ORDINATION SERVICE for Katelyn Robbins

Worship Leader: Mick Sommers
Music: Anna Ressler, Joanne Dietzel

Prelude — Elaine Shirk
Gathering Song *Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom* — VT 196
Welcome — Mick Sommers, ACC Conference Minister

Lighting the Peace Candle — Evie Hershey

Deep peace, a soft white dove to you,
Deep peace, a quiet rain to you,
Deep peace, an ebbing wave to you,
Deep peace, pure red of the flame to you,
Deep peace of the flowing air to you,
Deep peace of the quiet earth to you,
Deep peace of the sleeping stones to you.
In the name of the Three who are One, Peace!
Fiona Macleod (William Sharp) 1895

Musical Reflection — Pastor Anna Ressler, Hebron Mennonite Church
Offertory

Call to Worship — Jill Heine

We remember, O God…
The countless saints of history who have worn a trail of wisdom through time,
We remember, O God…
The tender touch of loved ones, the wise words of teachers, the healing help of comforters, the remarkable acts of fearless ones.
We remember, O God…
The gentle strength of grandparents, the loyalty of friends, the kindness of strangers, the joy of children, the sacrifice of parents.
We remember, O God…
The immense love of Christ, the blessing of the Holy Spirit, the presence of our Creator, shown forth in the lives of her disciples, young and old, dead and living, articulate and silent, strange and familiar, brilliant and ordinary.
We remember in every time and place the saints of God who have shown us the way of peace.
Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses… let us worship God with love!

Hymns
My Soul Cries Out — VT 412
Hope Is a Candle — VT 211
Be Thou My Vision — VT 549

Scripture: Matthew 4:18-20
Message *Come Follow Me* — Sam Walters

Rite of Ordination — Joanne Dietzel, ACC Conference Minister
Poem — Kim & Kain Robbins, parents
Anointing
Scripture John 20:11-18 — Hannah Yang
Words of Response — Pastor Katelyn Robbins

Blessing — Rev. Allison Brown, Seminary Peer

Let her whom Love has ever blessed
Be, according to the season of the year,
Serious or joyful,
And always on Love's side,
And let her be continually available
Where she knows the will of Love
In ease, in harshness,
In pleasure, in pain:
That wilderness
She dares
In Love.
Hadewijch of Brabant, 13th century

Sending Song *God, Be the Love* — VT 42

Reception in the Fellowship Hall



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Sunday, November 1, 2026
Ridgeview Mennonite Church
3:00 PM