-31; Psalm 147:1-11, 20c; 1 Corinthians 9:16-23; Mark 1:29-39

Announcements

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Feb. 13: San Mateo/St. Matthew's Episcopal (5901 36th Ave, Hyattsville, MD) is hosting a pancake supper for Shrove Tuesday/Mardi Gras from 4:30-8:00 p.m. Donations will go to support San Mateo's bathroom project.

Interfaith Panel at HMC, Feb. 22: HMC is partnering with the Prince George's County Office of Human Rights to host an interfaith panel on Thursday, Feb. 22 at 7:00 p.m. (New attendee Kyla Hanington works in this office and connected us with this county program.) The theme is "Finding Light in the Darkness" with panelists Rabbi Abbi Sharofsky, Rahmah Abdulaleem, Kush Patel and Pastor Cindy Lapp. The panel will be moderated by Renée Battle-Brooks, the head of the PGC Office of Human Rights. This event is open to the larger community and we hope that HMCers will attend. An EventBrite invite will be available soon.

Adult Ed: Please join us for The Sanctuary Course, starting at 9:45 a.m. in the foyer on Sundays. Developed by Sanctuary Mental Health Ministries, each session will examine a key mental health topic. Videos feature insights from mental health professionals, church leaders, theologians and people with lived experience. In preparation, please create a free account on Sanctuary's website and view the video for Week 3.

