

Assembly Mennonite Church  
Fall Worship: Who Is Sovereign?  
November 12, 2023

### **Gathering**

Hymn - [VT 34 - We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer](#)  
Welcome, Call to Worship, Birthday Recognition  
Peace Lamp: Special music and Dance Group: "Only in God"  
Leader: Beloved, let us love one another  
**People: For God is love and love casts out fear**

### **Offering ourselves and our money**

Announcements  
Introduction of visitors  
Announcement for capital campaign  
Offering - [VT 750 God of the Fertile Fields](#)  
Covenanting - Ted & Darlene Larrison

### **Telling God's Story**

Hymn - [VT 697 Loving Spirit](#)  
Children's time  
Hosea 11:1-9  
L: The stories of God for the people of God  
**P: Thanks be to God**  
Sermon

### **Sharing our Stories**

Hymn - [VT 419 Great is Thy Faithfulness](#)  
Sermon response/Sharing from our lives  
Pastoral prayer

### **Sending**

Hymn - [VT 846 The Lord Bless You and Keep You](#)

Thanks to: Worship Leader: Marshall King; Song Leader: Mary Gilbert;  
Musicians: Wilma Harder, Becky Snider, Isaiah Friesen, Elsie Mast, Wesley  
Mast, Leon Bauman; Peace Lamp: Dance Group -Michael Miller, Kathy  
Meyer Reimer, Linda Schlabach Miller, Meribeth Shank; Scripture Reader:  
Liz Shenk; Children's time: Rachel Hostetler; Sermon: Stephen Lowe;  
Pastoral sharing and prayer: Scott Coulter; Tech Crew: Eric Kaufmann,  
Patrick Coonan

*If you have an announcement that pertains to the whole congregation,  
please get it in writing to the worship leader by the end of the Dance Group  
piece.*

**Second Hour:** "ABC groups," these discussion groups are divided  
Alphabetically by first names. Each week your group will be given a  
discussion prompt. This week we will continue to discuss our origin stories.  
Locations: **A-C:** worship space, **D-I:** Multipurpose North, **J-L:** Multipurpose  
South, **M-P:** worship space, **R-Z:** Multipurpose North. Look for signs if  
confused.

### **HEARING ASSISTANCE**

This worship space has two systems to help people with hearing loss participate  
more fully in our life together.

1. FM system. Get a receiver and an ear speaker from the sound booth.
2. Hearing Loop accessed by hearing aids with t-coils. Find a seat in the worship space  
and turn on the t-coils in your hearing aids. (You do not need a receiver or headphones.)  
Talk to someone in the sound booth if you are having issues receiving the signal.