

10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

11:15 a.m. Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Worship Response.

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Rockway Senior Choir
"Trust for the Journey"
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Gathering

Prelude
 Introit "From the Rising of the Sun" (John Bell)
 Call to Worship
 Opening Prayer
 Hymn of Praise STJ #2 Hamba nathi (Come, walk with us)
 Choir "Thou Shalt Know Him" (Mark Sirett)
 Offering and Offertory "Andante" (Mendelssohn)
 Children's Offering *(Children are invited to place their offerings in the bowl at the front of the sanctuary.)*
 Prayer of Thanks
 Announcements

Engaging the Word

Hymn STJ #78 Sizohamba naye / We will walk with God
(Children come forward at this time.)
 Maya Morton Ninomiya, Maya Allemang, Maia Hadden
 Children's Time
 Student Sharing
 Scripture Readings Psalm 133; 1 Thessalonians 5:12-14;
 Hebrews 10:24, 25, 32-39
 Hymn HWB #553 I am weak and I need thy strength
 Sermon "Encouragement Among the Kindred"

Sending

Hymn of Response STJ #94 Blest are they
 Choir "Sound of Silence" (Simon and Garfunkel)
 "Turn the World Around"
 (Belefonte and Freedman, arr. Farrow)
 Sharing Of Joys and Concerns
 Congregational Prayer
 Sending Hymn HWB #546 Guide my feet
 Benediction
 Postlude

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Worship Bags are available in the foyer for families with children two years of age and up. There are also Worship Bags available for visitors. A few additional items (crayons, activity books and story books) are available from the bench beneath the Worship Bags.

Leading Us In Worship:

Worship Leader: Mark Diller Harder **Message:** Charles Kruger
Song Leaders: Marlys Neufeldt, Kate Strathdee, Vivian Chau
Pianists: Vivian Chau, Sophia Heidebrecht, Jonathan Cressman
Student Sharing: Maya Allemang
Scripture Readers: Leah Shapansky, Anya Fieguth
Instrumentalists: Thea Andres, Tessa Hedrick, Luke Klassen, Ty Cowell

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We are pleased to welcome the Rockway Mennonite Collegiate Senior Choir to our worship service this morning. They are directed by the Rockway Music Department Head Marlys Neufeldt. Charles Kruger, English Department Head, will share the sermon.

We welcome visitors to our service this morning. Please sign our guest book located in the foyer.

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Nursery**Infants to Age 6** (Upstairs Nursery)

Nursery Information: A nursery is available for infants to 6 years of age during the worship service. For the children's safety and to assist volunteers, we ask that children do not come and go independently.

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Reminder:

Today - 3:00 p.m. "Amahl and the Night Visitors" Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
 - 6:00 p.m. **Informal Potluck Supper and Sharing with Wendy, Chip, Levi and Kai upon their return from Benin.** Please bring food to share and your own table service. (Basement)

Worship Service - Sunday, November 26, 2017**Nov. 26 Regular Worship Schedule.**

- 10:00 a.m. **Worship.** Eternity Sunday. Speaker: Wendy Janzen.
- 11:15 a.m. **Sunday School - Age 2-Gr. 8** (Gathering Room)
- 11:30 a.m. **Worship Response.**
 - **Youth** (Youth Room)
 - **Adults** (Basement)

* St. Jacobs Mennonite Church regularly uses 3 hymnals in our worship service. They are identified as:
 HWB - *Hymnal: A Worship Book* (blue); STJ - *Sing the Journey* (green); STS - *Sing the Story* (purple).