

Prayers and Praises

Charlottesville: We pray for the Spirit of the Resurrection in our city: For all the citizens in the city, for our schools, schoolboards, administrators, teachers and children. For an end to racism and racial prejudice.

VMMissions: Pray that the right youth will attend a youth conference in South Asia for believers from a Muslim background. Pray for national unity among Jesus' followers. Lift up Jacob and Hosanna as they assist the local community.

Mennonite Mission Network: Praise God for collaboration among eight Mennonite mission agencies to create the Inter-Mennonite Kasai Relief Fund, which has permitted 700 families displaced by violence in the Democratic Republic of the Congo to plant crops and to raise pigs. Pray for healing and peace in this region.

Pray for the local services for people in need: Love Inc., Shelter for Help in Emergency, Food Bank, Salvation Army, IMPACT – a justice ministry and PACEM- the initiative for the homeless.



Charlottesville
Mennonite
Church

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9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
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Third Sunday after Epiphany January 27, 2019

Gathering in God's presence

Preservice Music

Call to worship

One: The Spirit of God is upon us.

People: We are called to be God's people.

One: The Spirit of God is upon us.

People: We are called to be the body of Christ.

One: Come let us worship God,

who binds us together in love and service.

Opening prayer

Hymns	Holy Spirit come with power	HWB 26
	Wonderful grace of Jesus	HWB 150

Noticing God's presence

Children's story

Scripture Luke 4:14-21

Confession

Hymn Lord Jesus, you shall be my song STJ 14

Scripture Luke 4:14-21

Sermon

Hymn Nothing is lost on the breath of God STS 121

Responding to God's presence

Sharing of joys and concerns / visitor introductions

Pastoral Prayer

Offering Praise God HWB 119

Hymn Dona Nobis Pacem HWB 346

Benediction

Today

Sermon: Roy Hange
Worship: Maren Hange
Music: Dottie Scott

Next Week

Maren Hange
Roy Hange
Linda Patchel

This Week

Jan 31 Race and Religion dinner 6 pm
Feb 3 Communion
Alderfer Superbowl party

Upcoming Events

Feb 5 Men's Breakfast at Bodo's on Preston 7 am
Feb 12 BOE 7:15 pm
Feb 17 Fellowship Meal
Feb 20 Lectio Divina Group 10 am
Feb 20 Ad Council 7 pm

Announcements

Please email all bulletin announcements by Thursday evening to Linda. Please include the word "Bulletin" in the subject line of the heading.

CMC has a **Brotherhood Fund** to help with financial needs of those in our congregation who have a financial need due to a job loss, illness or other circumstances. Please consider a donation to this fund in this new year.

There were walking tours last fall hosted by UVA's Center for Christian Study. The tours detailed Charlottesville's racial history. These tours were recorded, and additional interviews were compiled for a documentary series called **Race and Place in Charlottesville**. During the month of February, there will be an episode of the documentary released each weekday. Check out the project's website for more information!
<https://www.studycenter.net/race-place-cville>

Panel Discussion on U.S./Mexico Border, Jan 29, 7 p.m., Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church. In December, lawyers and clergy from Charlottesville went to Tijuana to provide assistance to members of the latest migrant caravan. Join them to hear about what they saw, and to hear from Maria Chavalan Sut about what it's like to be in ICE detention. The discussion will feature: Maria Chavalan Sut, Guatemalan woman living in sanctuary in Cville. Kristin Clarens, lawyer, Rev. Brittany Caine-Conley, Congregate Cville, Rev. Isaac Collins, Wesley Memorial UMC. There will be time for audience Q&A, and a handout of ways to plug in to local efforts to assist migrants in and moving through our community.

Ridge Schuyler, Dean of Community Self-Sufficiency Programs at PVCC, heads the Network2Work program which works with businesses, community leaders, and local organizations to identify jobs that, with training and comprehensive support services, can enable low-skilled adults to secure jobs and provide self-sufficiency for these individuals. **Network2Work is now in dire need of "Navigator Peers" or mentors** who will work with over 200 individuals enrolled in the program. Navigator Peers check in with program participants, encourage them, and assist with applications and transportation to appointments and other needed support. If your members of your congregation would like to volunteer, please contact Ridge RSchuyler@pvcc.edu.

January Memory Verse: *Thus says the LORD: Stand at the crossroads, and look, and ask for the ancient paths, where the good way lies; and walk in it, and find rest for your souls.*
Jeremiah 6:16

