



Shalom Mennonite Congregation

June 28, 2020 | Shalom-at-Home #16

Melody Mast, Worship Leader

Sam Nickels, Music Leader

Josh Diamond, Children's Time & Prayers of the People

Christian Parks, Speaker

Carrie Yoder, Zoom Host

GATHERING

Centering Bell

Gathering Song *Precious Lord, take my hand* HWB 575

Welcome & Call to Worship

One: Come, Holy Spirit, lamplighter, midwife of change, comforter, disturber, inspirer, and advocate.

Many: Come, fill this church with your Holy Spirit.

One: Come, fill our lives with the rich mixture of peace and restlessness, calm and enthusiasm, reflection and action.

All: Come, Holy Spirit, make your home among us, so that we go out to find the Holy Spirit among others. *

Hymn *Nothing is lost* STS 121

Hymn *How can I say* STS 117

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture

Children's Time

Sermon

RESPONDING

Hymn *Rain down* STJ 49

Prayers of the People

Offering *My soul cries out* STS 124

SENDING

Introductions & Announcements

Benediction

***Adapted from Sing the Story #189**

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 5th Table Fellowship Service: On Sunday, July 5th, we'll gather around tables (still distanced, still from our own homes). Following some opening moments of corporate worship, we'll then head into Zoom break-out groups to experience a "table fellowship" liturgy with a smaller group of people. These meal-centered liturgies are meant to be accessible for all ages and stages. As we plan, it will help to know who will be attending the service that morning (though you will still have a place at the table if you simply show up that Sunday!). If you know that you'll be at church on the 5th, sign up [here](#). Being a meal-centered liturgy, you'll want to have some food on hand to enjoy during worship—whether that be a bowl of rice krispies or a gourmet egg casserole is entirely up to you. The liturgy also includes a communion-esque blessing, so try to have on hand bread, pastry, pancake, etc. Finally, it will help to have hard copies of the liturgy for your household. If you need a copy mailed or delivered to you, indicate that on the sign up sheet.

Patchwork Pantry's need is as great, or greater, during this time. Each dollar donated can provide four meals to those most in need. Though we are unable to bring our food offerings together each fourth Sunday, you can still make financial gifts through Shalom (either by mail with "Patchwork Pantry" in the memo line or via [online giving](#)) OR directly to Patchwork Pantry. You can mail your check to 70 South High Street, Harrisonburg, VA 22801 or give online via <https://www.patchworkpantry.org/how-to-help-1>. Thanks for your consideration. -*Mission and Service Team*

Upcoming Birthdays

Marty Showalter - July 1

Kathleen Temple - July 1

Howard Zehr - July 2

James Suderman - July 3

Aaron Johnston - July 4

Budget Report | June 21

ACTUAL		BUDGETED	
Weekly Offering	\$12,700.00	Weekly Offering	\$3,648.58
June	\$17,465.00	Avg. Monthly	\$15,810.52
YTD	\$90,270.91	YTD	\$91,214.53

Regular offering, as well as donations to other funds can all be made online at <https://shalommc.breezechms.com/give/online> as well as mailed into EMU, Campus Box 8, Harrisonburg, VA, 22802

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.

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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.

575 Precious Lord, take my hand

PRECIOUS LORD Irregular

1 Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me
 2 When my way grows drear, pre-cious Lord, lin-ger
 3 When the dark - ness ap - pears and the night draws

stand, I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
 near, when my life is al - most gone,
 near, and the day is past and gone,

Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the
 hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I
 at the riv - er I stand, guide my feet, hold my

light, take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.
 fall. Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.
 hand. Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.

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121 Nothing is lost on the breath of God

GREEN LANE Irregular

A E F#m A/C#

1 Noth - ing is lost on the breath of God,
 2 Noth - ing is lost to the eyes of God,
 3 Noth - ing is lost to the heart of God,

D Bm/D Esus E

noth - ing is lost for ev - er;
 noth - ing is lost for ev - er.
 noth - ing is lost for ev - er;

A E F#m A/C#

God's breath is love, and that love will re - main,
 God sees with love, and that love will re - main,
 God's heart is love, and that love will re - main,

D Bm/D Esus E

hold - ing the world for ev - er. No
 hold - ing the world for ev - er. No
 hold - ing the world for ev - er. No

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 Music: Colin Gibson

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A E/G# D/F# A/E

feath - er too light, no hair — too fine, no
 jour - ney too far, no dis - tance too great, no
 im - pulse of love, no of - fice of care, no

B7/D# B7 A/E E

flow - er too brief in its glo - ry, no —
 val - ley of dark - ness too blind - ing; no —
 mo - ment of life in its full - ness; no be -

A E/G# D/F# A/E

drop in the o - cean, no dust in the air, but is
 crea - ture too hum - ble, no child — too small for —
 gin - ning too late, — no end - ing too soon, but is

B7/D# B7 E A

count - ed and told in God's sto - ry.
 God to be seek - ing and find - ing.
 gath - ered and known in its good - ness.

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How can I say

KOINONIA* Irregular

B \flat /E \flat E \flat Gm7 Cm7

How can I say that I love the Lord whom I've

Fm E \flat /B \flat B \flat 7 B \flat /E \flat E \flat

nev - er, ev - er seen be - fore; and for - get to say that I

Gm7 Cm7 Fm E \flat /B \flat B \flat 7

love the one whom I walk be - side each and ev' - ry day? How

Dm7 \flat 5 Gaug Cm C7 Fm/C Edim7

can I look up - on your face and ig - nore God's love? You I

*Original title

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Music: V. Michael McKay

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Fm Db7 tacet Eb/Bb

must embrace! You're my brother; you're my

Cm7 C7 Fm Eb/G Fm/Ab Am7b5 Bb

sis-ter; and I love you with the love of my

Eb Bb/Eb 1 Ab/Eb Bb7

Lord. How

2 Ab/Eb Fm7 Bb7 Eb

Love of my Lord!

Rain down

Refrain *f* F A7/E Dm Irregular F7/C B \flat

Rain down, rain down, rain down your

F/A G9 C C7 F A7/E Dm

love on your peo - ple. Rain down, rain

F7/C B \flat C C7 B \flat /F F Fine

down, rain down your love, God of life.

mf F A7/E Dm F7/C

1 Faith - ful and true is the word of our God.
2 We who re - vere and find hope in our God
3 God of cre - a - tion, we long for your truth;

mp

1-3 Ooh, _____

mp

B \flat F/A G9 C C7

All of God's works are so wor - thy of trust.
 live in the kind - ness and joy of God's wing.
 you are the wa - ter of life that we thirst.

ooh,

F A7/E Dm F7/C

God's mer - cy falls on the just and the right;
 God will pro - tect us from dark - ness and death;
 Grant that your love and your peace touch our hearts,

ah,

B \flat C7 F C7 D.C.

full of God's love is the earth.
 God will not leave us to starve.
 all of our hope lies in you.

mf D.C.

1 Full of God's love is the earth.
 2 God will not leave us to starve.
 3 All of our hope lies in you.

mf

124

My soul cries out

STAR OF THE COUNTY DOWN 98. 10 8D with refrain



1 My _____ soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the
 2 Though _____ I am small, my _____ God, my all, you _____
 3 From the halls of power to the for - tress tower, not a
 4 Though the na - tions rage from _____ age to age, we re -



God of my heart is great, and my spir - it _____ sings of the
 work great _____ things in me, and your mer - cy will last from the
 stone will be left on stone. Let the king be - ware for your
 mem - ber who holds us fast: God's _____ mer - cy _____ must de -



won - drous _____ things that you bring to the ones who wait. You
 depths of the past to the end of the age to be. Your
 jus - tice _____ tears ev - 'ry ty - rant _____ from his throne. The
 liv - er _____ us from the con - quer - or's crush - ing grasp. This



fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my
 ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to
 hun - gry poor shall _____ weep no more, for the
 sav - ing word that our fore - bears heard is the -



weak - ness you did not spurn, so from east to west shall my
 those who would for you yearn, you will show your might, put the
 food they can nev - er earn; there are ta - bles spread, ev - 'ry
 prom - ise which holds us bound, 'til the spear and rod can be

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Music: Irish traditional; arranged by Rory Cooney

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G D Em C Em

name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?
 strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.
 mouth be fed, for the world is a - bout to turn.
 crushed by God, who is turn - ing the world a - round.

Refrain

G D

My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the

My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the

Em C D Em

fires of your jus - tice burn. Wipe a - way all tears, for the

fires of your jus - tice burn. Wipe a - way all tears, for the

C D Em C Em

dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn!

dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn!