



July 17, 2022 • Volume 67, No. 28  
Worship: 10:00 a.m.

## Care of the Land

### Worship at Douglas Miller Home

2249 California Rd, Morgantown, PA

Bring lawn chairs. There is no Zoom of this service.

#### Order of Worship

Welcome & Prayer	Ruth Douglas Miller
<i>How Great Thou Art</i>	Ruth Douglas Miller, Keith Miller,
<i>I Sing the Mighty Power of God</i>	Jenn Esbenshade
Poem: First the Wind upon the Water	Mike Good
Seeing the Diversity of Living Things Around Us	Ruth Douglas Miller, Keith Miller,
Scripture Readings	Mike Good
Psalm 104 (verses 1, 10-18, 27-32)	
Psalm 148	
Job 38-39 (verses 38:39-41, 39:1-12, 26-27)	
Naming Creation: Genesis 1-2	Keith Miller
Destroying God's Good Creation	Wade & Jenn Esbenshade
Poem: Above the Moon Earth Rises	Mike Good
<i>This is God's Wondrous World</i>	
Sharing and Announcements	Pastor Dawn Ranck-Hower
Farewell to Elsa Lantz	
Prayer of the People & Prayer for Tithes and Offerings	
Benediction	Wade Esbenshade

**Greeters:** Michele, Ellie, Maggie Good  
**Count Offering:** Wanda Gonzalez-Bortzel

#### July 10

**Attendance Total:** 30 ( No Zoom); **Church Offering:** \$3,250.00

#### July 24: Worship at Church

**Led by:** Francy Bailey, Wade Esbenshade, Mike Good,  
Gloria Hartley, Ruth Douglas Miller, Keith Miller

**Coffee/Greeters/Close:** Jim & Evelyn Bailey

**Sound:** Davin & Kai Esbenshade

**Count Offering:** Francy Bailey & Wanda Gonzalez-Bortzel

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

All events are at New Holland Mennonite Church unless otherwise indicated

**Garden work: Tuesday evenings: 6 p.m.**

**July 24: Worship at Church**

**July 31: Worship at Brubaker Park** (Beaver Lodge Pavilion)

**NOTE: 7 p.m.** (bring food & eat together at 5:30 p.m.)

**August 7: Bus Trip to African American Museum**

Washington, DC, 7 a.m.-9 p.m. (No worship at NHMC)

**August 13: Men's Prayer Breakfast: 7 a.m.** (Eli's Restaurant)

**August 14: Visit Church where you are racial minority**

**August 20: Simulation" "You Got Booked" 6:30-8 p.m.**

(Childcare not provided)

**August 21: Simulation: "Loss of Turtle Island" 9:30-11:30**

**a.m** (Children's programming provided)

**August 28: 9:30 a.m. Brunch; 10:00 a.m. "What have we**

**learned?"** (Children's programming provided)

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**July 18:** Evan Morales

**July 22:** Francy Bailey

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

**July 17:** Dawn Kaczor & Steven Lantz

## Church News

**Vacation:** Pastor Dawn and Bryan will be visiting Erica Shirk and national parks in Oregon and Washington from July 17-August 4. Please contact Lois Zimmerman with pastoral care concerns over this time.

**Budget Update:** Our contributions for the first half of 2022 are down from previous years. We are currently \$5,083 behind for the year (as of July 9).

**Membership Transfer:** Bob & Anna Mae Weaver are transferring their membership to Mellinger Mennonite Church.

**CrossNet Ministries “Student Backpack Giveaway:”** We will be collecting backpacks and school supplies during the month of July. Pick up a flyer in the lobby or go to the church website for list of items needed. <https://www.newhollandmc.org/missions>

**July 24: Care of the Water:** At church at 10:00 a.m. Katie Ruth from Interfaith Partners for the Chesapeake will speak about efforts to save the Bay including water runoff, where it comes from, where it goes, how to keep it clean and full of life, and why we should care. This service can be accessed by Zoom. (Planned by Franci Bailey, Wade Esbenshade, Mike Good, Gloria Hartley, Ruth Douglas Miller, Keith Miller). **NOTE: Bring a cup or mug to the service for a water ritual.**

**July 31: Care of the Air: 7 p.m.!** at Brubaker Park, 423 Brown Rd, East Earl, PA. Come any time in the afternoon to enjoy the walking trails through the woods around wetlands or the playground areas. Pack food to eat together in the Beaver Lodge Pavilion at 5:30 p.m. Worship together in the fresh air at 7 p.m. Bring chairs. Note: This pavilion is easily accessible by car. There is no Zoom for this worship service. There is no worship at New Holland Mennonite on July 31. (Planned by Ray Hurst, Elsa Lantz, Jen Morales, Karina Morales, Tom Miller, Sean Reese.)

**August 7: Bus Trip to Washington, DC.** Arrive at church by 6:45 a.m.

**August 14: Visit a church where you are a racial minority.**  
Sign up: [www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48aaae23a6f49-sign](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48aaae23a6f49-sign)

**August 20: Simulation: “You Got Booked”: 6:30-8 p.m.** Led by representatives from Mennonite Central Committee (MCC). Grade 6 through Adult. Childcare not provided. In the U.S. 2.3 million people, including disproportionate numbers of people of color, migrants and people with mental illnesses, are locked up in federal and state prison, as well as local jails – a problem often referred to as mass incarceration. Although the learning activity uses some game elements, the experience quickly becomes sobering. As teams move through the spaces, the leader reads statistics and facts that show the discrimination that real people, like the characters they are assigned, face. Open to church folk and friends. (15-35 people). **Sign up by August 14:**  
[www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48aaae23a6f49-saturday](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48aaae23a6f49-saturday)

**August 21: Simulation: “Loss of Turtle Island”: 9:30-11:30 a.m.** Led by representatives from Mennonite Central Committee (MCC). Grade 6 through Adult. Children’s worship provided. The Doctrine of Discovery is the theological, philosophical and legal framework established by the Christian Church that gave European governments moral and legal rights to invade and seize Indigenous lands and dominate Indigenous peoples. The Loss of Turtle Island is a participatory learning experience that depicts the historic relationship between European settlers—including Mennonites—and the Indigenous nations, the original inhabitants, of the land we now call the United States of America. Invite friends. (20-200 people). **Sign up by August 14.**  
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**August 28: What have we learned? Where do we go from here? 9:30 a.m. brunch; 10:00 a.m. worship.** Grade 6 through Adult worship and process around tables. Children’s worship provided.

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