



Mennonite Church

February 06, 2022

10:30 AM

Service Streamed on YouTube

Prelude

Welcome!

Peace Prayer

Call to Worship & Opening Prayer

God of our Strength (vs 1-3)

VT 47

Between Darkness and Light (Sing Twice)

VT 808

Matthew 4: 23-5:12

Prayer for our Offerings

Blest are they

STJ 32

Luke 6:20-26

Sermon

How Can I Say

VT 388

Transition Moment

We Are People of God's Peace

VT 797

Blessing

Postlude

VT = Voices Together STJ = Green Song Book STS = Purple Song Book
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**This service is streamed live. There will be a pause while the stream is switched from the public to the unlisted (private) stream for our congregational sharing and prayer.*

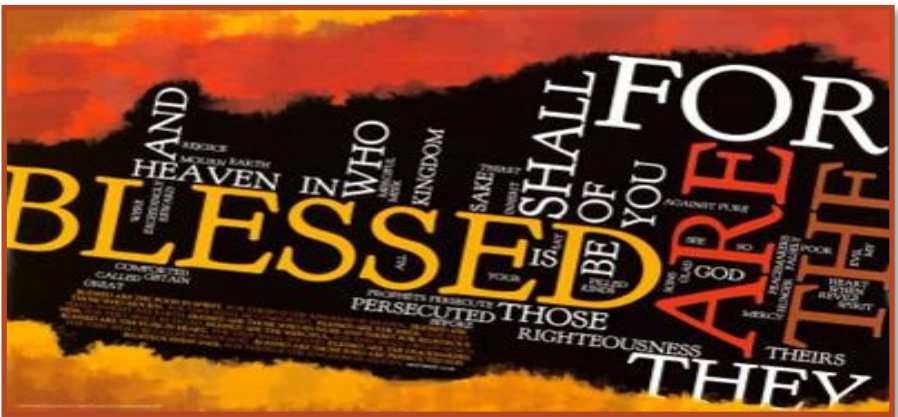
If you are unable to stand please remain seated.

Announcements etc. will be brought during the unlisted stream.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastor.....Kristine Regehr
Worship Leader.....Wilma Loganbill
Song Leader.....Tom Gaedert
Accompanists.....Tammy Plank
Sanctuary Prep.....Irma Voran

Broadcasting.....Andrew Plank
Sound.....Caleb Garber
Projection.....Kathy Garber
Ushers.....
Greeters.....



Welcome to Faith

Mennonite Church. We are glad you are here.

Please wear a mask during worship and singing.

If you need a **listening assistance device or a large print bulletin**, please ask an usher.

There are a few *quiet* craft items on the back table of the sanctuary that can be used during worship.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

As followers of Jesus Christ, our mission is to

- Worship together as a community of faith,
- Invite everyone to share the gift of God's love,
- Nurture each other in the faith,
- Serve others in the spirit of Christ, and
- Proclaim His way of peace, justice and reconciliation.

FAITH FAMILY NEWS

FAITH MISSION CIRCLE will not meet February 7 due to COVID. However, MCC kit items (men's deodorant, packages of Q-tips, and shampoo) can be delivered at church by February 20. The offering for the Faith Mission Circle can be placed in Darlene Powers mailbox by the 20th of February.

OUR SECOND READINGS start today/Sunday! Evening slots today are open, and many slots through Wednesday. Reminder: our conversational norms apply here: speak for yourself and your perspective, be kind, listen well. We also offer an option to write your testimony instead of attending a session. Either way, watch the recorded sessions, available mid-week we hope, to hear the testimonies of others. Sharing our own stories for the purpose of community building and discernment is not gossip. Our stories are so important to understanding our opinions!

- all of us are important to our process; find a way to participate that works for you
- write notes ahead so you say what's important concisely
- our recordings are for us; do not share links to our Zoom meetings beyond those who regularly participate at Faith

PLEASE CHECK OUT additional new books to the church library since this fall. You can find a list of books on the library table. Happy Reading!!

IT IS TIME to renew our subscription to *Anabaptist World*. Please let the church office know you would like to continue to receive your subscription a by February 20. Our decreased rate will be \$39 for the year. Please put Anabaptist World in the memo line of your check. Thank You!

OPTIONAL INFORMATIONAL SESSIONS that were held this last week or 2 were recorded. IF you missed one and like to review them, you can find them on our private community web site. Once at the site click on “Forum” on the top banner. The recordings will be under “Meaningful Discussions”. Once there you will be able to view What do the letters mean? And a Bible Study on homosexuality. Here is the web address for the site.
<https://www.members.faithmenno.org/>

OTHER AREA ITEMS

NOW IN THE REGIER GALLERY in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College – Ernest Vincent Wood III, “Redefining,” through Feb. 24. *Gallery hours: Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-4 p.m.*

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 – Bethel College Organ Recital Series presents Dr. David Pickering of Kansas State University, 7 p.m., *Administration Building chapel*, featuring works by Vierne, J.S. Bach and Mendelssohn. *Current Bethel COVID protocols require masking indoors regardless of vaccination status.*

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11 – Guest recital with Bethel College Professor Emeritus of Music Don Kehrberg, oboe, English horn and tenor, with Tate Addis, piano, and Kevin Kehrberg, bass guitar, 7 p.m., *Administration Building chapel*.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19 – Grand opening of Kauffman Museum’s 125th-anniversary exhibit, “The Magic of Things.” Come-and-go, 2:30-4:30 p.m., with remarks by lead curator Reinhild K. Janzen at 3 p.m.

MCC CENTRAL STATES Annual Meeting will take place virtually on Saturday, February 26 from 1-2:30 CST. Please email tinaschrag@mcc.org for a link to the Zoom meeting.

HAVE A HEART FOR REFUGEES!
The WDC Immigration Task Force encourages your congregation to offer a “love gift” of cleaning supplies between now and February 14 for arriving families. International Rescue Committee



Wichita resettled 350 families last month alone! They come with so little. Let's remember our own immigrant history and be the hands and feet of Christ, bringing good news to our neighbors. You may drop off donations of supplies at the WDC Office (2517 N Main, North Newton) 8 am-4:30 pm Mon-Fri or at Shalom Mennonite Church (800 E First, Newton) from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Mon-Thurs & Sunday mornings.

Email office@shalomnewton.org if you cannot drop off supplies during daytime hours. To make a monetary donation, go to: rescue.org/united-states/wichita-ks. Thank you!

DURING BLACK HISTORY MONTH (February) and throughout the year, pray for WDC congregations and conference leaders in ongoing work toward racial justice and equity.

ONLINE REGISTRATION for the March 18-20 Scrapbook and Crafts Retreat is open! There is only one retreat in spring and only one in fall. Cropping and crafting will happen in the Dining Hall and lodging will be in the Retreat Center. As of Feb. 1, masks are recommended inside per CDC guidelines; guidelines will depend on the state of the pandemic in March. Call 620-297-3290 with questions. Register at www.campmennoscah.org!

EVERENCE® will hold an informative Social Security and retirement income webinar on Tuesday, Feb. 15, starting at 6:30 p.m. Specifics will include Social Security strategies, including when to begin taking benefits, risks that can impact your retirement savings plus strategies to help your income last throughout retirement. There will also be plenty of time for questions. Information will be presented by staff from the Everence offices in Central Kansas. To register contact Everence at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.

NEWTON MID KANSAS ORCHESTRA will be hosting their winter classics concert. This will be on February 13 at 3:00 PM at Tabor College Richert Auditorium Shari Flaming Center for the Arts at 300 S. Jefferson, Hillsboro. They will feature the Dwight Beckham Young Soloists. Takuto Kametsu on Violin and Caleb Garber on Cello.



This Week (02/07/2022—02/13/2022)

**Second Reading Groups will be conducted via Zoom.
Please check your email for date and times.**

Monday:

Mission Circle cancelled due to COVID

Sunday:

10:30 AM Worship Service via YouTube

Looking Ahead:

February 14&15: Deacons
February 20: Third Reading
February 23: Council Meeting

Please have all bulletin announcements and calendar items to the office by Wednesday Noon.

Board of Administration's Contact Person for February:

John Horn: 316.288.1724

Board of Deacons' Contact Person for February:

Pam Schmidt: 316.215.2846

Attendance for 01/31/2022

*Worship: Virtual Due to Uptick in
COVID numbers*



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