

Holistic Health

Spiritual Health

Waterford Mennonite Church

November 9, 2025

Prelude		Ruthie Saunders
Gathering songs		Nick Stoltzfus
	<i>God of the Bible</i>	VT 420
	<i>Come Away from Rush and Hurry</i>	VT 9
	<i>Jesus, Be the Center</i>	VT 584
Welcome & Call to Worship		Velma Swartz
	Call to Worship	VT 877
Lighting the peace lamp*		
Song	<i>I Am the Bread of Life</i>	VT 480
Offering	"Four Days Late"	Ruthie Saunders
	(Gifts are for Mennonite Ed unless designated otherwise)	
	<i>Please pass the friendship pads</i>	
All Saints Day Remembrance		
Scripture	John 11:1-46	
Sermon	"Taking off the Grave Clothes"	Cindy Voth
Testimony		Esther Farmwald
Liturgical Dance	"You Say"	Layna Stoltzfus
Introduction to Visual Arts		Loanne Harms
Congregational Prayer		Deron Bergstresser
Benediction		
Sending song	<i>Go, My Friends, in Grace</i>	VT 810

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

Sara and Derrick Method as Sara has a medical procedure on Tuesday.

Pray for young people in Myanmar who are pressured to take up arms in the country's civil war, and especially for *youth in the Mennonite church* would follow Jesus' example of a life of shalom that rejects violence.

We remember this week our 3rd grade student *Micah Romão*, and his teachers *Jordan Smeltzer, Laurina Graber-Ditzler, Mary Hochstedler* and *Paquita Ditzler*.

Please pray for *Court Chupp's dad, Steven*, who was admitted to the hospital on Tuesday. We pray with Court and his family for good care and healing for Steven.

Mennonite Christian Hospital (MCH), in Hualien, Taiwan, was among the first to respond when Typhoon Ragasa devastated villages and caused flooding in their region in September. Pray that MCH personnel will be able to share Jesus' love, as they continue to care for those who were injured, those who lost loved ones, and all who were traumatized by the storm's destruction.

MYF and Sponsors and their fall retreat at Amigo on November 15-16.

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.

Our Mission Statement

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.*

We celebrate that everyone is created in God’s image, and as followers of Jesus we welcome people of every age, ability, race and ethnicity, sexual orientation, marital status, socio-economic situation, gender identity, and citizenship status as full participants in the life of our congregation.

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