



## Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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# *The Parable of the Disgraced Father*

### Call to Worship

Gathering Song: *All praise to our redeeming Lord* blue, 21  
Welcome  
Prayer  
Songs: *Beloved, God's chosen* green, 38  
*Sithi bonga* purple, 94

### Hearing God's Word

Song: *Will the children?* projected  
Children's Time Mike McHugh  
Offering  
Song: *What wondrous love is this* blue, 530  
Scripture: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32  
Sermon: "The Parable of the Disgraced Father" Mark Schloneger

### Responding

Song: *Slowly turning, ever turning* green, 23  
Congregational Sharing and Prayer Dan Schrock

### Transition to Fellowship and Sunday School

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors  
*(Please pass the friendship registers.)*  
Announcements  
Sending Blessing  
Song: *You've got a place* green, 4

### Worship Participants

Worship Leader: John Schrock  
Song Leader: Katie O'Leary  
Accompanist: Patsy Sherer  
Offertory: Joanne Gallardo, Katie Miller O'Leary,  
Lavonne Shetler & Andrea Bontrager Yoder  
Visuals: Laura Horst  
Ushers: Priscillah & Elijah Metekai  
AV Operator: Michael Sherer

*Hearing assistance devices and large print hymnals are available in the room beside the doors to the sanctuary. Please see the A/V operator if you would like one.*

*We offer childcare during worship after children's time, for infants & toddlers through 3 years of age, in the Cherub Corner room.*

Child Caregivers: Sim Dlova, Angela Shenk

### 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 I (age 3) – Joyful class
- PRESCHOOL II (age 4) – Forgiveness class
- KINDERGARTEN (age 5) – Kindness class
- PRIMARY (grade 1-2) – Peaceful class
- MIDDLE (grade 3-5) – Gentleness class
- JUNIOR YOUTH (grades 6-8) – off Jubilee Hall
- HIGH SCHOOL (grades 9-12) – end of Hallway
- ADULT CLASSES:
  - Death and Dying class – Sanctuary
  - Sermon Response – off of Jubilee Hall
  - Better Than a Donut – end of Hallway
  - Tending Our Souls – Pastor Mark Schloneger's Office
  - Men's Contemplative Prayer – Children's Music Room
  - Young Adult – Library

*New to Berkey? If you have questions, ask anyone! Or look for the person standing to the left of the doors as you leave the worship space. Sign up for our weekly email newsletter at [www.berkeyavenue.org/newsletter](http://www.berkeyavenue.org/newsletter)*