

Shalom Mennonite Congregation

January 24, 2021 | Shalom-at-Home #45

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GATHERING

Centering Bell & Candlelighting

Hymn *Here in this place (vv. 1,3,4)* HWB 6

Welcome

Hymn Here in this place (v. 2) HWB 6

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Luke 5:1-11

COMMISSIONING ONE ANOTHER

Commissioning 2021 Teams & Volunteers

RESPONDING

Hymn Lord, you have come to the lakeshore HWB 229 **Prayers of the People**

SENDING

Introductions & Announcements Benediction Greeting

At the close of the service we will unmute all for one minute of festive and chaotic greetings. All are welcome to stay for the congregational meeting that will begin afterward.

Congregational Meeting

- *UPDATED* 2021 Roster of Shalom Teams and Roles
- *UPDATED* 2021 Proposed Budget
- 2021-1-24 Congregational Meeting Agenda
- 2021-11-15 Congregational Meeting Minutes
- 2020 Year End Budget Summary
- 2020 Year End Budget Report Dec.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jubilee Gratitude

We are immensely grateful for the generosity of both givers and recipients during the past month's Jubilee Sharing Fund campaign.

Since January of 2020 our Sharing Fund received and distributed over \$29,000 to assist with financial needs within our Shalom community. Because of your giving since December, \$19,220 of that fund is being divided evenly among five households.

As Jane Hoober Peifer said this past Sunday, we offer thanksgiving for this special communion of Spirit that this Jubilee fund reflects.

Shalom's Everence money to go for Immigrant Relief during the time of COVID-19

The Mission and Service team was tasked with deciding how to distribute \$4500 that Shalom received from Everence during the past year. Knowing that many local imigrants would not receive COVID-19 relief checks through the federal government the team decided to concentrate in this area. Here is how the money will be distributed:

\$3000 for immigrants who will not receive relief checks from the federal government. This will be distributed through COSPU which is a local immigrant advocacy group.

\$1500 will go to Vine and Fig to help them pay local immigrants that are working for them. Vine and Fig also will have the option of passing on some of that money to the Northeast Community Association for a solar project on the old Broad Street Mennonite Church.

Upcoming Birthdays:

Tucker Williams – Jan 24 Hannah Kelley – Jan 25 Kate Clark – Jan 29 Clay Shristi – Jan 29 Wakuru Samson – Jan 30

Budget Report | January 17, 2021

ACTUAL		BUDGETED INCOME TO DATE	
Weekly Offering	\$60.00	Weekly Offering	\$3,648.58
January	\$4,518.58	Avg. Monthly	\$15,810.52
YTD	\$4,518.58	YTD	\$10,945.74

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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Here in this place



1 Here in this place, new light is stream-ing,

now is the dark-ness we are the old-who

Here we will take

We are the young - our lives are a mys - t'ry, the wine and the wa - ter,

here we will take the

Not in the dark of build-ings con-fin - ing, not in some heav-en,



van-ished a - way. yearn for your face. bread of new birth. light years a - way, but

this space, our fears and our dream-ings, We have been sung through - out all of his-t'ry, Here you shall call your sons and your daugh-ters, this place, the new light is shin-ing; here in



brought here to you in the the called to be light to call a - new be us to is the king - dom, now

light of this whole hu-man salt for the now is the

day. race. earth. day.



in - the Gath-er us Gath-er us in - the Give us to drink the Gath-er us in - and

lost and for - sak - en, rich and the haugh-ty, wine of com-pas-sion, hold us for - ev - er,

gath-er us in - the gath-er us in – the give us to eat gath-er us in - and



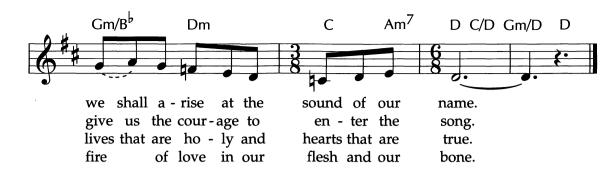
blind and the lame. proud and the strong. bread that is you. make us your own.

Call to us now, and Give us a heart so Nour-ish us well, and Gath - er us in – all

we shall a - wak - en, meek and so low - ly, teach us to fash-ion peo-ples to-geth-er,

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Here, O Lord, your servants gather 7

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- 1 Here, O Lord, your ser vants gath er, hand we link with hand.
- 2 Man y are the tongues we speak, scat-tered are
- 3 Na ture's se crets o pen wide, chang es nev er cease.
- 4 Grant, O God, an age re-newed, filled with death-less love.



Look-ing toward our yet our hearts are Where, oh where, can Help us as we Sav-ior's cross, one in God, wea-ry souls work and pray, joined in love we stand. one in love's de - mands. find the source of peace? send us from a - bove

the

lands,



realm of Aswe seek the God, u - nite to pray: E'en in dark-ness hope ap - pears, call - ing age and youth. sore dis-tressed, Un - to all those torn by end-less strife, truth and cour - age, faith and pow - er need - ed in our strife.



Sav - ior, guide our for you the way. le - sus, steps, are Je - sus, Teach - er, dwell with for you truth. the us, are life. Je - sus, Heal - er, bring your balm, for you are the life! way, Ie - sus, Mas - ter, be our truth, our

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229 Tú has venido a la orilla (Lord, you have come to the lakeshore)



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- 3 Tú necesitas mis manos, mi cansancio que a otros descanse, amor que quiera seguir amando. (Estribillo)
- 4 Tú, pescador de otros mares, ansia eterna de almas que esperan, amigo bueno, que así me llamas. (Estribillo)
- You need my hands, full of caring, through my labors to give others rest, and constant love that keeps on loving. (Refrain)
- 4 You, who have fished other oceans, ever longed-for by souls who are waiting, my loving friend, as thus you call me. (Refrain)

Blessed are the persecuted Irregular with refrain



- Bless ed are they
- Bless ed are the
- Bless ed are they

per - se - cut - ed, who are hun - gry

in spir - it, the for for Je - sus Christ

is

the

for

pure in heart, who are thirst - y in spir - it,



liv - ing with-in them. Lord lives with-in them. liv - ing with-in them. Lord lives with-in them.

Great will be their re-ward, they shall be



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