



Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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Kingdom Divided

Call to Worship

Gathering Song: <i>Let's Walk Together</i>	VT 6
Greeting and Prayer	Denise Risser
Songs: <i>Your Love Is Amazing</i>	VT 96
<i>All Who Are Thirsty</i>	VT 49
<i>My Jesus, I Love Thee</i>	VT 133

Hearing God's Word

Song: <i>Will the children?</i>	
Children's Time	Mark Yoder
Prayer and Offering	Denise Risser
Scripture: 1 Kings 12:1-17, 25-29	
Sermon: "The Yoke of Hope"	Billy Funk

Responding

Song of Response: <i>We Are One in the Spirit</i>	VT 387
Sharing and Congregational Prayer	Steph Wieand

Sending

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors	Denise Risser
<i>(Please pass the friendship registers.)</i>	
Announcements	
Benediction	
Song: <i>Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me</i>	VT 429

Worship Participants

AV Technician: Terry MacGregor
 Song Leader: Lindsay Diener Locke
 Accompanists: Angela Shenk and Jim Richer
 Offertory: Dale Kempf
 Scripture Readers: Levi Schlegel, Naomi Schlegel, Abigail Kratzer, Deborah Kratzer, Moses Kratzer, Levi Sawatzky, Anja Martin, Todd Kauffman
 Ushers: Trish and James Yoder
 Visuals: Rebecca Tarman

Childcare

We offer childcare during worship, after Children's Time, for infants & toddlers through 3 years of age, in the Cherub Corner (Room 2).
Child Caregivers Today: Sherry Hug and Caitlin Lanctot.

Fellowship and Nurture Hour

Sunday School begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 p.m. First enjoy a time of fellowship and refreshments. (*Children, second grade & below, have singing time after worship – Room 8.*)

- INFANTS & TODDLERS (ages 0-2) – Room 3
- PRESCHOOL I (age 3 & 4) – Room 2
- PRIMARY (grades k & 1) – Room 1
- PRIMARY II (grade 2) – Room 4
- PRIMARY III (grade 3) – Room 5
- MIDDLE (grade 4) – Room 7
- MIDDLE (grade 5) – Room 6
- JUNIOR YOUTH (grades 6-8) – Room 10
- HIGH SCHOOL (grades 9-12) – Room 9
- COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS – Library
- ADULTS:
 - Living Into Our Welcome – Sanctuary
 - Topic: Aging
 - Panel: Sherm Kauffman, Laverne Nafziger, Enid Schloneger, and Margaret Stoltzfus
 - Tending Our Souls – Room 11

Open Table Lunch

Everyone is invited to stay following the Nurture Hour for an Open Table Lunch in the fellowship hall.

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