



Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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The Walk to Emmaus

Gathering & Praising

Prelude

Opening Song: *Brethren, we have met to worship* blue, 8

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Songs: *Jesus calls us here to meet him* green, 3

The risen Christ purple, 101

My shepherd will supply my need blue, 589

Hearing God's Word

Song: *Will the children?* insert

Children's Time Connie Bauman

Offering

Sermon in Scripture, Story and Reflection: *The Walk to Emmaus*
(Luke 24:13-35) Karla Minter

Responding to God

Song: *On the Journey to Emmaus* purple, 98

Congregational Sharing and Prayer Richard Miller

Transition to Fellowship, Christian Education, and Mission

Recognition of High School Graduates: Celebrating new young adults

Congregational Blessing (in unison):

May God bless you in this season of transition
and grant you wisdom to perceive the path of integrity.

May Christ befriend you

and bring you relationships to feed your soul.

May the Spirit go before you and guard your future

so that you might know mercy in trouble,

blessings in the ordinary, and faith in all things. Amen

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors

(Please pass the friendship registers)

Announcements

Closing Song: *Christ be near at either hand* green 80

Benediction

Worship Participants:

Worship Leader: Marilyn Rudy-Froese

Song Leader: Lane Miller

Accompanist: Terri Brenneman

Prelude/Offertory: Terri Brenneman

Congregational sharing: Richard Miller

Ushers: Diane and Lowell Nafziger

AV Operator: Matthew Williams

Visuals: Lana Smucker

Infants Care: Annie Hu, Anita and Tavi Mounsithiraj

Toddler Care: Renae Yoder, Laverne Nafziger and Jane Wang

We offer childcare during worship after children's time for infants & toddlers. Children under 2 years of age may go to the Cherub Corner room, while 2 and 3 year olds may go to the MYF room.

Welcome to Karla Minter our preacher/storyteller. Karla is a Church Relations Associate for Mennonite Mission Network. Her role is to help make mission happen by connecting congregations with people, stories, publications, resources, and service programs available through Mission Network. Karla worships at Open Table Mennonite Fellowship, an emerging house church in Goshen.

Nurture Hour

Sunday school begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 p.m. First enjoy a time of fellowship after the worship service.

- INFANTS & TODDLERS (ages 0-2) – Cherub corner
- PRESCHOOL (ages 3-4) – Forgiveness class
- PRIMARY (grade K-2) – Peaceful class
- MIDDLE (grade 3-5) – Joyful class
- JUNIOR YOUTH – JYF – off Jubilee hall
- HIGH SCHOOL – MYF – off Jubilee hall
- COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULT – Library
- YOUNG ADULT (off Jubilee hall)
- ADULTS
 - Sermon Response (sanctuary)
 - Better Than a Donut (end of hallway) – discuss various topics
 - *Benefit of the Doubt* discussion (off Jubilee hall)
 - Parenting class (off Jubilee hall)

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