Chicago Community Mennonite Church

January 11, 2015 ✢ Faith on the Move: Running

Gathering

Prelude

Call to Worship

 **Many: Come, Lord,**

 **Be fragrant to us,**

 **Draw us to your loveliness**

 **Work upon us.**

 **Let us run to you.**

HWB 7 *Here, O Lord, your servants gather*

Welcome

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Prayer for Peace

Praising

Isaiah 40:28-31

*Arise, Shine*

Children’s Time

*Let the children come to me; let the children come. Never hinder them; never stop them. O let the children come.*

Receiving God’s Word

Psalm 62:5-12

HWB 545 *Be thou my vision*

Mark 1:14-20

 One: For the word of God in scripture,
for the word of God among us,
for the word of God within us,

 **All: thanks be to God.**

Meditation

Responding

*May the mind of Christ my Savior*

Offering

STJ 60 *Lord of all good*

Sharing

Prayer

Sending

Announcements

STJ 73 *The Lord lift you up*

Benediction

 One: The blessing of God,

 the Shalom of God,

 the wildness and warmth of God.

 be among us and between us now and always

 **Many**: **The divine Spirit dwells in us.**

 ***All: Thanks be to God!***

Extinguishing the Peace Candle

 **One: Now the light of Christ is in you.**

 All: Thanks be to God.

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| Worship Participants Worship Leader: Linda Becker Meditation: Brooke Hutchison Song Leader: Glenn Martin Klaassen Pianist: Joanne Zimmerly Altar: Antonia Kam |

Announcements

**Second Hour Faith in Motion Series—Running:** Second Hour today offers two options: a winter run of varying lengths (2-5 miles) or a discussion of the service's theme of “Faith on the Move” (how we worship God with our bodies). Both groups will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 11 AM.

**Annual MLK Day Worship, Sun Jan 18, 10:00 AM:** Come worship with our sister churches! Our guest preacher will be Rev. Samuel Sarpiya, pastor of Rockford Community Church (a new Church of the Brethren congregation). Pastor Sarpiya will also be leading the Community Nonviolence Training Sat, Jan 24. Worship will be followed by a potluck feast.

**Pastor Megan’s Travel Schedule:** As part of her continuing education, Pastor Megan is participating in the Music and Worship Leaders Retreat at Laurelville Mennonite Church Center this weekend. She returns to the office Monday January 12.

**MLK Day Celebration and Public Meeting, Sat Jan 17, 9:30 AM – 2 PM:** Reclaim Chicago and Southsiders Organized for Unity and Liberation (SOUL) host this event at The Grand Ballroom (6351 S Cottage Grove Ave, Chicago) to organize neighbors to join the fight for racial and economic equality. Reclaim Chicago will showcase its progressive candidates for Chicago City Council and send canvassers out to door knock and phone bank to solicit votes.Register at mlkchicago.com and RSVP with Rachael Weasley (rachael.weasley@gmail.com), facilitating carpooling as needed.

**Save the Date: Annual Church Retreat, Feb 14-15:** Mark your calendars and plan to join the fun at Camp Menno Haven in Tiskilwa, IL. Church will not meet in Chicago that weekend. All are welcome!

**Christian Peacemaker Teams Prayer for Peacemakers:** Pray for the farmers and their crops in El Guayabo, Colombia. Pray for Palestinians and their territory. Pray for Turtle Island and the Indigenous peoples in Canada. Pray for the displaced people in Iraqi-Kurdistan. Pray for the work that CPT is starting in Europe.

Schedule

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|  | **Today** | **Next Sunday** |
| **Greeter:** | Justin Riegsecker | Jason Gerig |
| **Nursery:** | Brian PaffRochelle Martin Klaassen | Tim SchulerLinda Becker |
| **Fellowship:** | Russell Johnson  | Katie VanderHeide |
| **Welcome Table:** | Derek BeckerHannah Klaassen | Potluck |



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