This Sunday is Anabaptist World Fellowship Sunday so some of the resources come from Mennonite World Conference, including the theme and scriptures. This year the resources were put together by the three MWC synods in Indonesia, who will be hosting the World Conference this summer with the theme Following Jesus Together. Find more information <u>here.</u>

Welcome Anna Zehr

Call to Worship VT 856 Please join the leader in reading this.

Prayer VT 993

Song VT 5 "All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

**Reconciling VT 862** 

Song Video: VT 26 "Dhud Pangeran (O Prince of Peace)"

VT 831 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

Children's time Marilyn Eigsti

Scripture Genesis 12:1-5, 1 Corinthians 12:3-13, 26-27

Sermon Following Jesus Together Jacob Landis

Song VT 813 "Heart with Loving Heart United"

Sharing/Pastoral prayer Ellen

After "Lord in your mercy" respond with "Hear our prayer"

Offering Song VT 834 "Thuma mina (Send Me, Lord)"

# Announcements

We will **not** meet for in person worship next Sunday, January 30. Stay tuned for information regarding February worship services.

Cal will be on sabbatical until February 4. If pastoral care is needed please contact one of the elders: Steve, Dennis, or Ellen.

During the month of January when we are meeting only by Zoom, please remember to submit your offering via mail to the church address: PO Box 386, Tiskilwa, IL 61368. Thank you for your continued generous support.

# Sending VT 822

## Genesis 12:1-5

The Call of Abram 12 The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you.

2 "I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you;
I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing.
3 I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse;

and all peoples on earth

will be blessed through you."

4 So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran. 5 He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Harran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there.

### 1 Corinthians 12:3-13, 26-27

3 Therefore I want you to know that no one who is speaking by the Spirit of God says, "Jesus be cursed," and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.

4 There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. 5 There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. 6 There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.

7 Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. 8 To one there is given through the Spirit a message of wisdom, to another a message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, 9 to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, 10 to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. 11 All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he distributes them to each one, just as he determines.

### Unity and Diversity in the Body

12 Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. 13 For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink.

26 If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it.

27 Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.