

## Summit Mennonite Church

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Marilyn Rossiter, Pastor

Sunday School: 9:30 am

Stan King and Rachael Oyer, Caring Team

Worship: 10:30 am

*Welcome to all visitors! May you feel at ease with us and sense the presence of God.*

**We follow Christ, offering healing and hope as we serve our neighbors in need**

September 18, 2016

Peace Sunday

**Focus Statement:** Our peacemaking, our justice-seeking, our communities of faith will flourish when we carve out quiet, still times alone with God. Jesus knew what was needed for his kingdom work. As we follow his path to places of great need, to relationship with those who cry out for peace, we also must follow his path to Holy time, time alone with God.

**Gathering Music** Be Still, My Soul

**Opening Songs:** HWB 36 God of our strength Kyle Yoder

HWB 7 Here, O Lord, your servants gather

HWB 371 Let there be light, Lord God

### Welcome and Announcements

**Call to Worship** William Troyer

Leader: Come, behold the works of the Lord!

**People: Yes, we behold!**

Leader: God makes war cease around the world!

**People: Yes, we behold!**

Leader: God breaks the bow, and shatters the spear!

**People: Yes, we behold!**

Leader: God burns the shields with fire!

**People: Yes, we behold!**

Leader: God says, "Be still, and know that I am God!"

*ALL: The Lord of hosts is with us; The Lord God is our refuge. AMEN*

### Opening Prayer

**Offering** I Will Come to You in the Silence

**Children's time** Jason Moyer

**Call to Prayer** STS 45 Calm me, Lord

### Prayer of the Day

**Scripture:** Mark 1:29-39, Psalm 46:1-3, 8-11

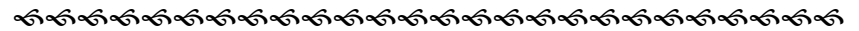
**Sermon:** Take Time to Pray Marilyn Rossiter

**Song of Response** HWB 523 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

**Sharing of sermon responses, joys and introduction of Guests**

**Closing Song:** HWB 411 I bind my heart

**Blessing & Postlude**



### THIS MORNING

Worship Leader: William Troyer

Gathering Music: Pam Zook

Song Leader: Kyle Yoder

Greeters: Janine & Mike McDowell

Nursery: Hazel Boyle & Viv Jaberg

Worship Planners: Susan Moyer & Marilyn Rossiter

### LAST WEEK

Attendance: 30 General Offering: \$1,500

### THIS WEEK

- Sunday, Sept. 25- Freedom Sunday-International Justice Mission followed by Potluck/shower for Coblentz-McDowells

### COMING EVENTS

- Sunday, Oct. 2- Communion
- Oct 22: BACM Annual Dinner & Silent Auction

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Marilyn's office hours for next week include Monday, 2-5 and Wednesday, 3-6. Call/email/text for time with Marilyn.

Remember to email or call Marilyn or Wanda with any announcements or prayer requests that you would like listed in the bulletins on Sunday by Thursday evening of each week.

Thanks to everyone for helping with the 2016 Pig Roast!

Council will not meet for the month of September. If you have questions or issues you wish to discuss, contact LaVerne Yousey, Stan King, Lee Ressler, Hannah Troyer, Jack and Mona Rohrer or Susan Moyer.

A **baby shower** for Janine and Mike is planned for September 25, after a potluck lunch. They are registered at Amazon.com (the registry at 61 Surplus has been fulfilled). To start building Baby McDowell's library, please bring a book instead of a card. The nursery theme is travel/adventure and colors are brown, gray and white with accents of teal and mustard yellow.

**BACM:** Bring **instant potatoes, rice noodles, helpers and shampoo/conditioner** for the month of September and drop into the box by our white giving tree. You may bring other food or grocery supplies also. It would be helpful to get into the habit of buying a few extra items when you do your grocery shopping.

**MENNONITE MISSION PRAYER REQUEST:** Today, Mennonite Church USA congregations are invited to celebrate Peace Sunday with resources created by Mennonite Mission Network's Peace and Justice Support Network. Pray for God's wisdom as we challenge the violence that continues to be our culture's all-too-frequent response to conflict.