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Faces of Our Faith

Peter

Waterford Mennonite Church

July 10, 2022

Prelude		Lorraine Reinford
Gathering Songs		Jeff Miller
	<i>We Walk by Faith</i>	VT 588
	<i>When the Storms of Life (vs. 1, 3-5)</i>	VT 595
Welcome & Call to worship		Cindy Voth
Lighting the Peace Lamp* and prayer		
Song	<i>I Sought the Lord</i>	VT 161
Offering	<i>(Please pass the friendship pads)</i>	
	(Gifts are for Mennonite Education unless designated otherwise)	
Children's time		George Thompson
Scripture	Matthew 14:22-33	
Sermon	"I Am Who I AM, Do Not Be Afraid"	
		Frances Ringenberg
Song of response	<i>Precious Lord, Take My Hand</i>	VT 610
Congregational prayer		Cindy Voth
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>We Will Follow (Somlandela)</i>	VT 566

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

Esther Cender, who celebrates her 93rd birthday on Saturday the 16th, 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 *Indonesian Mennonite churches* that are hosting Mennonite World Conference Assembly. Pray that the bonds of God's love and shalom, which participants are sharing at this global gathering, will be extended around the world, as people return to their home communities.

For Pastor Katie and JE as they begin a two week course at Jerusalem University College, that the stories of the Bible come alive to them in new ways as they visit the land Jesus walked. They also invite you to join them this week in praying for peace in the Holy Lands and an end to oppression of the Palestinian people.

The *people of Myanmar* suffering from extreme poverty and hunger due to international economic sanctions and internal unrest from war, and for those in Anabaptist congregations who have fled their homes to stay in the forest without any means of support.

Our sponsors and youth, who returned from the civil rights tour on Saturday and continue to process their experiences and prepare to share with us next Sunday.

Virginia Mennonite Conference congregations as they gather for their summer delegate assembly on July 14-16.

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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