

ERB STREET MENNONITE CHURCH

Order of Worship

Sunday July 23, 2023

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

(Adapted from Psalm 100)

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord all the earth.

People: Come into God's presence with singing.

Leader: Know that the Lord is good;

**People: God has made us, we are God's people,
we are the sheep of God's pasture.**

Leader: Enter into God's gates with Thanksgiving;

People: Enter God's courts with praise.

All: Give thanks to God. Bless God's name.

***The Lord is good. God's steadfast love endures
forever. Amen.***

Opening Prayer

Gathering Hymn *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore* **VT 283**

Story Circle

Hymn

Spirit of God! Descend

VT 557

Silent Prayer of Attention

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 4:1, 5-11, 16-18

Interview

"Frail and Glorious"

Questions and Brief Discussion

Hymn of Response

Thuma Mina

VT 834

Congregational Prayer

Announcements

Hymn of Sending

In the Rifted Rock I'm Resting

VT 619

Benediction

Postlude

PARTICIPANTS

Worship Leader:

Richard Kennel

Accompanist:

Therese Schattman

Story Circle:

Richard Kennel

Scripture Reader:

Dorothy MacBride

Speaker:

Marg Hull

Congregational Prayer:

Richard Kennel

Sound:

Eric Wildfong

Tech Host:

Joe Wildfong

Ushers:

Krista Steinmann & Lena Santomero

**Tú has venido a la orilla
(Lord, You Have come to the Lakeshore)**

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Spirit of God! Descend

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Music: Frederick C. Atkinson (England), 1870, Congregational Church Hymnal, 1887
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Thuma mina (Send Me, Lord)

Text: Zulu; anon. (south Africa); trans. Anon.

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In the Rifted Rock I'm Resting

(Wehrlos und verlassen sehnt sich)

Text: Mary Dagworthy James (SA), Christian Songs for the Sunday School, 1872, rev.

Crystal Notes: A Choice Collection, 1878; German Stanzas Carl Rohl
(Germany), Evangelisches Gesangbuch, 1895

Music: W. Warren Bentley (USA), Beulah Songs; A Choice collection, 1879.
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