

### **Membership and Church Practices:**

If you are interested in membership at Chapel Hill Mennonite Fellowship, or if you have questions about church practices such as communion, baptism and reconciliation, please talk with one of our deacons:

Michael Lee

Tana Liu-Beers

Nick Plummer

**From the Deacons:** As we continue to feel the stresses of life and the pandemic, please speak to a deacon if you need financial assistance to access individual or family therapy services. And let us know how we can pray for you or support you in other ways.

### **Communication Information:**

For church-related communications, please subscribe to our **email list**. To sign up, contact Nick Plummer.

Our **website** has more information about our faith and worship, as well as the text of previous sermons: <https://chapelhillmennonite.org>.

Please direct all other questions to [chmennonite@gmail.com](mailto:chmennonite@gmail.com).

### **Relationships:**

Chapel Hill Mennonite Fellowship is a member of Central District Conference, a regional conference of Mennonite Church USA.

Our Mennonite Network is a member of the NC Council of Churches, which supports efforts in our state to care for our neighbors. Links to follow these efforts can be found at [www.ncchurches.org](http://www.ncchurches.org).

This congregation contributes to the Inter-Faith Council of Chapel Hill and Open Table Ministry of Durham.

Our congregation is also a member of the Supportive Communities Network, an LGBTQ-led Anabaptist-Mennonite association of congregations. Details on the SCN can be found here: <http://www.bmcgbt.org/scn.shtml>

## **Chapel Hill Mennonite Fellowship**

**July 31, 2022**



*“Set your mind on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God.”*

Colossians 3:2-3

Song Leader: Eric Hochstetler  
Worship Leader: Sandra Vander Linde  
Childcare: Sidney King, Michael Lee

### **Gathering for Worship**

Welcome and Call to Worship Sandra Vander Linde

Leader: We gather in preparation,

**People: for good news is about to be proclaimed.**

Leader: We gather in expectation,

**People: for joy and song is about to break forth in our midst.**

Leader: We gather in celebration,

**People: for we are people who say yes to the manger, yes to the One incarnate for others, yes to the wholeness of God.**

**All: In preparation and expectation, let us celebrate with song.**

Opening Hymns

VT 25 *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* Eric Hochstetler

VT 390 *In Christ There is No East or West*

Congregational prayer Sandra Vander Linde

VT 987 G. & 989 C.

### **Proclaiming the Word**

Psalms 49:1-12 TBD

Hymns chosen by the congregation Eric Hochstetler

Colossians 3:1-11 Steve Jolley

Luke 12:13-21

Hymns chosen by the congregation Eric Hochstetler

### **Responding to the Word**

Congregational response, sharing, & prayer Stacy Miller

Introductions and announcements Sandra Vander Linde

Closing Hymn Eric Hochstetler

Benediction

### **Next Week:**

		<u><b>Scripture</b></u>
Plan:	MaryJo Lehman	Psalms 50:1-8, 22-23
Hymns:	Tom Lehman	Isaiah 1:1, 10-20
Cong Prayer:	Erin Mullaney	Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
Sermon:	Michael Lee	Luke 12:32-40
Sharing:	Zach Yordy	
Childcare:	Sandra Vander Linde, Laura Rosenberger	
Snack:	Tana Liu-Beers	

### **Announcements**

**Pastoral Search:** The church has created a Pastoral Search Committee to find a replacement for our pastor of 16 years, Isaac Villegas. Search committee members include Kathy Roberts (chair), Steve Jolley, Erin Mullaney, Zach Yordy, and Rebecca Rich. They will regularly update and involve the congregation at appropriate times in the process. Please contact any of them with ideas or questions!

**Participate:** CHMF encourages any regular attendee to participate in the service. We have rotating worship planners, song leaders, preachers, prayer leaders, response/sharing leaders, Scripture readers, Sunday school teachers, and childcare volunteers. If you would like to be added to one or more of these lists, please contact Steve Jolley, chair of the worship committee. [stevewjolley@gmail.com](mailto:stevewjolley@gmail.com)

**Tithes and Offerings:** We collect our offerings on the first Sunday of the month. After that, checks may be mailed to our treasurer, Steve Jolley.

### **Calendar**

August 7 – Tithes and Offerings collected

September 4 – CHMF 20th Anniversary Celebration