



Emmaus Road Mennonite Fellowship
October 15, 2017

Gathering

Greeter/Usher
Worship Leader
Pianist

Russell & Paul
Tina
Anita

Gathering Music

Silence

Prelude

***Call to Worship**

Leader: *The Spirit of God calls to us,*
People: with sighs too deep for words.
Leader: *The Spirit of God calls to us,*
People: inviting us, summoning us.
Leader: *The Spirit of God calls to us,*
All: Lord, we are here!

***Hymn of Gathering**

“God Who Touches Earth With Beauty”

HWB #511

***The Peace**

Leader: *God makes peace within us. Let us claim it.*
God makes peace between us. Let us share it.
Let us greet one another as a sign of God’s peace.
The peace of God is here to stay.

All: Thanks be to God.

*You are invited to share the peace with your neighbors
with the greeting “The Peace of Christ”*

Intercessory Prayer

Anita

Children Dismissed

Dave & Tanya

Hymn

“Oh, For A Thousand Tongues To Sing”

HWB #110

Prayers of the People

Nedra

Scripture

Philippians 4:1, 4-9

Elizabeth

Sermon

“What Do You Think About?”

Don

Hymn of Response & Preparation

“God Remembers”

STJ #107

Words of Confession

Merciful God,
we have not loved you
with our whole heart,
nor our neighbors as ourselves.

Release us from our past shortcomings,
accept us as we are – right now,
and guide us into what we shall be.

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Offering Focus

Camp Friedenswald

Offertory

Anita

***Words of Sending**

Leader: Christ's food in our souls,

All: our food shared like his.

Leader: Christ's life in our hands,

All: our lives shaped by his.

Leader: Christ's love in our hearts,

All: our love warmed through his.

Leader: Christ's peace on our path,

All: our path following his.

***Hymn of Sending**

“Go Now In Peace”

HWB #429

Announcements

Compassionate Ministries donations for October: Beans

October 18 – Visioning Committee, 6:30pm

October 21 – Indiana Center for Middle East Peace Gala, Dr. Alice Rothchild

November 17 – Meal @ The Crossing