

CHARLESWOOD MENNONITE CHURCH

March 23, 2025

Sunday Seminar 9:30 am ~ Sunday School 9:45 am ~ Worship Service 10:45 am

Worship Leader: Lisa Enns

Speaker: Harry Huebner

Scripture Reader: Juanita Giesbrecht,

Children's Time: Elsie Rempel

St Mary Anglican Church

Song Leader / Flautist: Rebecca Harder

Glimpse of MCM Gathering: Byron Neufeld

Pianist: Velma Braun

Ushers: Eric & Kathy Fast

Technician: Kent Haase

Henry Kliewer is reading at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish this morning as part of the Charleswood churches Lenten Reader Exchange.

*with yours so we may better share your peace in your world,
rejoicing in your name. Amen.*

Song: VT 300 *Far, Far Away*

Glimpse of MCM Gathering

Offering of Ourselves

Sharing (livestream muted) and Prayer

SENDING

Announcements

Song: VT 718 *Gentle Shepherd, Come and Lead Us*

Benediction

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Lent 3: Lost Sheep, Coin, Son

Christ Confronts our Priorities

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Opening Words

Song: VT 62 *God Is Here among Us*

Call to Worship

One: As we worship, Christ confronts us about our priorities.

Many: We gather and pause from the important busyness of our lives.

One: Jesus reveals the depth of God's purposes, as compared to our own.

Many: By your Spirit, help us recognize your call to change.

All: For your holy work, O God, help us celebrate being found as we worship you.

Song: VT 299 *God Lights a Lamp*

HEARING THE WORD

Time with Children

Scripture Reading: Luke 15:1-32

Sermon: "Heimweh"

RESPONDING

Confession and Words of Assurance

All: Loving and merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you.

One: We have not loved you with all our thoughts, words, and actions.

Many: We have sinned through what we have chosen to do and what we have chosen to neglect.

One: We have not fully accepted your love for us. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

Many: We prioritize the wrong things and the wrong people.

All: We repent before each other and before you, our loving God. Please open our hearts to your love. Help us bring our priorities in line