



Emmaus Road Mennonite Fellowship

January 21, 2018

Gathering

Greeter/Usher
Worship Leader
Pianist

Greg S.
Jan
Mary Beth

Gathering Music/Silence/Prelude

Call to Worship

Leader: With one voice, let us glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

All: We will speak of the glory of God's kingdom, and tell of God's power.

Leader: The Son is the radiance of God's glory, and he is the manifestation of the Father.

All: In Christ, the complete being of the Godhead dwells.

Leader: The incarnation of Christ has brought the divine into our mist.

All: God's love was revealed among us in this way; God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. Amen.

***Hymn of Gathering**

"Spirit Working in Creation"

STJ #10

***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

Lyndsey & Blake

Scripture

Rick & Karen

Mark 1:14-20

Hymn

“Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore”

HWB #229

Prayers of the People

Marge

Sermon

“Follow”

Michael

Offering Focus

Camp Friedenswald

Offertory

Mary Beth

***Words of Sending**

Leader: From where we are to where you need us,

All: Jesus, now lead on.

*Leader: From the security of what we know to the
adventure of what you will reveal,*

All: Jesus, now lead on.

*Leader: To refashion the fabric of this world until
it resembles the shape of your kingdom,*

All: Jesus, now lead on.

***Hymn of Sending**

“I Am Weak and I Need Thy Strength Today”

HWB #553

Announcements

Compassionate Ministries donations for January: Canned Vegetables

*February 18 – Fellowship Forum and Carry-In meal following worship
Doug Luginbill, Conference Minister, will be with us*

You are warmly invited to gather with your CDC brothers and sisters in any of the upcoming Regional Gatherings that best fits with your schedule. We'll sing and pray together as we get to know one another. There will be updates about what is happening in CDC and the talks taking place with Allegheny Mennonite Conference. The host congregation will serve lunch and share a bit of their congregation's story. Come share your perspectives and ideas and bring a friend. Please know that anyone is welcome to participate.

Jan 27 @ Mennonite Church of Normal ([805 S Cottage Ave, Normal, Illinois](#))

Feb 10 @ Grace Mennonite Church ([502 E Main St, Pandora, Ohio](#))

Mar 17 @ Silverwood Mennonite Church ([1745 W Lincoln Ave, Goshen, Indiana](#))

Regional Gatherings start with coffee and tea at 9:45 am, and conclude at 3:00 pm.

The Mennonite Church of Normal, Grace, and Silverwood congregations have graciously agreed to provide lunch for us. We ask that those eating lunch bring a donation to help cover the costs. To help them plan for the amount of food needed, please let Emma know if you are attending by Jan 22, Feb 5, and Mar 12 (depending on the regional gathering you choose to attend). Email: office@mcusacdc.org; Phone [800.662.2264](tel:800.662.2264).