

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 19, 2025

Preaching Carrie Mast	Worship Leader Monica Harnish	Pianist/Organist Laura Hartzler
Gathering		
Music Calls Us to Worship		
Welcome, Announcements, Centering		
Candle Lighting		Goings Family
Prelude	Prelude no. 13 in A ^b Major	Robert D Vandall
Invocation		
*Opening Hymn	Come, We That Love	VT 31
*Responsive Reading – selections from Psalm 119		
One: Oh, how I love your law!		
Many: It is my meditation all day long.		
One: Your commandment makes me wiser than my enemies,		
Many: for it is always with me.		
One: I hold back my feet from every evil way,		
Many: in order to keep your word.		
One: How sweet are your words to my taste,		
All: sweeter than honey to my mouth!		
Telling God’s Story		
*Hymn	🎵 My Life Flows On	VT 605
Special Music	An Anabaptist Love Story Anabaptist Singers	Chappell-Dick Lambert/Potter
Conversation with Children	Lord, Listen to Your Children	Tim Byers VT 682

Community Prayer <i>The Lord's Prayer</i>	Victoria Woods-Yee James W. Bixel back cover of HWB	
Scripture	2 Timothy 3:14-4:5	Karen McCullough
Message	<i>Persist and Delight</i>	
<i>Living God's Story</i>		
*Hymn of Response	<i>Open My Eyes That I May See</i>	VT 738
Offering		
Invitation		
Offertory	<i>Rock of Ages</i>	Lorie Line
Prayer of Dedication		
<i>Sending</i>		
*Hymn of Sending	<i>What a Friend We Have in Jesus</i>	VT 628
*Benediction		
*Postlude		
 *Please rise in body or in spirit – VT: Voices Together (Purple Bound Book) 🌿 : Anabaptist Heritage Hymn 🎵 : Favorite Hymn		
 <i>Parents of young children: God put the wiggle in children, so no need to suppress those wiggles. Sitting closer to the front makes it easier for your little ones to engage. Also, children learn their behavior by mimicking you. Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Feel free to leave the sanctuary with your child, but you're welcome to come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."</i>		