

ERB STREET MENNONITE CHURCH
Sunday, January 25, 2026

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

VT 877

All: Come, Holy Spirit,

Leader: enter our silences.

All: Come, Holy Spirit,

Leader: into the depths of our longing.

All: Come, Holy Spirit,

Leader: unmask our pretending.

Enter our trusting,
enter our fearing,
enter our letting go,
enter our holding back.

All: Come, Holy Spirit,

Leader: embrace and free us.

Opening Prayer

Gathering Hymn *In the Garden* (Insert)
(Chosen by Lucille Weber for her 100th birthday on January 25th)

Story Circle

Children's Coin Offering *Siyahamba* **VT 793**

Offertory Prayer*

Silent Prayer of Attention

Scripture Reading Matthew 4:12-23

Sung Scripture Response *Gloria* **VT 94**

Sermon *The Light Spreads*

Hymn of Response *Longing for Light*

VT 715

Congregational Prayer

Worship Music *The Lord's Prayer*

Announcements

Hymn of Sending *Will You Come and Follow Me*

VT 540

Benediction

Postlude

Coffee and cake in the Fellowship Hall.

PARTICIPANTS

Worship Leader:

Tom Bileski

Accompanist:

Yi Ye

Song Leader:

Chloe Shantz

Story Circle:

Rae Reid

Scripture Readers:

Karin Bileski (English)

Sermon:

Glory Kigana (Kinyarwanda)

Congregational Prayer:

Ardith Frey

Worship Music:

Wendy Janzen

Sound:

Merrill Hunsberger and Joanne Bender

Tech Host:

Joe Wildfong

Translator:

Eric Wildfong

Ushers:

Justin Mucuranyana

Greeters:

Robert & Nancy Mann

Paul & Beth Gilbert

Marion Good