



Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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Easter

Gathering & Praising

Prelude: *A time to quiet your spirit in preparation for worship*
Gathering Song: *Christ the Lord is risen today* blue, 280
Call to Worship
Songs: *Low in the grave he lay* blue, 273
Thine is the glory blue, 269
Hallelujah! Pelo tsa rona green, 88
Profession of Faith

Leader: *This is the good news that we have received,
in which we stand and by which we are saved:*

All: *Christ died for our sins, was buried,
was raised on the third day,
and appeared first to the women,
then to Peter and the Twelve,
and then to many faithful witnesses.*

*We believe Jesus is the Christ,
the Anointed One of God,
the firstborn of all creation,
the firstborn from the dead,
in whom all things hold together,
in whom the fullness of God was pleased to dwell
by the power of the Spirit.*

*Christ is the head of the body, the church,
and by the blood of the cross reconciles all things to God.
Amen.*

Hearing God's Word

Song: *Will the Children?* insert
Children's Time Beth Berry
Children's Song: *Peace before you* Andy and Lydia Martin
Song: *I will stand in the congregation* purple, 113
Scripture: John 20:1-18

Sermon:
Special Music: *I Will Rise*

Marilyn Rudy-Froese

Responding to God

Offering
Congregational Sharing and Prayer
Song: *Lift your glad voices* blue, 275
Prayer of Thanks

Transition to Fellowship, Christian Education, and Mission

Welcome and Introduction of Visitors
(Please pass the friendship registers)
Announcements
Benediction

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

Worship Participants:

Worship Leader: Dan Schrock
Song Leader: Deb Brubaker
Accompanist: Terri Brenneman
Prelude/Offertory: Greg Smucker, Patsy Sherer
Congregational Prayer: Dan Schrock
Nursery: Dan and Evie Nafziger
Ushers: Diane and Lowell Nafziger
AV Operator: Michael Sherer
Visuals: Roxanna Sommers

A note on the wall hanging, entitled "Glorious Rendering":
*No matter what the rending, be it the temple curtain or our personal
situations, the darkness is pierced, and God's glory is revealed from top
to bottom. ~ Roxanna Sommers*

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

Nurture Hour

There is no nurture hour today. Classes will resume next Sunday.

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