

Assembly Mennonite Church
Narrative Lectionary: Origin Stories
October 15, 2023

Gathering

VT 496/HWB 651 - I Owe The Lord a Morning Song (vs 1 and 2)
VT 420 God of the Bible
Welcome & Call to Worship

**God, you who are Alpha and Omega,
We thank you for your faithfulness,
For the companions you provide for us on life's journey.
Surround us as we come together, seeking your kin-dom.**

Confession and Praise

Peace Lamp
Leader: Beloved, let us love one another
People: For God is love and love casts out fear
VT 581 Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song (vs. 1,2, 4)
Prayer
VT 795 Kyrie Eleison
Offering - VT 79 Sanna, sannanina

Telling God's Story

VT 192 Shema Yisrael
Ruth 1:1-19a, 4:13-17
L: The stories of God for the people of God
P: Thanks be to God
Children's time
VT 192 Shema Yisrael
Sermon

Sharing our Stories

Special Music - *The Road Home* (Browne & Paulus)
Community Building Activity
Worship response/Sharing from our lives
Introduction of Visitors

Sending

Announcements
VT 419/HWB 327 - Great Is Thy Faithfulness
Benediction
Postlude

Thanks to: Worship Leader: Jon Zirkle; Song Leader: Hannah Lehman;
Sermon: Becky Snider; Musicians: Pat Nyuken, Conrad Dickens Liechty,
Jamie Lake, Karen Graber Roth, Stephen Lowe, Adam Siemens Rhodes,
Jason Kauffman; Peace Lamp: John Nafziger; Scripture Readers: Becky
Smuts, Kiki Smuts; Children's time: Linda Schlabach Miller, Michael
Miller; Pastoral sharing and prayer: Scott Coulter; Community Building
Activity facilitator: Ben Sywukla; Tech Crew: Eric Kaufmann