



BRESLAU MENNONITE CHURCH
Sunday October 16, 2022

*We are heralds of God's peace in this new creation,
and by grace the word of peace reaches every nation.
Though we falter and we fail, Christ will still renew us.
By the Holy Spirit's power, God is working through us.*
We are people of God's peace #797 VT

GATHERING IN FAITH AND WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

The mystery of God's Spirit prompts us to assemble here.

God's love leads us to gather, to be in community.

We are bound to one another to form the body of Christ.

We arrive in our disparity and our separateness, with our sorrows and doubts, with our joys and gratitude, with our questions and yearnings,

and God welcomes us, just as we are!

Let us respond with praise and thanksgiving through worship!

Hymns

For the Healing of the Nations #705 VT
Gentle God, When We Are Driven #150 VT

Prayer of Gathering and Gratitude

Giving Our First Fruit Offerings

Children's Offering Project – Nutrition for Learning.

Children collecting non-perishable food items for the Food Bank of Waterloo Region

LEARNING AND GROWING

Children's Story

Eleanor Epp-Stobbe

Scripture

2 Corinthians 5:11-21

Sermon

Reconciliation is the Centre of Our Work

Eleanor Epp-Stobbe

Hymn

We Are People of God's Peace #797 VT

SHARING THE LOVE OF CHRIST

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Hymn

We Dream of a Turning #209 VT

Benediction

Postlude

VT – Voices Together

Welcome!

**Following the worship service
all are invited for coffee/tea and conversation**

Worship Leader

Sharla B

Accompanist

Sherrie T

Chorister

Randy B

Scripture Reader

Katherine C

Sound & Digital Tech

Matt V

Greeter

Fern B

Ushers

Sharon N, Murray S