Welcome to worship. We are happy you chose to come today. Feel free to join us as we pray, sing, and listen to God speak. We hope that all will sense God's spirit among us and will be eager to return and worship here again.

Our weekly newsletter gives information and announcements about our congregation. Newsletters are on the tables near the north and west entrances to the building.

Children are welcome to pick up a worship bag at the entrances of the sanctuary. Please return the bag and contents after the service.

The children's classes will gather following this service in the basement for Sunday School. All adults are invited to a fellowship time in the fellowship area after the worship service. Following that, we hope you choose to attend one of the Sunday School classes that meets in the Fellowship Hall.

## **WORSHIP WORKERS**

Worship Leader: Rachel Short Song Leader: Joyce Yoder

Ushers: Jerry and Ladonna Andres, Greg Short,

Cal Britsch, Mike Zimmerman **Pianist:** Bonnie Stuckey **Greeters:** Frank & Cara Ulrich, Howard & Carolyn Snyder **Next week:** Charlene Short, Lauren & Helen Bowman

Nursery: Brandi Schnitkey, Darlene King

SS: Karmin & John Brooks

Next week: Lori Bontrager, Bekah Liechty

SS: Michelle & Barnaby Wyse

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## **Zion Mennonite Church**

October 15, 2017

PreludeBonnie StuckeyWelcome and announcementsRachel ShortInterludeThe Bells Call Us to Worship

## Call to Worship:

Leader: Brothers and Sisters, what we say and what we do, matter.

People: Teach us, Lord, to be consistent with our words and in how we live.

Leader: For what good is our faith if it does not produce the fruit of a holy life?

People: Teach us, Lord, to develop consistent habits that draw us closer to You.

Leader: Brothers and Sisters, the way we relate to others demonstrates our faith.

*ALL*: Expand us, Lord, to not only <u>see</u> needs and <u>talk</u> about needs, but to make our response part of the daily rhythm of our lives.

Opening Prayer
Hymns of Praise "We plow the fields and scatter"
"We are people of God's peace"
HWB 407

Offering and Offertory Bonnie Stuckey
Children's Story Jessica Schrock-Ringenberg

**Scripture** James 2:14–26 (The Voice) **Sermon** "Fully Embodied Faith: Bringing Your Whole Self"

Jessica Schrock-Ringenberg

**Response Hymn** "If all you want, Lord" HWB 512 **Prayer for the Church and World** Chris Liechty

Hymn "Gentle Shepherd, come and lead us" HWB 352

BenedictionJessica Schrock-RingenbergSending Song "Now go in peace"STJ 74