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Rooted and Grounded in Christ's Love
(2022 Theme)

Call to Worship

Song: Here in This PlaceVT 10Greeting and PrayerSteph WieandSong: Masithi: Amen (Sing Amen)VT90

Hearing God's Word

Song: Will the children?*

Children's Time

Prayer and Offering

Steph Wieand

Sharing on Sabbath Theme

Lindsy Diener Locke

Steph Wieand

Elisabeth Barahona, Trish Yoder,

and Merrill Krabill

Responding

Song of Response: *Come Away from Rush and Hurry* VT 9
Congregational Prayer Lois Stoltzfus Mast

Mission Minute

Goshen Interfaith Hospitality Network Mindy Morehead

Sending

Announcements & Benediction Steph Wieand

(Please pass the friendship registers.)

Song: *Be Still and Know* VT 37

Worship Participants

AV Technician: Mike McHugh

Song Leader: Andrea Bontrager Yoder

Accompanist: Angela Shenk Offertory: Mim Norris

Ushers: Anita and Dale Snyder

Visuals: Laura and Randy Horst, Merrill Krabill

Note from Laura and Randy Horst: "We chose to use objects with multiple connotations and meanings. The roots and grounding of Christ's love is represented by the circle of vines. The vines, physically similar to roots, form a circle representing our dynamic earth and the broader seasonal and cyclical nature of birth and growth – Christ's love is not static, but ever evolving and regenerating. Small buds on the circle hint at the fruits to come. Inspired by the forms of plants and trees, the larger organic shapes that appear to extend from the circle are the fruits of Christ's love as manifested in us – Christ's love grows within each of us in a unique way, but also helps form a broader network and community."

Fellowship

Following the service, please join us outside for a time of fellowship. If the weather prevents us from going outside, we ask that people refrain from eating or drinking so that everyone can remain masked.

^{*} Will the children?, written by Greg Smucker