

New Holland Mennonite Church

May 16, 2021 • Volume 66, No. 20
Sunday School: 9 a.m. Worship: 10:00 a.m.



Scripture Summary: The Lord does all good things that we cannot or will not do. No matter what we do or where we are, God remains faithful and acts diligently within this world. We can praise God for the miraculous and merciful things God does for God's children.

Gathering & Praising God

You Say (by Lauren Daigle)
Call to Worship/Prayer
Based on Psalm 148
Shout to the Lord (VT 125)

Dancer Danika Snader
Bryan Hower

Hearing God's Voice

Conversation with Children
Scripture: Psalm 146
Sermon: "Psalms of Praise"

Lois Zimmerman

Pastor Dawn Ranck-Hower

Responding

For the beauty of the earth (WB 89)
Sharing and Announcements
Congregational Prayer

Brenda Martin Hurst

Sending

10,000 Reasons (VT 111)
Benediction/Body Prayer

played by Bethel Church
Pastor Dawn Ranck-Hower

Upcoming Events

All activities are on zoom unless otherwise stated.

Tuesday, May 18: "Sprouts for Peace Garden" work, 6 p.m.

Saturday, May 22: Rest for the Weary Silent Retreat,
9 a.m.-noon, **RSVP by Wednesday, May 19**

Sunday, May 23, Pentecost Worship

Meet in back yards at 9:30 a.m. for light breakfast & worship
RSVP by Sunday, May 16.

Sunday, June 6: 10 a.m. Worship by Zoom

Sunday, June 13, 10 a.m. OUTDOOR worship

Sunday, June 20: 10 a.m. Worship by Zoom

Sunday, June 27, 10 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary!!!

May 9

Attendance: 40

Church Offering: \$3,670.00

Church News

“I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord” (Psalm 122:1) We are planning to worship again in person in the sanctuary beginning on **June 27 (NOTE NEW DATE!)** Thanks to each of you who filled out the survey and for the many who volunteered to help with the cleaning following the worship service. We are working to upgrade our video capabilities so that we can continue to share the worship services through zoom for those who are unable to attend. Specific details about the in-person worship services will be shared in June based on the CDC guidelines that are available then.

Rest for the Weary: Silent Retreat: Saturday, May 22. 9 a.m. - Noon, Led by Pastor Dawn, outdoors at the church. Space to BE, and to open yourself— your soul, your eyes, your ears— to the One who IS, who lives in us, surrounds us, carries us, calls to us, calls us by name, knows us and loves us deeply. **RSVP to Pastor Dawn by Wednesday, May 19.**

Pentecost Worship: May 23: The Leadership Team is planning for folks to meet at 9:30 a.m. at different homes of people in the congregation. About 8 people will gather around a fire pit or a circle in the back yard. A simple breakfast will be provided. A worship leader will lead the group through the worship service that is provided by Pastor Dawn. **Please RSVP by Sunday, May 16, even if you do not plan to attend.**

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