



February 27, 2022

G A T H E R I N G

Prelude

Gathering Song: *I Know Not Why God's Wondrous* Worship Book No. 338

Passing the Peace

Opening and Call to Worship

Nina Harnish

C O N N E C T I N G

Congregational Singing

Here I Am to Worship

In Christ Alone

Offering Prayer

Offertory: *Instruments of Peace*

Passing the Book

Ady Carlson, Jaxon Lapp, Dima Nofziger
Mahlon Rodak, Pierson Lapp, Graham Snyder

R E F L E C T I N G

Scripture: Exodus 1:6-22

Sermon: *Salvation: Theory and Experience*

Jon Carlson

Response Song: *My Soul Cries Out*

Grace Notes No. 22

S E N D I N G

Congregational Prayer

Benediction

Postlude



CARES & CONCERNS >>>

As the cares and concerns of our congregation come to mind,
please lift them to the Lord in prayer:

- ☆ Cyleigh Hurst and Kyle Diller celebrating their recent engagement.
- ☆ The people of Ukraine seeking peace and being drawn closer to God.
- ☆ Joyce Peifer beginning treatments on Monday for her recent cancer diagnosis.
- ☆ Jay and Doris Groff and Pat and Randy Ranck as Jay is receiving Hospice care.
- ☆ For open hearts and minds during this Lenten season, which begins on Wednesday.
- ☆ Carol Botkin recovering from a recent stroke.

Congratulations to Cyleigh Hurst and Kyle Diller on their recent engagement. Cyleigh is a daughter of Chad and Coleen Hurst and granddaughter of Louetta Hurst. The couple is planning a September wedding.

Carol Botkin, who worships with us online and is the mother of Dean Jantzen, had a stroke last weekend and is receiving physical therapy at a facility in Ohio.

ANNOUNCEMENTS >>>

Coffee Fellowship: Everyone is invited to the Fellowship Hall for light refreshments and conversation following today's worship service.

Welcome Guests! We are glad you are with us today. We hope that you will encounter God's presence as you worship with us today and will find yourself renewed and challenged in your journey with God. Let us know you're here by scanning the QR code and filling out the online Visitor Form:



Geneva Martin, a long-time member at Forest Hills, will be celebrating her 90th birthday on March 13. Her family has invited us to join in celebrating this memorable occasion with a card shower. Cards may be sent to Geneva at 1001 E Oregon Road, Lititz #3, Lititz PA 17543.

We are looking for eight volunteers to help Cheryl McClunkin and Donna Roggie with our Easter breakfast on April 17. Volunteers should plan to arrive at 8:30 a.m. to help with set up and serving. Please let Lauren Krady know if you would be willing to help in this way: fhmc@foresthillschurch.org.

"We'd like to thank everyone for the cards and messages after my mom's passing. It means a lot to us to know we have a church family that supports us thru these times."

- Don & Jackie Nelson

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Mennonite Education Agency of Mennonite Church USA has released its free *Lent at Home* 2022 worship guide and calendar for download. The annual guide provides options for individuals and households to follow daily or weekly rituals, which include guided Scripture readings, prayers, and special activities for the Lenten season. You can download it from the MCUSA website: www.mennoniteusa.org/lentathome.

Ain't Gonna Study War No More: An evening event with Osheta Moore will be held online and in-person at the Lancaster Mennonite School Fine Arts Center on Thursday, March 3, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Focusing on our call as peacemakers, this evening will examine ways we've been formed to think of racial justice work as what we're against rather than what we are for: shalom and God's dream of restoration. Free tickets available under the events section of the Atlantic Coast Conference website: www.atlanticcoastconference.net.

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) will hold a Quilt Preview for the Pennsylvania Relief Sale on March 3-5 at the MCC East Coast Material Resources Center (517 W. Trout Run Rd., Ephrata). Visitors can preview over 100 quilts that will be sold at the Relief Sale on April 1-2, in Harrisburg. Shop Quilter's Corner, including orphan blocks, vintage items, books and magazines, patterns, linens and fabrics, and other supplies. Hours: March 3 and 4 from 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. and Saturday, March 5 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster is hosting a benefit concert on Sunday, March 13, at 4 p.m. at Stumptown Mennonite Church featuring music from the Czech Republic and the Moravian Church. A freewill offering will be taken to support the Chamber Choir and their summer Eastern Mennonite Missions assignment to the Czech Republic. Recommended donation is \$25 per person. Masks are required.

Forest Hills is inviting people in their twenties through forties, married and single to wrestle with who Jesus was and what it might mean to follow him. The group starts on Sunday, March 4, at 9:30 a.m. We envision this as an opportunity to ask questions, share honestly, and build relationships with others. If you have questions, feel free to reach out to Nina Harnish (nharnish@foresthillschurch.org) or Jon Carlson (jcarlson@foresthillschurch.org).

LOOKING AHEAD:

- ☆ **March 20** - Jr. Youth Pinewood Derby and fundraiser meal.
- ☆ **April 17** - Easter breakfast.

UPCOMING MYF EVENTS:

- ☆ **March 6** - Tacos and games at the Clappers' house.
- ☆ **March 13** - Road Rally.
- ☆ **March 20** - Fundraiser meal after church.
- ☆ **March 25-27** - Spiritual retreat at Camp Eder.

H O S P I T A L I T Y H E L P E R S

- ☆ Head Usher: Vernon Kauffman
- ☆ Audio Visual Technicians: Rod Lefever, Scott Hertzog, Dana Shannon
- ☆ Greeter: Evanna & Dan Hess
- ☆ Befrienders: Kathy Unangst, Marty Peifer
- ☆ Coffee Fellowship: Lisa Spangler, Steve Spangler

T O D A Y

- ☆ 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages. Adults meet in the Fellowship Hall for MCUSA information and discussion.
- ☆ 10:30 a.m. - Worship in-person or online. The service can be streamed on YouTube: www.fhmc.church/youtube or Facebook: www.facebook.com/foresthillsmennonite.
- ☆ 6 p.m. - MYF (Youth Group, Gr. 9-12) Service night at church.

T H I S W E E K

- ☆ Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. - KFC (Kids for Christ) for PreK - Grade 5 children.
- ☆ Wednesday, 7 p.m. - Jr. Youth (Gr. 6-8).

N E X T S U N D A Y

- ☆ Lent 1; Pastor Jon will preach on *A (Dis)Orientation to the Psalms*, based on Psalm 32.
- ☆ MYF - Tacos and games at the Clappers' house.

WEEKLY REPORT (2/20)

General Fund \$6,873

YTD Income: \$325,363; YTD Budget \$302,764 (+8%)

Attendance : 159

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