



Shalom Mennonite Congregation

March 29, 2020 | Fifth Sunday in Lent

Hannah Kelley, Zoom Host

Pete Barlow, Worship Leader

Brian Bolton, Speaker

Josh Diamond, Children's Time

Stan Godshall, Music

GATHERING

Centering Bell

Gathering Song *Come and fill our hearts*

STJ 59

Welcome & Call to Worship

Hymn *In the Lord I'll be ever grateful*

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture & Reflection John 11:1-45, in three scenes

Scene 1

Reflection—Brian Bolton

Scene 2

Reflection for Children—Josh Diamond

Scene 3

Reflection—Brian Bolton

Hymn

Amazing Grace

HWB 143

RESPONDING

Prayers of the People

Hymn

Shepherd me O God

HWB 519

SENDING

Introductions & Announcements

Benediction

Breakout Groups – an optional opportunity to talk for a few minutes with others gathered on the following prompts:

- 1) Tell us your name(s) and where you are
- 2) What has been one good thing and one challenging thing about this experience in the past week?
- 3) Closing thought, prayer, or pass the peace

Worship will continue via online gatherings for the foreseeable future, and our other planned gatherings will be suspended until Administrative and Ministry Councils can share additional plans for helping keep us connected.

59

Confitemini Domino

(Come and fill our hearts)

Irregular

D

B m



Latin: Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no
 English: Come and fill our hearts with your peace.
 French: Viens rem - plir nos coeurs de ta paix.
 Spanish: Ven y lle - na - nos de tu paz.

D

A

E m



quo - ni - am — bo - nus. Con - fi - te - mi - ni
 You a - lone, O Lord, are ho - ly. Come and fill our hearts
 Toi seul, tu es saint oh Seigneur. Viens rem - plir nos coeurs
 So - lo tu, oh Dios, sos San - to. Ven y lle - na - nos



C

E m

A

D



Do - mi - no, al - le - lu - - - ia.
 with your peace, al - le - lu - - - ia.
 de ta paix, al - le - lu - - - ia.
 de tu paz, a - le - lu - - - ia.



♩ = 69

Dm C

F

Bb C

Dm C

F

C

Bb

A 3

In the Lord I'll be ev-er thank-ful, in the Lord I will re-joice! Look to God, do not be a-
 El Se-nyor és la me-va for-ça, el Se-nyor el me-u cant. Ell m'ha estat la sal-va-ci-

Dm

C

F

Bb

C

Am

Dm

Bb

C

fine

F

Dm C

fraid; lift up your voic-es, the Lord is near; lift up your voic-es, the Lord is near. In the
 ó. En ell con-fi-o, i no tinc por. En ell con-fi-o, i no tinc por. El Se-

Amazing grace

NEW BRITAIN (AMAZING GRACE) CM

G D Em G

1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 4 Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail, and
 5 The earth shall soon dis - solve like snow, the
 6 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

D⁷ G G⁷

1 saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
 2 grace my fears re - lieved. How pre - cious did that
 3 have al - read - y come. 'Tis grace has brought me
 4 mor - tal life shall cease, I shall pos - sess, with-
 5 sun for - bear to shine; but God, who called me
 6 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

C G Em G/D D⁷ G

1 now am found, was blind, but now I see.
 2 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved.
 3 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 4 in the veil, a life of joy and peace.
 5 here be - low, will be for - ev - er mine.
 6 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

Shepherd me, O God

519

Irregular

Refrain Fm D^b A^b E^b

Shep-herd me, O God, be - yond my wants, be -

Cm⁷ D^b B^bm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm B^bm/F Fm

yond my fears, from death in - to life.

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). The first line of music is labeled 'Refrain' and includes the chords Fm, D^b, A^b, and E^b. The second line of music includes the chords Cm⁷, D^b, B^bm⁷, Cm⁷, Fm, B^bm/F, and Fm. The lyrics are: 'Shep-herd me, O God, be - yond my wants, be - yond my fears, from death in - to life.'

- 1 God is my shepherd, so nothing shall I want,
I rest in the meadows of faithfulness and love,
I walk by the quiet waters of peace.
(Refrain)
- 2 Gently you raise me and heal my weary soul,
you lead me by pathways of righteousness and truth;
my spirit shall sing the music of your name.
(Refrain)
- 3 Though I should wander the valley of death,
I fear no evil, for you are at my side,
your rod and your staff, my comfort and my hope.
(Refrain)
- 4 You have set me a banquet of love in the face of hatred,
crowning me with love beyond my power to hold.
(Refrain)
- 5 Surely your kindness and mercy follow me
all the days of my life;
I will dwell in the house of my God forevermore.
(Refrain)

Text: based on Psalm 23, Marty Haugen, 1985, *Gather*, 1988

Music: Marty Haugen, *Gather*, 1988

Text and music copyright ©1986 G.I.A. Publications, Inc.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shalom wishes to support students attending Eastern Mennonite School (K-12) by participating in a tuition grant program. This is an opportunity to preserve and promote the values, traditions, and perspectives of the Mennonite Church. If you are interested in contributing you can do so by **writing a separate check with “EMS Fund”** in the memo line and either mail it to the office or include it in the regular offering on Sunday. **For information and the application for EMS families, please see the e-newsletter.**

Shalom has posted an hourly position for hire, an [Administrative Assistant \(job description linked here\)](#), following [Elizabeth's announced resignation](#). Please peruse those job descriptions and send referrals or applications asap to [Brian](#).

The previously announced Ecumenical Earth Day Worship Service on April 19 at Turner Farmer's Market Pavilion has been cancelled. We will still plan to share resources and be in solidarity with each other amidst that other global crisis called climate change.

Budget Report | March 22 (Shalom-at-Home: 77 connections)

<u>ACTUAL</u>		<u>BUDGETED</u>	
Weekly Offering	\$3,745.00	Weekly Offering	\$3,648.58
March	\$10,003.00	Avg. Monthly	\$15,810.52
YTD	\$41,566.25	YTD	\$43,782.98
Sharing Fund	\$12,200.00		
Patchwork Pantry	\$0.00		
EMS Fund Total	\$1,100.00		

Regular offering, as well as donations to Shalom's Sharing Fund, Patchwork Pantry, or the EMS Fund can all be made through our new online giving link: <https://shalommc.breezechms.com/give/online>.

Visitors: Welcome to Shalom-at-Home! If you would like to be on our mailing list or be contacted by someone on pastoral team, please send your name and email to office@shalommc.org.

Shalom Mennonite Congregation is a welcoming and inclusive community rooted in Jesus' radical call to love, justice, and peace.

We seek to grow our welcome and inclusion as we deepen our spirituality, build meaningful relationships, work for peace and social justice, and cultivate diverse community connections.

Visit our website at shalommc.org/vision to find out more about who we are, what we do, and what we strive for. You can also read there about our commitment statements regarding inclusion of people who identify as LGBTQIA+, and our policy and practices around maintaining an environment that protects children from abuse.

Address EMU, Campus Box 8, Harrisonburg, VA 22802
Office 1086A Smith Ave
Phone 432-1659 (For EMS building emergency call
810-2706 or 578-0262)

Staff: Brian Bolton, Pastor; Elizabeth Fletchall, Admin. Assistant; Carrie Yoder, Nursery & Safe Congregation Policy Administrator

Administrative Council & Congregational Chair: Anne Martin

Please contact any member of the Safe Congregation Team if you have questions or concerns regarding inappropriate sexual conduct, violence, intimidation, or physical abuse by child-care workers, teachers, or others in the congregation: Kate Clark, 810-1067; Ross Erb, 435-0350; Anne Martin, 432-1086; Brian Bolton, 830-8381.