

Waterford Mennonite Church

April 18, 2021

IN MI Mennonite Conference

Prelude		Ruthie Saunders
Welcome and Call to worship		Neil Amstutz
Lighting the Peace Lamp*		
Songs		JD Smucker
	<i>Praise the One who breaks the darkness</i>	SS 1
	<i>We Dream of a Turning</i>	VT 209
Offering		
	(Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise)	
Pastoral prayer/birkat hagomel		Katie Misz
Song	<i>Jesus, be the center</i>	SS 31
Scripture	Mark 9:2-13	
Sermon		Dan Miller, Conference Pastor
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>Like a Rock</i>	VT 63

VT = Voices Together; H = *Hymnal: A Worship Book*; SJ = *Sing the Journey*; SS = *Sing the Story*

*We light the peace lamp every Sunday to lament all unnecessary and violent loss of life around the world.

As the people of Waterford Mennonite Church, we
Welcome everyone to faith and fellowship in Jesus Christ,
Minister to the needs of one another and our neighbors through the Holy Spirit, and
Call out each other's gifts for the joyful work of God's reconciling mission.

Vaccine Blessings:

Emily Hunsberger

Shawn, Monica and Jeremy Stutzman

Tami Schlabach

Rose Shetler

Elsie Yoder

Living Stream Worship: The services are live streamed at
www.waterfordchurch.org

Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

Miranda Pfahler as she awaits MRI results and is experiencing pain in her knee and leg.

We join in prayer with *sisters and brothers* of color in Minnesota and throughout the United States lamenting the murders of George Floyd and Daunte Wright.

This week we remember in prayer *Daniel Robles* who is a student at Goshen College.

Mennonite Mission Network's two-day *Sent Network conference* begins on Thursday, April 23. Pray that all who participate in this virtual church-planting summit will be inspired, energized, and given the tools necessary for encouraging the growth of Jesus' church.

For strength, focus and energy for our *Goshen College students* tackling their final exams this week.

For the *Search Committee and the Missional Leadership Team of Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Conference*, as they continue their discernment for the right person to join Sharon Witmer Yoder as the next co-Conference Pastor.

This Week at Waterford

<i>Today</i>	6:30 p.m.	Sunday Night Live; church lawn
<i>Monday</i>	8:30 a.m.	Anabaptist Prayers
<i>Tuesday</i>	OFFICE CLOSED	
	6:30 p.m.	Ministry Leadership Council
<i>Wednesday</i>	7:00 p.m.	MYF/Venture Club street clean-up
<i>Thursday</i>	8:00 p.m.	Anabaptist Prayers

Looking Ahead

April 25: Sermon: Cindy Voth; Breathe It In: Life
(*Genesis 1:30; 2:4-9*)

May 2: Sermon: Neil Amstutz; Breathe It In: Hope
(*Ezekiel 37:1-10*)

Finances – April 11, 2021

Operating Fund	\$ 9,275.00
Mennonite Education	\$ 4,676.28
Either Fund	\$ 2,316.50
<i>Budget subtotal</i>	\$ 16,267.78
Sharing Fund	\$ 425.00
Welcoming Spaces 3.0	\$ 100.00
Total Offering	\$ 16,792.78
<i>Weekly giving needed to meet budget:</i>	<i>\$ 27,526.00</i>

Out of Office

Katie Misz April 23 – May 9
Elvina Schmidt April 11 – 26

Pastoral Team

Neil Amstutz, Pastoral Team Leader
Cindy Voth, Pastor of Community Life
Katie Misz, Pastor of Family Life
Velma Swartz, Interim Pastor of Senior Ministries

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