

# Shalom Mennonite Church

May 22, 2016

## **The Spirit of Pentecost**

*Hearing devices are available from an usher or the sound booth.*

### **Gathering in God's Presence**

#### **Welcome**

#### **Gathering Music and Processional**

*We carry in a flame, the Bible and a prayer cloth. May we trust the Light to guide us, the Word to teach us, and prayer to knit our lives together with God as we begin our time of worship.*

*I have decided to follow Jesus*

#### **Hymn STJ 19**

*I will call upon the Lord*

#### **Call to Worship HWB 670**

Lefuarn Harvey

#### **Prayer**

Sandy Miller

#### **Songs**

*Everyday is a Good Day  
Somebody prayed for me*

### **Proclaiming the Word**

#### **Children's Time**

Sandy Miller

*Nursery care for young children is available through the end of the service.*

#### **Songs**

*The Lord our God  
Be Still and Know that I am God*

#### **Scripture Reading**

Acts 2:1-22, 46-47

#### **Quiet Reflection**

*The periods of silence will begin and end with the ringing of a chime.*

#### **Sermon**

Ann Jacobs

#### **Quiet Reflection**

### **Responding to the Word**

#### **Hymn HWB 546**

*Guide my feet*

#### **Gathering our Gifts**

#### **Sharing Time and Introductions**

*During this time in the service we welcome visitors, invite responses to the worship service, hear about the work of our Ministry Teams, and share prayer concerns and joys. Please sign the Welcome Pages (black books) in the pews so we can learn each other's names.*

#### **Prayers of the People**

### **Going Forth to Serve**

#### **Sharing Our Joyful Work**

#### **Benediction**

#### **Hymn STJ 73**

*The Lord lift you up*

## Our Welcoming Statement

We embrace all people in the name of Christ. Everyone is a unique creation in the image of God. We are an open and affirming congregation that seeks to follow Jesus. We welcome into full participation in the life and ministry of the church, people of every race, immigration status, culture, age, gender identity, sexual orientation, ability, education, economic status, and life situation. We welcome diverse perspectives as we gather around God's table together.

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9:30 am – Sunday School

10:45 am – Worship

## Upcoming Services

**May 29 – Pastor Sara's Farewell; Rachel Ringenberg Miller** will preach on Psalm 139:1-18, and Colossians 3:12 -17.

**June 5** – We will begin our summer sermon series looking at The Lord's Prayer. **Rachel Ringenberg Miller** will preach on the phrase "Our Father."

**June 12** – The Senior High Youth will lead us in worship and share stories from their service weekend.

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Greeters: Patrice Flaming, Melanie Zuercher, Dick & Mary Rempel  
Nursery Workers: Andrea Yoder Graber, Jen Andres  
Musicians: Members of Work in Progress, Lela Mae Sawatzky  
Members of Work in Progress: Ann Jacobs, Lefuarn Harvey, Sandy Miller  
Visual Arts: Marlene Smucker  
Sound & Closing: Russ Neufeld  
Church Board Chair: Debbie Schmidt

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## Church Staff

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