

Prelude to Worship

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Interlude

Candle Lighting

* Call to Worship STS 155

* Opening Prayer

PRAISING GOD

* Hymn *Come let us all unite to sing* HWB 12

Prayer of Confession STS 172

PROCLAIMING

Scripture Reading Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-24

Hymn *Will you come and follow me* STS 39

Scripture Reading Matthew 25:1-13

Sermon

Reflection

RESPONDING

* Hymn *Let us talents and tongues employ* STS 123

Communion

Offering and Offertory

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

SENDING

* Sending Hymn *Go my friends in grace* STS 57

* Benediction

Postlude

* *All who are able are invited to stand where indicated.*
Our worship ends after the postlude; please remain seated.

HWB – blue hymnal STS – purple hymnal STJ – green hymnal

Preacher: Charles Bontrager Worship Leader: Roberta Mohr
Accompanist: John Gamin

Welcome to First Mennonite Church If you are new here today, we're glad you can worship with us. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, we welcome you!

Wednesday 6:00pm you are invited to a **Fellowship Meal** in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a potluck dish to share as we become better acquainted in a casual setting.

Next Sunday, November 19th our worship service will be followed by a brown bag lunch and congregational **Planning Meeting**. You are encouraged to stay and participate as we gather ideas and plan our calendar for the coming months.

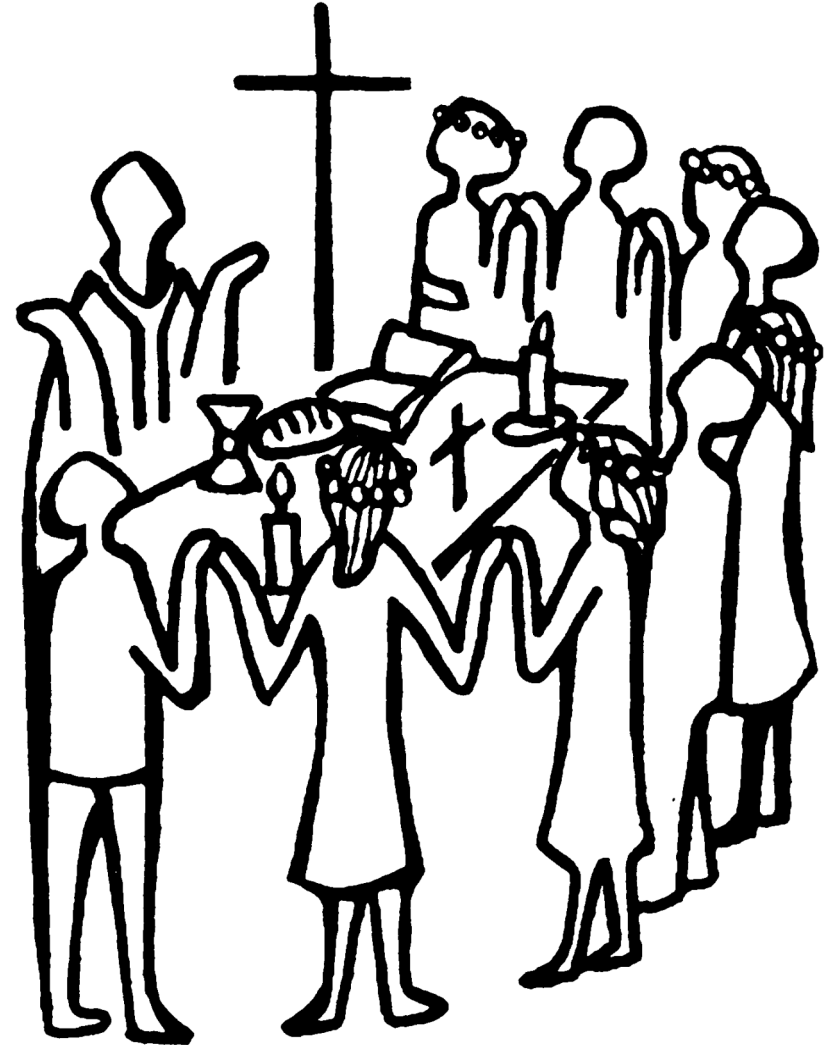
Cantate Singers present "Make Our Garden Grow - Planting seeds of Faith, Hope, and Love", Sunday, Nov. 19, 5pm at Sonnenberg Mennonite Church, 14367 Hackett Rd, Dalton, OH (just north of Kidron).

There are **Salvation Army Angel Tags** on the back window. Please remember not to wrap the gifts, but adding a gift bag or wrapping paper for parents to use is much appreciated. Don't lose any part of the Angel Tag because it is needed for identifying the recipient and the recipient's family. Please have your gifts here at the church by Dec. 13th. If you have any questions, please contact Bobbie.

Our **MISSION** is to welcome all to know Christ's salvation through worship and works of love, peace and justice in service for God.

THIS WEEK November 12 – November 19

- TODAY** 9:30am Sunday School hour
10:45am Worship Service
🕒 Barb Newcomer birthday
- Monday** 🕒 Jack Rohrer
- Wednesday** 6:00pm Potluck Fellowship Meal – all are welcome!
7:00 Worship Team Meeting
- Thursday** *Announcements & calendar items for Sunday due by NOON to: chrischamberlin99@yahoo.com*
- Saturday** 7:00pm Sonnenberg Station –St. Peter's UCC,
68 W. Main St., Apple Creek, OH
- Sunday** 🕒 Shawn Newcomer
9:30am Sunday School hour
10:45am Worship Service
12:00pm Brown Bag Lunch and Planning Meeting
5:00pm Cantate Singers – Sonnenberg Mennonite
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