



Hyattsville Mennonite Church

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

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Gathering for Worship

Prelude

Praising

Call to Worship
(see insert)

Hymn: 667 – *Shall We Gather by the River*

Confessing

Confession
(see insert)

Hymn: 653 – *Nothing is Lost on the Breath of God*

Hearing The Word

Time for Children
Lighting the Christ Candle

Lighting candles in remembrance

You are invited to come down the side aisle, light a candle and speak a name (if you wish) and then return to your seat by the center aisle.

Selections on Remembrance & Grief

Hymn: 492 – *Ubi Caritas*

Responding

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Responses to the Message

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Life of the Church

Welcoming our Guests

Announcements

Ministry of Giving

Children's Offering

Offertory (*Arietta for cello and piano by Edvard Grieg*)

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

Hymn: 671 – *The Hand of God Shall Hold You*

Benediction

Lectionary for Next Sunday

Ruth 3:1-5 4:13-17; Psalm 127; 1 Kings 17:8-16; Psalm 146;

Hebrews 9:24-28; Mark 12:38-44

Calendar

Nov. 9: *Bake Sale Baking Event*, 12:00 p.m.

- Nov. 10:** *Worship Service*, Michelle Burkholder preaches, 11:00 a.m.
Fellowship Meal & Comforter Auction, 12:00 p.m.
- Nov. 16:** *General Baking Event*, 12:00 p.m.
Youth Baking Event, 5:00 p.m.
- Nov. 17:** *Worship Service*, Cynthia Lapp preaches, 11:00 a.m.
Annual Congregational Meeting, on Zoom, 7:00 p.m.
- Nov. 23:** *Ten Thousand Villages Craft Fair & Bake Sale*, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Nov. 24:** *Worship Service*, 11:00 a.m.
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Announcements

Fellowship Meal & Comforter Auction, Nov. 10: For the Nov. Fellowship Meal, we encourage you to bring your favorite Thanksgiving dishes. The HMC Comforter Group also has 3 beautiful comforters to be offered at auction during the meal. Preview these beauties on display in the foyer and be prepared to make a bid! A basket for additional donations will be available as well. Proceeds will be used to buy materials to make more comforters for MCC.

Baking for the Bake Sale, Nov. 9 & 16: Help us make this year's annual Bake Sale a roaring success! This year we're hosting baking events in the HMC kitchen the two Saturdays before the sale. There will be some planned baking activities but you're also welcome to bring supplies to make something else.

Volunteers Needed for the Craft Market & Bake Sale: We need people to help set-up, staff, and clean-up this year's TTV event. And for the first time we will be unloading rugs **Thursday** evening, Nov. 21 starting at 6:00 p.m. We need at least 10-12 people for this task and there will also be free pizza! An online sign-up will be available in the listserv announcements.

Connection, Comfort & Conversations Post Election Day: HMC is offering two spaces to connect with others for comfort or conversation after Election Day: **Wednesday, Nov. 6 from 9:30-11:30 a.m.** join the Comforter Group for coffee, conversation, and crafting. Whether we know the results or not, this space will be a place for connection. **Sunday, Nov. 10 during**

the Sunday School hour (9:45-10:45 a.m.), all are invited to gather in the foyer to share reflections and process the election season.

Next Adult Ed Book: Adult Ed's focus from Nov. 17 – Dec. 15 will be the book: *Reparations: A Christian Call for Repentance and Repair*. Copies are available in the church foyer for \$10 or donation. The book is also available online. The first class on Nov. 17 will focus on the first three chapters of the book.

Church Year Theme
Cultivating Community, Deepening Joy



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