

Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster is an inclusive, progressive, Mennonite/Anabaptist Christian peace church. We are a member congregation of the Atlantic Coast Conference of Mennonite Church USA, and of the Supportive Communities Network. To read our full covenant, core values and statement on LGBTQ inclusion, as well as more information about our congregation and denomination, please visit our website:
www.communitymennonite.org/about-us/what-we-believe/

CMCL Vision Prayer

Through your grace, O God, form us into a community called to follow Jesus, known and loved by you, nourished throughout our lives by worship, relationships and the biblical story, open to new voices and new dreams, committed to one another in times of celebration and difficulty, responsive to human need with justice and compassion. May your Spirit draw us together into your new creation.

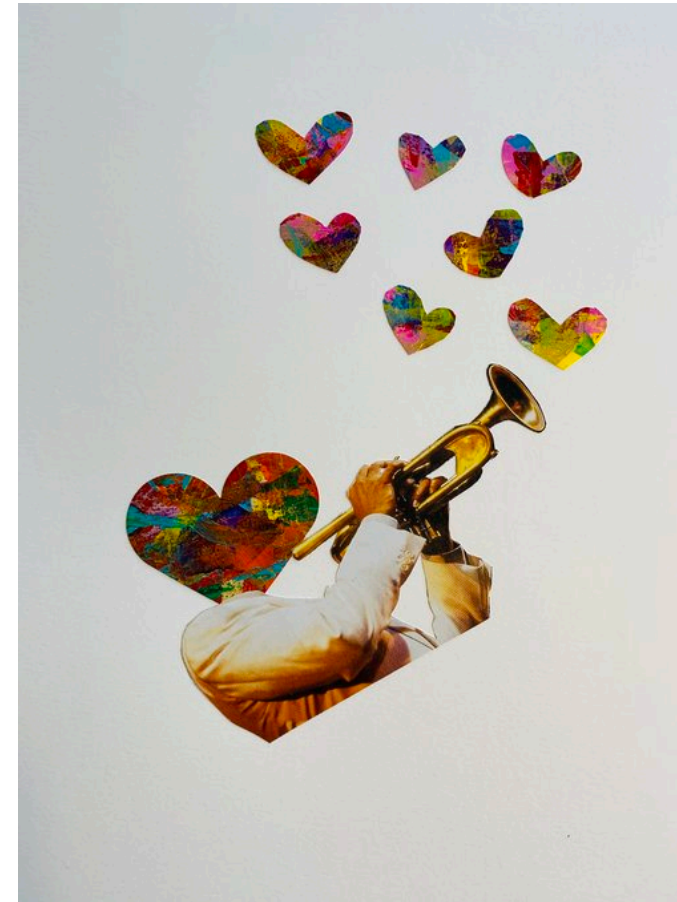
Environment

The creation of the backdrop and peace dove was a collective effort. Mentor/mentee pairs that worked on the backdrop: Kendra Campbell and Greta Shumaker along with mentor mentee pair Kandace Helmuth and Maia Kaufman. Gwen Eberly guided the process. Rod Shumaker did the installation and lighting. Tissue paper collage with wool roving was used to create the backdrop and sewn fabric and handmade paper collage was used for the dove. The displays represent MCC, MEDA and MDS.

The Environment Committee: Gwen Eberly, Rod Shumaker, Dale Martin, and Lynn Sommer

COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH OF LANCASTER

328 West Orange Street, Lancaster, PA 17603
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CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact the church office staff at (717) 392-7567 or cmcl@communitymennonite.org.
Worship service: 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., Christian Ed: 10:00 a.m.
Bulletin Announcements: bulletin@communitymennonite.org by 4 p.m., Wednesday
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Administrative Pastor: Leslie Homer-Cattell, (leslie@communitymennonite.org), Mon–Thu
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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.
If you'd like a mailbox or to be added to our email list, email sallie@communitymennonite.org
To join our closed Facebook Page search for Parrot Nation and request to join.

Jazz Sunday

Worship Leader:
Joseph Gascho

Prelude *When the Saints Go Marching In*
trad. New Orleans

Jazz Band:
Tim Baum
(tenor sax and oboe)
Dean Clemmer
(bass)
Raj Iyengar
(trombone)
Ezra Kauffman
(drummer)
Ryan Kauffman
(saxophone and flute)
Chynaah Maryoung
Cooke
(voice)
Larry Penner
(piano)
Daryl Snider
(soprano sax and vocals)

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Welcome & Call to Worship

To be cool they say
you must like this stuff.
But I am stuck with Amos Herr's
"I Owe the Lord a Morning Song."
Harmonious notes, inscribed
in stolid black on pristine white.

But if he was here today
he'd nod his head and tap his feet
and then go home and sit beneath his cow,
pull milk from teats in syncopated beat,
and croon *I owe....the Lord...
a...morning song.*

—Joseph Gascho

Scripture Psalm 150:1-6

Hallelujah! Praise the Lord in the holy temple;
praise God in the firmament of divine power.
Praise the Lord for mighty acts;
praise God for excellent greatness.
Praise the Lord with the blast of the ram's-horn;
praise God with lyre and harp.
Praise the Lord with timbrel and dance;
praise God with strings and pipe.
Praise the Lord with resounding cymbals;
praise God with loud-clanging cymbals.
Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.
Hallelujah!

Set One *Con Alma, by Dizzy Gillespie*
Christ Upon the Mountain Peak HWB #232
Dear Lord, by John Coltrane

Children's Time

Come and see arr. Kauffman

Offertory/Offering
Money in the Pocket

**Acknowledgement and Celebration of Congregational
Mortgage Payment**

Leslie Homer-Cattell

For our capacity to have and maintain the buildings in which we
meet, **we are grateful.**

For those among us with capacity to give generously financially, **we
are grateful.**

For those among us who keep this building full of busyness and
worship and service, **we are grateful.**

**God, help us continue to be faithful stewards of all that has
been entrusted to us.**

Help us continue to see ways we can give beyond ourselves.

Reading

Set Two *St. Thomas, by Sonny Rollins*
Let There Be Light HWB #371
Redemption Song, by Bob Marley
Sack 'o Woe by Julian Adderley

Sharing & Prayer

*Where do you sense God moving among us?
This is our time to prayerfully respond to the scriptures and the
message of the morning as well as bring joys and concerns from
our lives and greater world.*

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Lord in our gratitude,
Hear our prayer.

Announcements and Introduction of Visitors

Benediction *God Be With You,* HWB #430

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Notice—CMCL
*services are live-streamed from the
front right corner of
the Sanctuary via
FaceTime but are not
recorded. To not be
shown in the stream,
simply avoid walking
in front of the front
right corner.*

All are welcome for
*hot drinks and
fellowship in the
Parrot Gallery
downstairs following
the first worship
service, before and
during Christian Ed.*

Christian Education
for all ages begins
at 10am.

**Visitors and new
attenders, we invite**
*you to fill out the
visitor forms
in the back of the
blue hymnal.
Feel free to drop
them in the offering
basket, or hand them
to an usher as you
leave the service this
morning.*