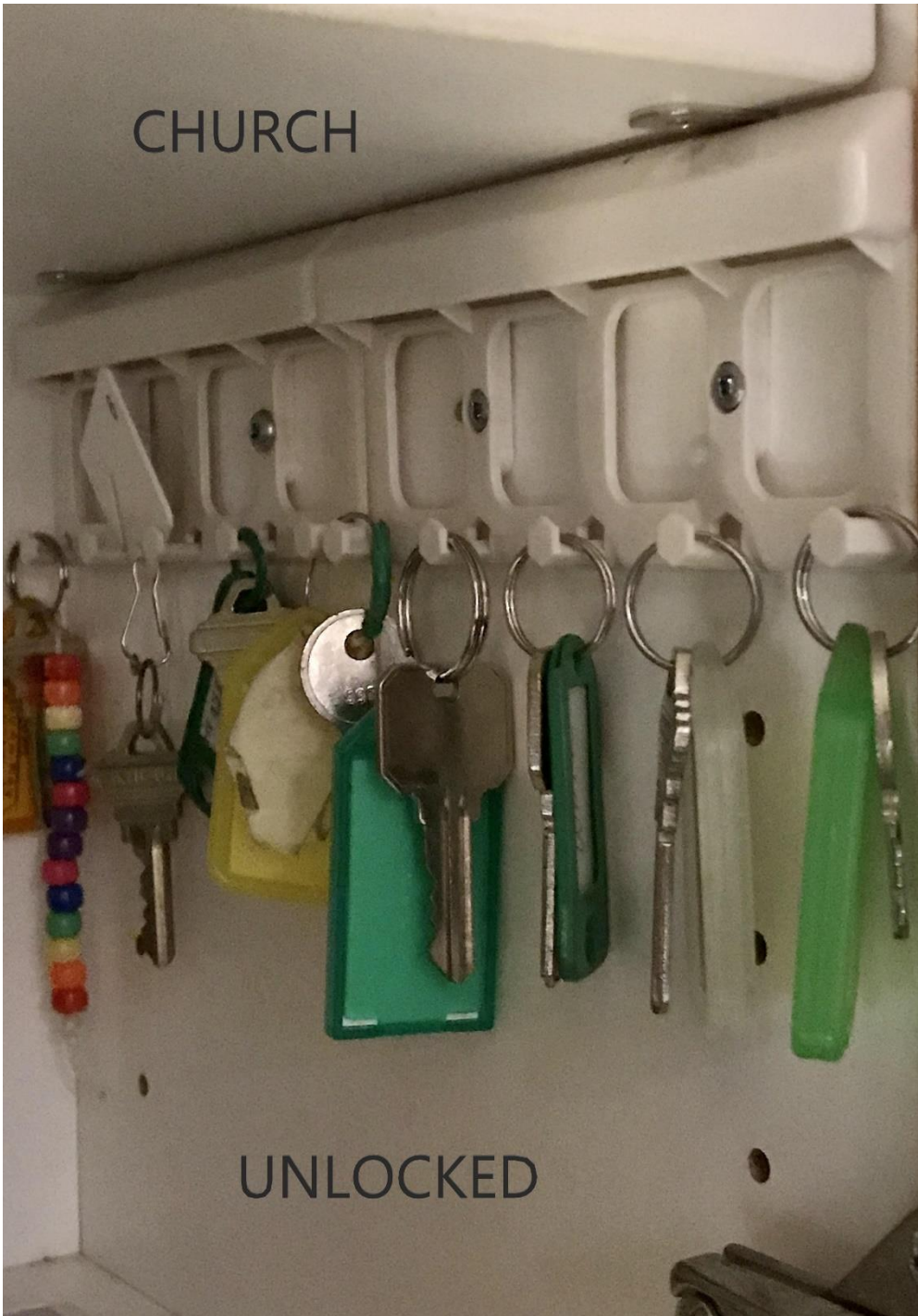


CHURCH



UNLOCKED

**Waterloo North Mennonite Church**  
**Sunday, September 27, 2020, 10:00 a.m.**  
**The Church Unlocked**  
**Pressing On**

**Ministry Theme: The Church Unlocked.** The church as we know it is mostly empty, as if the door is locked. With great concern and passion for the church, we need to find a way to unlock it and reinvent it. The world needs the church. We need the church. Instead of giving up and going down with the ship, let us with God's help discover the keys to new life.

Prelude and Greeting at 9:55 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Land Acknowledgement

**Call to Worship**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

HWB #660. English translation of Sursum Corda.  
Prepared by the English Language Liturgical Consultation (ELLC) 1988.

Invocation

**Hymn: HWB (blue) #37 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty. Sung by WNMC Sunday, November 24, 2019.  
Text: Joachim Neander, tr. Catherine Winkworth. Composer: unknown, 1665. Text and Music: Public Domain.

Children's Time

**Hymn: HWB (blue) #362 Help us to help each other (vs 1,2,4)**

Help us to help each other. Text: Charles Wesley 1742, revised 1982 ©1982 Hope Publishing Co.  
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Music: François H. Barthélémon, adapted by Robert Simpson. 1833. Public Domain.

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading: Philippians 3:7-16

**Hymn: HWB (blue) #325 Creating God, your fingers trace**

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Sermon

**Hymn of Response: HWB (blue) #336 When peace like a river**

When peace, like a river. Sung by WNMC November 17, 2019.  
Text: Horatio G. Spafford, 1876. Music Philip P. Bliss, 1876.  
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Benediction

Postlude