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JONAH 4:2

Sarah Ane

Faces of Our Faith
Jonah

Waterford Mennonite Church

August 7, 2022

Prelude		Anne Lehman
Gathering Songs		Jeff Miller
	<i>God Loves All His Many People</i>	VT 767
	<i>Wonderful Grace of Jesus</i>	VT 170
Welcome & Call to worship		Frances Ringenberg
Lighting the Peace Lamp* and prayer		
Offering	<i>(Please pass the friendship pads)</i>	
	(Gifts are for Operating Fund unless designated otherwise)	
Blessing and sending of Anna Smucker		Cindy Voth
Song	<i>There's a Wideness in God's Mercy</i>	VT 156
Children's time		George Thompson
Scripture	Jonah 1	
Sermon	"Writing Chapter 5"	Cindy Voth
Song of response	<i>Could It Be That God Is Singing</i>	VT 42
Blessing of Deron Bergstresser for full-time pastoral role		VT 967
Congregational prayer		Deron Bergstresser
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>Go Now in Peace, Worship Continues</i>	VT 829

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

For Pastor Katie and JE in their final weeks of sabbatical, that, as they anticipate reentry to life in Goshen and celebrate their 10-year anniversary this week, they will discover new energy and vision for their shared ministry life together.

For *communities in Eastern Kentucky* who have lost family, homes and possessions in the recent floods.

George Thompson, who will have an outpatient urology procedure on Friday.

La Posada Immigrant Aid Center as it begins offering immigration services for people in our communities and for a GED Spanish language program which will begin providing services this fall.

For *all those among us who are ill* and getting cancer treatments to know the presence of God in the midst of their suffering and pain.

Some Mennonite World Conference *member churches in India* are experiencing conflicts that continue to divide and discourage their members. Please pray that *the armour of God will be laid down* for the church to be an effective witness to Christ in India.

Prayers for Senior Adults from Waterford Crossing, Miller's Merry Manor and Hubbard Hill that are unable to attend Sunday worship service: *Una Ross, Lenora Coyle, Leona Yoder and Mildred Yoder*.

Deb Byler, training women for leadership positions in the Kekchi Mennonite Church in Guatemala through Mennonite Mission Network.

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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