

Environment: June through September

The book, *Sadako and the 1000 Paper Cranes* inspired the current environment in our sanctuary. Japanese legend tells us that one who creates a *thousand origami cranes* will be granted a wish. The paper cranes in the sanctuary were folded by CMCL attendees in anticipation of our annual summer Peace School. Many found the process of folding the paper cranes to be prayerful, and meditative. As our congregation lights our peace lamp each Sunday, our collective prayer is for world peace and harmony in relationships.

The Environment Committee: *Gwen Eberly, Rod Shumaker, Nancy Baum and Lynn Sommer*

AUGUST WORSHIP SERVICES

Theme: Recognizing the arts as spiritual and social synergists

Synergy is defined as “the interaction or cooperation of two or more organizations, substances or other agents to produce a combined effect greater than the sum of their separate effects.” *At CMCL we recognize this synergy in the creation of “whole” persons made “in the image of God.”*

One CMCL Core Value, Nourished through worship, states, “We celebrate music and the arts as vital parts of our spiritual practice.”

Each Sunday honors an art form as follows:

- August 5: The Art of Dance, coordinated by Zita Angelo
- August 12: The Art of the Visual, coordinated by Kay Reist
- August 19: The Art of Poetry, coordinated by Joseph Gascho
- August 26: The Art of Storytelling, coordinated by Darrell Yoder

CHURCH INFORMATION

Contact the church office staff at (717) 392-7567 or cmcl@communitymennonite.org.

Worship service: 9:30 a.m. **Christian Ed:** No Christian Ed during summer

Bulletin Announcements: bulletin@communitymennonite.org by 4 p.m., Tuesday

Midweek Announcements: bulletin@communitymennonite.org by 4 p.m., Tuesday

Lead Pastor: Susan Gascho-Cooke—On sabbatical through end of August

Associate Pastor of Youth:

Amanda Stoltzfus (Amanda@communitymennonite.org), Mon and Thu—10 a.m.–4 p.m.

Associate Pastor of Children and Families:

Malinda Clatterbuck (Malinda@communitymennonite.org), Mon and Thu—8:15 a.m.–5 p.m.

Pastoral Team: Carol Spicher, Deb Napolitan, Monte Garber, Luke Good and Naomi Paine

Office staff: Rod Houser (Rod@communitymennonite.org)

Small groups: Church office.

Childcare Coordinators: Kandace Helmuth (Kandace@ptd.net), Michelle Meck (meckmp@aol.com)

CD recordings of past services available upon request to the church office. Audio and text files of sermons are found on CMCL website or through your favorite podcast app.

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COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH OF LANCASTER

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Chicago Spring Festival, 2009

RECOGNIZING THE ARTS AS SPIRITUAL AND SOCIAL SYNERGISTS

THE ART OF DANCE

Prelude “Vido, Vido” (Bulgarian) Recorded

Lighting of Peace Lamp

Welcome & Call to Worship

First Dance Encore Performance Company

“Hold back the River” by James Bay,
contemporary dance, choreography by Emily Kline

Introduction of Dance Service Zita Angelo

Singing Macedonian Song Insert

Second Dance CMCL Dance Team

“Bielolitz Kruglolitz” (Russian)

Children’s Time “Dandelion dance” Zita Angelo

“Löwenzahntanz” (German)

Offertory “András” (Hungarian) Recorded

Third Dance “One Touch” by Nicole Mullen Valerie Henry

Fourth Dance CMCL Dance Team

“Yedid Nefesh/A True Friend” (Israeli)

Fifth Dance Zita Angelo, Valerie Henry, and Sophie Bergey

“Aghcheekneroo Par” (Armenian)

Singing Macedonian Song

Invitation to Dance Macedonian Song Zita Angelo

Closing Dance Valerie Henry

“Pie Jesu Requim” by Andrew Lloyd Webber

Sharing

Where do you sense God moving among us? This is a time to respond to the scripture, music, and message of the morning, and to share joys and concerns from your lives and the greater world.

Announcements

Benediction

Closing Song “Polegnala E Todora” (Bulgarian) Recorded

CMCL Dance Team—Anne Sensenig, Carl Petticoffer, Heidi Beth Wert, Jean Sensenig, Karen Green, Mark Will, Nancy Baum, Sophie Bergey, Valerie Henry, Will Maxey, Zita Angelo

Encore Performance Company from Encore Dance Center—Abby Mingle, Daelynn Valora, Mia Ribich, Sophie Bergey, Tara Neikirk

Worship Leader—Amanda Stoltzfus

Program Coordinator—Zita Angelo

Song Leader—Louise Ranck

Sound Technician—Michael & Aaron Eby-Good

Greeter—Linda Berger

Ushers—Beth Crosby, Andre Chubb, Carolyn Weaver

Child Care

Laura Boll, Darcy Miller

Helper—Anika Hurst

Valerie Henry Bio

Valerie Henry has spent over 25 years performing, choreographing, and teaching in the United States, Australia, Russia, Ukraine, France, and many other nations of the world. For 17 years, she was the soloist and main choreographer for the international dance company Tabernacle, based in Jerusalem, Israel. She has toured Australia, Singapore, Fiji, Russia, and the Ukraine. At The Wesley Institute in Australia, Ms. Henry performed and taught in Melbourne, Sydney, and Tasmania. All of her dance works, though diverse in style, have been based in worship, scripture, and intercession.

Ms. Henry’s interdenominational dance ministry, although global in reach, has always been connected to local community. For 14 years she developed a multigenerational dance ministry near her home, at the Church of the Good Samaritan in Paoli, Pa.

Currently Ms. Henry performs and teaches in Canada, Israel (Christ Church Jerusalem), and the USA. She often serves as a guest artist or adjunct professor while maintaining her own studio Dance Discovery and performing ensemble Dance Mosaic (Zita Angelo has been a guest dancer in this group). She is on staff at the Tabernacle Church in Laurel, Md. a multicultural church where she mentors, teaches all ages, performs, and choreographs.