

Waterloo North Mennonite Church

February 7, 2016, 10:45 a.m.

Stories of Justice and Exile:

Nurturing lives of pacifism and non-violent response

Gathering in God's Presence

Gathering Songs

HWB (blue) #1 What is this place

STJ (green) #57 Mayenziwe (Your will be done)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Today we come back to the worshipping church.

We come with our brokenness.

We come with new stories of grace.

And the cycle continues.

This cycle of worship is essential for a culture of peace.

It heals us,

energizes us,

keeps us on course.

Worship links God's love with our lives

and with God's world

in a swirl of new creation.

Worship is the heart and soul of a culture of peace

immersed in God's world.

We come back

to worship.

(Words adapted from *A Culture of Peace*, Alan Kreider, Eleanor Kreider, and Paulus Widjaja)

Prayer and lighting the Peace lamp

STS (purple) #1 Praise the One who breaks the darkness

Hearing God's Word

Sharing Our Story

Scripture Matthew 5:38-41, Romans 12:18-21

Children's Time

HWB (blue) #407 We are people of God's peace

Sharing our Offering

Sermon: *A Choice*

Responding to God's Call

HWB (blue) #411 I bind my heart this tide

Communion

Congregational Prayer

HWB (blue) #226 You are salt for the earth

Benediction

Worship Participants

Song leader

Lynn Rempel

Pianist

Anita Fieguth

Worship leader/Children's Time

Carmen Brubacher

Story Telling

Ruth Dueck Mbeba

Scripture readers

Dave and Andrew Willms

Musicians Janice Maust Hedrick, Tessa Hedrick, Naomi Willms

Sermon

Gordon Allaby

Congregational Prayer

Ben Cassels

Sound

Kevin Lanctot

Ushers

John Good, Christine Weber

Childcare

Infants to Age 4 – Staffed Childcare is available during worship in Nursery located outside the sanctuary. Ushers are available to assist you.

Head sets are available, from the ushers, for hearing assistance.

Information Sheets with church news and activities are available on table in foyer for those who do not receive them electronically.

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