

First Mennonite Church of Richmond

WORSHIP SERVICE

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WELCOME AS GOD'S CHILDREN

Worship Leader Jerry Ham
Music Leader Lyubov Slashcheva
Prelude "Dona Nobis Pacem" Laurie Ahlgrim, piano
Lyubov Slashcheva, flute

GATHERING

Call to Worship

Leader: Come to worship, all you who are called. Come together from east, west, north and south.

People: Together we will receive the word of the Lord

Leader: Bring your gifts, your talents, your dreams and your visions. Bring you short-comings and heartaches.

People: God's Spirit heals our brokenness and fills us with hope.

Leader: God's Spirit gives power and calls us to serve others.

People: Together we will worship Jesus the Savior.

Together we will do the work of the Lord.

All: Come to worship God with joy!

"What is this place" **HWB** 1

"Christ is the world" **STJ** 62

INFANT DEDICATION OF ISAIAH JAMES BOGGS

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

Children's Time

"We are people of God's peace" **HWB** 407

Scripture Matthew 5:21-26

Sermon "Reconciliation is the Center of Our Work"

Pastor Ryan Ahlgrim

Silent Reflection

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

"Healer of our every ill" **HWB** 377

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer Ryan Ahlgrim

Offering

Offertory "All Things Bright and Beautiful"

Laurie Ahlgrim, piano; Lyubov Slashcheva, flute

SENDING

"Praise God from whom" **HWB** 118 (#606)

Benediction