



Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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The Gospel of Luke

Call to Worship

Gathering Song: *Comfort, Comfort, O My People* VT 212

Greeting and Prayer Denise Risser

Songs: *What Can I Leave Behind* VT 154

With Water Freely Flowing VT 452

Hearing God's Word

Song: Will the children?

Children's Time Paul Shetler Fast

Prayer and Offering Denise Risser

Scripture and Sermon Steph Wieand

Scripture: Luke 3:2-11, 15-18, 21-22

Sermon: "Will the real Messiah please stand up!"

Responding

Song of Response: *Christ, Be All around Me* VT 848

Congregational Sharing and Prayer Lois Stoltzfus Mast

Sending

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors Denise Risser

(Please pass the friendship registers.)

Announcements

Benediction

Song: *Sing a New World into Being* VT 809

Worship Participants

AV Technician: Patrick Buller

Song Leader: Andrea Bontrager Yoder

Pianist: Angela Shenk

Offertory: Angela Shenk

Ushers: Merrill Krabill, Darin Short

Visuals: Merrill Krabill, panels by 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: Anita Mounsithiraj and John Roth

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. (*Children, third 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 & 2) – Room 1
- PRIMARY II (grade 3) – Room 7
- MIDDLEL (grade 4) – Room 5
- MIDDLEL (grade 5) – Room 6
- JUNIOR YOUTH (grades 6-8) – FEAST, Sanctuary
- HIGH SCHOOL (grades 9-12) – FEAST, Sanctuary
- COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS – Library
- ADULTS (*All are welcome to join any of the following classes*):
 - Peaceful Practices: A Guide to Healthy Communication in Conflict, led by Joe Liechty – Room 9
 - Sermon Response – Room 8
 - Women Tending Our Souls, facilitated by Trish Yoder – Room 11 (Steph's office)

Open Table Lunch

There is no Open Table lunch today. Please join us again next Sunday.

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