



## Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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### *Sexuality Series: Gay and Lesbian Relationships*

#### **Gathering & Praising**

Prelude: *A time to quiet your spirit in preparation for worship*  
Gathering Song: *Come, now is the time to worship* green, 9  
Welcome and Call to Worship  
Opening Prayer  
Songs: *Like a mother who has borne us* green, 91  
*Good is the Flesh* insert  
*Jesus help us live in peace* green, 52  
Offering

#### **Hearing God's Word**

Song: *Will the Children?* insert  
Children's Time Jennifer Schrock  
Confession and Assurance green, 132  
Passing the Peace of Christ  
Theme Song: *This is my body* insert  
Scripture: Ephesians 4:1-6 Caleb Longenecker  
Sermon: *God's Presence...and Ours* Dan Schrock

#### **Responding to God**

Song of Response: *Heart with loving heart* blue, 420  
Sharing and Congregational Prayer  
Blessing

#### **Transition to Fellowship, Christian Education, and Mission**

Holding Our World: *Our Community in Kenya* Priscilla & Elijah Metekai  
Welcome and Introduction of Visitors  
*(Please pass the friendship registers)*  
Announcements  
Sending Song: *Peace before us* purple, 16

*Please join us for coffee and tea in the fellowship hall.*

#### **Worship Participants:**

Worship Leader: Marilyn Rudy-Froese  
Song Leader: Terri Brenneman  
Accompanist: Deb Brubaker and the music team  
Prelude/Offertory: Jenny Hooley  
Congregational Prayer: Laura Horst  
Nursery: Krabill/Sessa Family  
Ushers: Lori & Ron Good  
AV Operator: Matthew Williams  
Visuals: Anne Berry, Sculpture: Clare and Merrill Krabill

*Childcare is available during worship for infants & toddlers (Ages 0-3).*

#### **Nurture Hour**

During our series on sexuality, the configuration of MYF and adult Christian education classes will change from Sunday to Sunday. For this Sunday, February 9, we want people to hear each other across generations. The classes are as follows:

- INFANTS & TODDLERS (under 2 years) – *Cherub Corner*
- PRESCHOOL (ages 2-4) – *Joyful Class*
- PRIMARY (K-Grade 2) – *Peaceful Class*
- MIDDLE (Grade 3-5) – *Forgiveness Class*
- JUNIOR YOUTH – *JYF*
- MYF - ADULTS – *Sexuality Series*
  - MYF meets across the hallway from the restrooms.
  - Last names A-D (meet in sanctuary)
  - Last names E-H (meet in library)
  - Last names I-M with MYFers with first names J-Z (meet in MYF room)
  - Last names N-Sh (meet in Lois' old office)
  - Last names Si-Z with MYFers first names A-I (meet in old JYF room).

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