



## Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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*Advent 3*

*While you wait . . . keep loving*

### Call to Worship

Gathering Song: *Peace before us* purple, 16  
Welcome and Prayer  
Lighting the Advent Candle  
Songs: *The angel Gabriel* blue, 180  
*My soul proclaims with wonder* blue, 181

### Hearing God's Word

Children's Program: "The Shining Star"  
Offering  
Song: *No wind at the window* purple, 11  
Scripture: Isaiah 35:1-10 Daniel Grimes  
Song: *Sing we a song of high revolt* purple, 13  
Scripture: Luke 1:47-55 Elisabeth Barahona

### Responding

Song: *My soul is filled with joy* green, 13  
Congregational Sharing and Prayer Mark Schloneger

### Transition to Fellowship and Sunday School

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors  
*(Please pass the friendship registers.)*  
Announcements  
Sending  
Song: *Go, my children* blue, 433

### Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Lavonne Shetler  
Song Leader: Greg Smucker  
Accompanist: Patsy Sherer  
Children's Program Directors: Lindsay Diener Locke, Anita Mounsithiraj,  
Angela Shenk, Andrea Bontrager Yoder  
Offertory: Jennifer & Dan Schrock  
Visuals: Jacob Curtis, Linda & Joe Liechty, Peter Shetler  
Ushers: Diane & Lowell Nafziger  
AV Operator: Patrick Buller

*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: Beth Berry, Jeannie Krabill Miller

### 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:
  - Book Study: *Just Mercy* – Sanctuary
  - College/Post-College 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 find information on the table 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)*