



Faces of Our Faith
Deborah

Waterford Mennonite Church

June 19, 2022

Prelude Lorraine Reinford

Gathering Song Christa Graber
O Worship Our God VT 74

Welcome and Call to Worship Steve & Debbie Fath

Lighting the Peace Lamp*

Prayer for Peace

Song *Lord, You Sometimes Speak* VT 537
With Mary Sing Magnificat VT 208

Offering *Please pass the friendship pads*
(Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise)

Children's time Fancheon Resler

Scripture Judges 4:4-5

Sermon "Stories in Song: Miriam, Deborah, Mary" Karla Minter†
Exodus 15:19-21; Judges 4:1-16, 5:1, 31b; Luke 1:46-55

Song of response *My Soul Cries Out* VT 412

Congregational prayer Frances Ringenberg

Benediction

Sending song *Will You Come and Follow Me* VT 540

†Karla Minter is a biblical storyteller, spiritual director and facilitator for missional discipleship, leadership development and church as movement. She worships with Open Table Mennonite Fellowship and serves as chair of the Central District Conference's Missional Church Committee.

VT = Voices Together; 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.

Prayers for Brothers and Sisters

James and Mary Christophel, who will celebrate their 68th wedding anniversary on June 19.

Ethan Claassen at Camp Friedenswald this week. (June 19-24)

For *North Goshen Mennonite Church*, directly impacted by the recent shooting in Goshen, in a time of mourning and searching for answers and for the families closest to the violence. Pray that God will surround the congregation with healing love, tender mercy, and unshakeable hope.

Deloris Wyse as she has her second out-patient knee replacement surgery on Tuesday, June 21.

Eloise Schrock, who celebrates her 95th birthday on Tuesday the 21st, for God's grace and joy to be poured out on her. Join in her celebration by signing a card for her at the table in the foyer.

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for the *members of Mennonite churches in Venezuela*, as they extend the love of Jesus to their neighbors during a time when more than 90% of the population is living in poverty, and more than 75% are experiencing extreme poverty. Pray for the churches as they address both food insecurity and spiritual hunger.

Tom Hershberger, whose wife Shirley died Tuesday of complications from cancer. Tom and Shirley were former members at Waterford before moving to New Mexico.

*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.*

Welcome Guests

We are glad to have you join us in worship today. Children of all ages are welcome in worship. There are sermon boards for children outside the sanctuary doors; please pick one up as you enter. If desired, there is a nursery available in the west end of the foyer for infants and toddlers. Large print copies of the hymnal and hearing aid systems are available from the ushers. We invite you to stay for our nurture hour. Look for the welcome brochure on the front table in the foyer.

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