



Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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The World Is About to Turn

Gathering and Centering

Gathering Song: *How Many Times We Start Again* VT 553

Quiet and Reflection as We Prepare Our Hearts for Worship

Question: *What must you release so that your hands are open
to receive Christ's abundant life?*

Greeting and Prayer Judy Weaver

Songs: *Come, Now Is the Time to Worship* VT 29

My Soul Cries Out (Lenten theme song) VT 412

Hearing God's Word

Song: Will the children?

Children's Time Ruth Miller Roth

Prayer and Offering Judy Weaver

Scripture and Sermon Mark Schloneger

Scripture: Mark 10:17-31

Sermon: "Possession"

Responding

Song of Response: *Lo, I Am with You* VT 284

Confession and Reassurance

Congregational Sharing and Prayer Billy Funk

Sending

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors Judy Weaver

(Please pass the friendship registers.)

Announcements

Benediction

Song: *Somlandela (English, Zulu, English)* VT 566

Worship Participants

AV Technician: Patrick Buller

Song Leader: Amy Kratzer

Pianist: Patsy Sherer

Offertory: Patsy Sherer

Ushers: Deb and Dan Williams

Visuals: Randy Horst

The Lenten banner is adapted from Celtic Knot designs to include a crown of thorns. It is also inspired by stained glass Rose (round) window designs. This aspect will become more evident as a new color is added to the design each week.

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 Aaron Wieand

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 *(All are welcome to join any of the following classes):*
 - Cardmaking and Coloring, Table Host Ruth Roth – Fellowship Hall
 - The Bible Tells Me So, Facilitator Peter Schlegel – Sanctuary and Zoom
 - Grapevine Podcast, Facilitators Mixhi Marquis and Dan Nafziger – Room 8
 - Tara Brach Podcast, Facilitator Trish Yoder – Room 11 *(Pastor Steph's office)*

Potluck Meal

Everyone is invited to stay following Nurture Hour for lunch, followed by a congregational business meeting.

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