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If you need help finding the bathroom, the water fountain, kids activity bags, doughnuts during fellowship hour, etc., please ask a pastor or an usher. They will be happy to help!

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For announcements, see the **FMC Weekly** online at fmcdenver.org/weekly.

Welcome to

First Mennonite Church

Denver, CO



Restorative Communities

July 17, 2022

*That you may know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge,
so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.*

We invite you to join the congregation in singing the songs marked with 🎵.

Entering Worship

Prelude Music

Inscription of Hope (ZR Stroope)

Welcome & Announcements

🎵 *Be Thou My Vision* Voices Together 549

Call to Worship VT 902

From: A New Zealand Prayer Book, 1988

Leader: Praise to God who has given us life.

People: Blessed be God for the gift of love.

Leader: Praise to God who forgives our sin.

People: Blessed be God who sets us free.

Leader: Praise to God who kindles our faith.

People: Blessed be God, our strength, our hope.

Passing the Peace

🎵 Call for Children: *Come and See* VT 282

Children’s Time

🎵 *Come and See* VT 282

Invocation

Faith Reflection

Chimes

Scripture 1 Peter 1:8-11

🎵 *We Are One in the Spirit* (vs. 1, 2) VT 387

Meditation “Restorative Communities”

🎵 *We Are One in the Spirit* (vs. 3) VT 387

Chimes

Community & Sharing

Offertory

🎵 *Holy Spirit, Come with Power* VT 57

Benediction

🎵 *There Are Many Gifts* VT 374

Congregational Sharing & Introductions

Pastoral Prayer

🎵 *My Soul Cries Out* VT 412

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**Leadership for this Service**

**Worship Leader:** Darcey VanWagner

**Meditation:** Abby Endashaw, *Summer Service Program National Coordinator, Mennonite Central Committee*

**Song Leader:** Emily Martin

**Children’s Time:** Rachel Barnes

**Sanctuary Arts:** Jennifer Miller

**Sound Tech:** Jorge Fiz

**Video Tech:** Steve Kandelind

**Lead Usher:** Norm Dewhurst

**Cover Art:** “Holy Spirit- God With Us” by Erin Wentorf

**Bulletin & PowerPoint Production:** Marie Voth

*Thanks to all who generously shared their attention and talents to make this service a time of encouragement and challenge in our walk of faith.*

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After the Service

10:45am Fellowship Hour (Community Center)

10:45am Activities for kids ages 0 to 5th grade (south patio)