

John 15:4-5 (NRSV)
Jesus the True Vine

⁴ Abide in me as I abide in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me. ⁵ I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.



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In Christ –
Making Disciples through
Loving Relationships.

Worship 10:30 a.m.

Mission Sunday **November 14, 2021** **“Witnessing Resiliency in Nepal”**

GATHERING

Gathering Music		Marcia Brubaker
Welcome and Announcements		Doug Bartel
Prelude to Worship		Marcia Brubaker
*Call to Worship	VT 1024	Doug Bartel
*Prayer		
*Hymn	For the Fruit of All Creation	VT 124
The Psalm	Psalm 23	VT 725
Hymn	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need	VT 640
Time for Children		Jan Amstutz

SHARING

Sharing and Prayer		Pastor Tom
Hymn	This Is My Song	VT 710

LISTENING

The Lesson (MCC’s Scripture text for 2021)		John 15:4-5
Storytelling		Bethany Amstutz Schrag
	Witnessing Resilience in Nepal	

RESPONDING

Hymn	Christ Has No Body Here but Ours	VT 568
Sending	Seeds	VT 777
Postlude		Marcia Brubaker

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL who are gathered to worship, wherever you are, and whenever you watch this service!

Please stay for our Mission Sunday lunch after the service!

Today's offering will go to Mennonite Mission Network. Please make a note if you would like to otherwise designate your offering.

KIPCOR Film Series: *A Home Called Nebraska* is screening TODAY, Nov. 14 at 2 p.m. at Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College. Emily Haverkamp, an immigration and asylum lawyer from Wichita, will lead the discussion following the screening. Bethel's current COVID-19 protocols require physical distancing and mask-wearing indoors with groups of 10 or more.

Last week to view "Voices Together," a display of the original artwork featured in the new *Voices Together* hymnal, through Fri., Nov. 19, in the Regier Art Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College. Gallery hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays.

Tabor College is pleased to present Handel's Messiah Sunday, Nov. 21 at 7 p.m. in the Shari Flaming Center for the Arts. The Tabor College Concert Choir, conducted by Dr. Greg Zielke, is joined by alumni and the Tabor Messiah Orchestra to offer this free performance. Reserved seating is required, and tickets are now available at tabor.edu/tickets. An offering will be received, and food donations are encouraged to benefit the Hillsboro Area Ministerial Association.

Bethel College's Wind Ensemble Winter Concert is Monday, Nov. 22 at 7 p.m. in the Krehbiel Auditorium of the Luyken Fine Arts Center. Bethel's current COVID-19 protocols require physical distancing and mask-wearing indoors with groups of 10 or more.

Christmas is just around the corner, and Heartland Pregnancy Care's *The Gift of Christmas* intends to put Christ's love into action for their clients' kiddos. For four weeks leading to Christmas, clients are given an opportunity to "Christmas shop" for their children ages 12 & under at their in-center store. Clients earn virtual dollars by attending classes, which they can redeem for one new toy per child each week. For some clients, these may be the only gifts they can provide for their children this Christmas.

Here's How to Help: Generous donors make this possible by providing NEW gifts (with a value of \$20-25) for kids newborn-12 years. Gift ideas

include learning toys, building kits, crafts and games. Gifts can be purchased through [the Amazon gift registry](#) and sent directly to Heartland Pregnancy Care. If purchased elsewhere, please bring *unwrapped* gifts to Heartland by November 24. For further information, contact Vanessa at 620.200.8428 or vanessa@heartlandpcc.com.