

## West Philadelphia Mennonite Fellowship

Sunday, June 03, 2018, 9:00 AM

Worship Leader: Julie Prey

Song Leader: Mark & Sherri Michalovic

Children's storyteller: Christine Waanders

Musician: Jeffrey Knightly

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Nadine Rosechild Sullivan

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### GATHERING SONG

Hymnal #8 Brethren We Have Met to Worship

### CALL TO WORSHIP

(Insert)

### SINGING

Hymnal #306 In Christ There Is No East or West

Hymnal #545 Be Thou My Vision

### PASSING THE PEACE

### BLESSING OF GRADUATES

(Insert)

### OFFERING

Sing the Journey #4 You've Got a Place at the Welcome Table

### CHILDREN'S TIME

### SINGING

Sing the Journey #23 Slowly Turning, Ever Turning

### SCRIPTURE READING: Micah 6:6-8

### SERMON

### SONG OF RESPONSE

Hymnal #407 We Are People of God's Peace

### SHARING & PRAYER

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SINGING

Sing the Journey #106 Just a Closer Walk with Thee

### BENEDICTION

### Announcements

**Dr. Nadine Rosechild Sullivan** is a lecturer, book author, and ordained minister (interfaith). In her keynotes, workshops, and seminars, Dr. Sullivan teaches on diversity, including gender, sexuality, marriage, family, social movements, globalization, immigration, race, and ethnicity.

**During the month of June, our worship themes will be around faith and sexuality,** corresponding to Pride Month. This will be a time to explore again how our Scriptures, faith, and theology lead us to LGBTQ inclusion and justice. As a congregation committed to inclusion, this theme can help us be mindful of the realities the LGBTQ community face, as well as intersectionality (the interconnected pieces of race, sexual orientation, class, gender, etc.) and how that impacts our welcome.

#### Today's schedule:

9-10:30 am - Worship service

10:30-10:45 - Snack in fellowship hall

10:45-12:15 - Seminar with Rev. Nadine in fellowship hall. Childcare in large classroom.

12:15-1 - Fellowship Meal, please bring a dish to share.

**Pastor Carr, of Warton-Wesley UMC has invited us to the event, Stop the Violence, 18<sup>th</sup> District Police Clergy Prayer Walk, June 8, 6pm, 54<sup>th</sup> & Spruce St. Come and Join us as we walk together as a community and stand up against the recent gun violence. The prayer walk route will be 5-6 blocks, stopping at 3 locations along the way to say prayers for the most recent victims of 18<sup>th</sup> District gun violence. There will be a guest speaker and light refreshments along the route. Questions, contact Police Officer Coriolan 215.685.3180**

**End-of-the-year mentor/mentee party at JoAnn and Jo's place next Sunday, June 10th,** starting around 2 PM. Contact Angelina with questions or to RSVP.

**There will be a congregational meeting immediately after worship on Sunday, June 17** for the purpose of affirming Ethan Tan and Sheldon Rich as Elders and Carol Buhrman as Deacon. Child care will be provided.

**Exploring Retirement Group: June 22nd from 7 - 9 PM,** Tim and Carol's house 4708 Kingsessing Ave. Elizabeth has collected information that she will share with us related to senior housing options/models/creative ideas.

**The Mennonite College Assistance Fund** of WPMF supports students from our congregation who attend Mennonite colleges. Next year we will be continuing to support two students: Dillon Hershey at Goshen College and Rebecca Yugga at EMU. The fund provides \$1000 grants each year, which the colleges match. If you would like to support this fund please make a check payable to WPMF and write MCAF in the memo line.

#### Ministry Position Vacancies, 2018-2019:

- 1) **Coffee Servers** - Takes a turn once a month, preparing the coffee for snack time, and cleaning up afterwards. This job can be shared by two people on the same Sunday if desired
- 4) **Adult Education Co-coordinator**- Plans and facilitates Adult Ed, along with Sheri Michalovic, recruiting teachers, facilitating. A two-year commitment is desirable but not essential.
- 5) **Mentor Coordinator**- Organizes the Mentoring program, setting up the mentor pairs, organizing occasional events for the group. This can be a 2 person team.
- 6) **Nursery Coordinator** - Creates the schedule for the nursery. Please contact a member of HRC to get more information, or to volunteer for one of these positions. - Tim Martin Johnson, Elaine Shenk, Matt MacNeill

**This summer, Worship Committee invites you to step into the pulpit!** Choose a Scripture that either inspires, perplexes, or challenges you and open that text up to us as a community to hear God's voice together. If you are interested, contact Pastor Lorie. Here are the open dates: July 15<sup>th</sup> (joint service w/ CUMC in chapel), July 22, July 29, Aug 19, or Aug 26.

**We welcome all people**  
of any ethnicity, race, gender  
identity, age, sexual orientation,  
status, physical or mental ability  
or condition.



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### Today

Greeter: TBD  
Usher: TBD  
Nursery: TBD  
Coffee/Tea: Kathie Sauder  
Snack: Tim Martin Johnson

### Sunday, June 10

Worship Leader: Brent Hershey  
Song Leader: Tim Schellenberg  
Children's Storyteller: Marla Burkholder  
Musician: Elaine Shenk  
Preacher: Lorie Hershey  
Greeter: TBD  
Usher: TBD  
Nursery: TBD

### Sunday, June 17

Worship Leader: Carey Davis  
Song Leader: Brenda Rich  
Children's Storyteller: Sarah Rody  
Musician: Amy Hochstetler  
Preacher: TBD

### Sunday, June 24

Worship Leader: Sheldon Rich  
Song Leader: Peter Horst  
Children's Storyteller: Christine Waanders  
Musician: Tim Martin Johnson  
Preacher: TBD

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### CHURCH CALENDAR

#### June

3: Fellowship meal  
5: Pastoral team meeting  
10: Mentor/mentee end of year party  
12: Church council meeting  
19: Deacon meeting  
28 ARC (Antiracism Committee) meeting

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### NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is provided for children  
(infants - 3 yrs/48 mo) starting after  
Children's Time in our worship service. Two  
adults and a youth helper supervise. No  
nursery care is provided during Sunday  
School. The nursery is located on the lower  
level of the building, past the restroom.

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### OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Lorie will be working Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, and Friday

Dorianna will be working Tuesday,  
Thursday, and Friday

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### Weekly Giving Report

2018 Weekly Budget: \$3,719  
May 27 Giving: \$2,375  
2018 YTD Budget: \$66,391  
2018 Actual: \$72,468



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