

October 30, 2022

Worship 9:30am

Fellowship 10:30am

Faith Formation for all ages 10:50am

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Karla Leuenberg and Tresa Hohmann, pianists

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Sallie Page-Goertz

*HYMN VT 5

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

WE LISTEN AND LEARN

MOMENT OF WONDER

Linda Graham

ANTHEM

Be Still and Know (Psalm 46)

Schalk

SCRIPTURE/TEACHING

Joshua 24:14-15

Leah Schwarz
Brian Pauls

HYMN VT 571

O God, We Read the Holy Law

WE RESPOND AND SHARE

SHARING JOY

We welcome the introduction of guests and visitors during this time. One way we get to know one another is by signing the friendship registers. Once the register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

SHARING CONCERNS

PRAYING TOGETHER

Slips of paper are available in the pew racks for those who wish to offer joys and concerns silently and anonymously. These papers, if put in the offering plate, will be placed in the prayer bowl table at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

WE GO INTO THE WORLD WITH LOVE

*HYMN VT 829

Go Now in Peace, Worship Continues

*SENDING

*POSTLUDE

*You are invited to stand

Anthem Text: Psalm 46:10

Be still, and know that I am God.
I am exalted among the nations,
I am exalted in the earth!
Be still and know that I am God.

Note about VT 571, *O God, We Read the Holy Law*:

For churches in some traditions, the last Sunday in October is recognized as Reformation Sunday, a Sunday to remember the events that led to the beginning of the Protestant Church. One of the leaders of the Reformation movement, Martin Luther, was also a musician and wrote this melody. Although the straightforward metrical version of this melody may be more familiar, this rhythmic version is actually the original. The text for #571 is by Michael Schneider, one of the early Swiss Mennonites, and was first published in 1564 in one of the first Anabaptist hymnals. In both text and tune this hymn offers a connection to the earliest Protestant/Anabaptist expressions of worship.

RAINBOW MENNONITE CHURCH

1444 Southwest Boulevard

Kansas City, KS 66103

(913) 236-8820

Office hours: M-W 9am-4pm Th-F 9am-1pm

www.rainbowmennonite.org

Pastor: Ruth Harder (ruthh@rainbowmennonite.org); Day off is Friday

Minister of Worship and Music: Roseann Penner Kaufman (rpkaufman@rainbowmennonite.org)

Director of Faith Formation and Congregational Life: Sarah Neher (sarah@rainbowmennonite.org)

Church Administrator: Sarah Unruh (office@rainbowmennonite.org)

Maintenance Technician: David Coffman (maintenance@rainbowmennonite.org)