### 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 the pastor or one of our deacons:

Michael Lee

Tana Liu-Beers

Nick Plummer

Thomas Lehman

### 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 any other questions to chmennonite@gmail.com.

## **Relationships:**

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

Our congregation 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 <a href="https://www.ncchurches.org">www.ncchurches.org</a>.

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.bmclgbt.org/scn.shtml

# **Chapel Hill Mennonite Fellowship**

October 16, 2022



"And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? ... I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

Luke 18:7-8

Song Leader: Xaris Martínez Worship Leader: Aspen Yordy Childcare: Rebecca Rich & Jen Peifer

### **Gathering for Worship**

Welcome and Call to Worship VT #855

VT #182: I Sing the Mighty Power of God

VT # 38: Life-Giver, Maker, God of All

Congregational prayer Chris Liu-Beers

## **Proclaiming the Word**

Psalm 119:97-104 Cara Neufeld Smith

Jeremiah 31: 27-34 Samir Knego

\*VT #377: New Earth, Heavens New

Luke 18:1-8 Ziva Rosenberger Mauro

Sermon Stacy Miller

### Responding to the Word

VT #628: What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Congregational response, sharing, & prayer Aspen Yordy

Introductions and announcements

VT #636: Spirit, Open My Heart

Benediction

Next Week: Scripture

Plan: Mary Jo Lehman Psalm 65 Sermon: Thomas Lehman Joel 2:23-32

Songs: Eric Hochstetler 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Prayer: Michael Lee Luke 18:9-14

Sharing: Emma Serrano

Childcare: Stacy Miller & Sandra Vander Linde

Snack: Rich/Hochstetler

#### **Announcements**

**Pastoral Search:** Isaac Villegas concluded pastoral ministry at CHMF in May 2022. The church has created a Pastoral Search Committee to find a replacement. 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 Aspen Yordy, interim coordinator. We would welcome your help with worship.

**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

October 30 - All Saints Remembrance/Potluck

November 6 – Offering

November 13 – Sunday School

November 20 – Sunday School; Communion Preparation

November 27 – Communion/**Potluck** 

<sup>\*</sup> Children who have not yet started kindergarten are welcome to meet at the entrance doors for childcare at this time.