



Mennonite Church

May 12, 2019

Mother's Day

10:30 am

EXTENDING THE TABLE
Hospitality as Outreach: Belonging

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude to Worship

Call to Worship

Revelation 7:9-12, 17

I looked and there before me was a great multitude
from every nation, tribe, people, and language,
standing before the throne and the Lamb.

They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches.
And they cried out in a loud voice:

**Salvation belongs to our God,
who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!**

Angels were standing around the throne, and around the elders,
and around the four living creatures.

They fell down on their faces before the throne and
worshiped God, saying:

**Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor
and power and strength be to our God forever and ever.
Amen!**

***The Lamb at the center of the throne will be our shepherd.
He will lead us to springs of living water.
And God will wipe away every tear from our eyes.***

Praise Hymn

HWB 318

Joy to the World

Prayer

Affirming Our Faith – God's Hospitality to Us

Psalms 23

HWB 814

My Shepherd will Supply my Need

HWB 589

How Great Thou Art

Jesus M, Nola S

Offering and Offertory
Prayer of Dedication

Presentation of Bibles
Children’s Story

Scripture Lesson
Sermon
Sacred Time
Prayer

Luke 14:12-24

Sending Song
Come to Me, Come to Us
Spoken Benediction
Musical Benediction

STS 60

HWB = Blue Song Book

STJ = Green Song Book

STS = Purple Song Book

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WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Preacher *Randy S*
Worship Leader *Marshall A*
Song Leader *Jerry F*
Accompanist *Nola S*
Special Music *Jesus M*

Children’s Story *Tammy P*
Slides *Kathy S*
Sound *Allen J*
Sanctuary Prep *Yvonne B*
Ushers *Team C (Chuck S)*

CHILDCARE

*For children ages three (3)
and under during worship*

- 05/12: Margo G & Deb S
- 05/19: Jody H & Oris S

GREETERS

Front Door

- 05/12: Chuck & Cindy B
- 05/19: Chuck & Cindy B

Back Door by Kitchen

- 05/12: Harlan B
- 05/19: Harlan B



Welcome

Welcome to Faith Mennonite Church. We are glad you are here.

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

Please be sure to let us know you were here today by signing your name on the Friendship Sheets as they pass down the pews during Sharing or Offering Time. Guests, please feel free to include your contact information.

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.**

SUNDAY AT FAITH CHURCH

EXTENDING THE TABLE is the worship and sermon theme for the next few weeks, bringing a focus on hospitality. Hospitality is outreach. Hospitality is when we open our lives to others, actively inviting them, then welcoming them with sensitivity, respect, and love, so that they might find with us a place of comfort and belonging. Hospitality is discipleship.

NEXT SUNDAY

Lectionary scriptures – Acts 11:1-18; Psalm 148;

Revelation 21:1-6; John 13:31-35

Pastor Marshall will continue with the theme of hospitality.

SUNDAY, MAY 26

Biblical storyteller, Deryll Amstutz, will present the sermon in story.

FAITH CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

RANDY AND ANN ... Will be in Washington DC for their daughter's PhD graduation ceremony, then in Ohio with Randy's family. Randy leaves May 13. They will be back May 27.

CHURCH DIRECTORY INFORMATION ... Can be reviewed and updated in the large-print directory on the table in the foyer. Please make any needed changes to your information by Sunday, May 26 so the 2019 directory can be printed. Thank you!

MIKE S ... is the local coordinator for Habitat for Humanity. He could use some volunteers with general carpentry skills on Saturday, May 18. Please contact Mike if you can help.

DEVOTIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS ... It's that time again to renew your subscription or begin a new subscription to *Rejoice* and *The Upper Room*. Sign-up sheets are on the table in the foyer. The cost to subscribe/renew for *Rejoice* is \$30.40 (only one size available) for the year. The cost to subscribe/renew for *The Upper Room* is \$6.90 (regular print) and \$13.99 (large print) for the year. You may place your check in the offering or bring it to the church office. (Please mark the memo line of your check with which subscription you want). For questions, please email or call Lindsay in the church office - office@faithmenno.org or (316) 283-6370.

THE BOARD OF WITNESS & OUTREACH (BOWO) ... Will be sponsoring a trip to visit a new church in Texas as a way to show support. It will be either Memorial Day weekend or the weekend before, depending on the response we get. Please let us know if you would be interested in joining us and further information will be coming. ~ *Arlys S, Roy U, Pastor Marshall*

MARY RSUPPORT UPDATE ... To date \$4,900 has been received from Faith Church. Mennonite Mission Network (MMN) reports that the match has been met. The cost of this ministry is \$50,000 annually. So far we have a total commitment of \$27,000 annually. We are asking supporting congregations to please, prayerfully consider increasing your annual giving to sustain this ministry for Mary's final three-year term. Mary says, "Thank you and Praise God!" and Faith Mission Circle appreciates your help in this challenge.

BEYOND FAITH CHURCH

BETHEL COLLEGE ... has a part-time job opening for a caretaker of Memorial Grove -- caring for and maintaining the plantings at the grove, located in the northeast corner of campus (Sand Creek Trail trailhead). Position works March-Nov., about 5 hours a week. If interested, visit www.bethelks.edu/careers to complete an application.

DO YOU LIKE TO COOK, SERVE, OR CLEAN-UP? ... Safehope could use your help! Get together with some friends or a group and volunteer to prepare meals, serve, and/or clean up on Thursday nights for our Support Group meetings! The meals are prepared in advance & frozen, then baked that night. Clean-up is a breeze because the food is packaged up for our participants to take home. We have the recipes and the ingredients, unless you want to supply your own and be creative. Great team building experience for co-workers, wonderful for church group, bible school classes, friends & even high school or college culinary classes. Please call (316) 283-0350 or email info@safehope.net to volunteer. *Flyer is posted on the bulletin board in the church foyer.*

NEW HOPE SHELTER ... Has a new Needs List posted on the bulletin board in the church foyer.

VOLUNTEER AT RMMC ... Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp relies on the help of volunteers to keep the ministry going. Help is needed in all areas of camp (kitchen, maintenance, housekeeping) for the following dates: May 20-24: Mennonite Disaster Service (felling, limbing, and moving beetle-killed trees along with kitchen help); June 2-8: Colorado Roots Music Camp (specifically help needed in the kitchen); June through August: have a week you can offer to volunteer this summer? Let's find a way to fit your skills in with camp's needs. If you can volunteer, give camp a call (719-687-9506) or send an email (info@rmmc.org).

YOU ARE INVITED ... To attend the Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale Annual Meeting scheduled for Thursday, May 23, 6:00pm, at First Mennonite Church, McPherson. The cost for the meal is \$15/person and you will pay at the door. Please RSVP to our MCC Sale Liaison, Byron & Janet E (316-772-0488) or Barb R at bj.reeves@live.com or 620-543-6863. RSVP deadline is May 19.

JOIN EMBERHOPE YOUTHVILLE ... For Volunteer Week June 10-14, 2019. After years of providing a safe place for foster children, our Newton campus needs a little TLC. We are in need of help with gardening, painting, cleaning, and other general repairs. You may also participate by donating meals, water, and other supplies. Volunteers will receive an EmberHope Youthville t-shirt. We are looking forward to seeing you during this week of service, camaraderie, and support! For more details, please contact your church office.

LOVE CROSSES BORDERS ... A Mennonite Men immersion experience with immigrants. July 28-August 3, 2019, Mennonite Men will provide a week-long immersion experience with immigrants to engage these issues. To register or for more information, contact Steve T (SteveT@Mennonites.org) or visit MennoniteMen.org. *Flyer and brochure in the church foyer.*

BETHEL COLLEGE EVENTS:

TODAY 05/12: Woven (women) and Open Road (men) joint *a cappella* concert; 7:00 p.m. - Memorial Hall-Bethel College Campus

05/17: - Reception for the annual Senior Art Exhibit at Bethel College, 7-9 p.m., *Regier Art Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center* (exhibit is open through this week, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays, with special extended hours Fri.-Sun, May 17-19.).

CAMP MENNOSCAH:

1. Nurses needed for June 9-15 and June 23-29! Camp Mennoscah is seeking a nurse for Junior High I Camp (June 9-15) and Junior I Camp (June 23-29). These positions come with either a stipend or a full camper discount. Nurses need to be licensed in Kansas and be a RN (or equivalent). Please contact us at 620-297-3290 or olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org! Our nurses are greatly valued and much loved!

2. It's fun and it's faith formation! Camp Mennoscah has openings for more summer youth campers for grades 3 to High School (fall 2019). Just go online to www.campmennoscah.org and click on Register Online at the top of the page. Weeks will be filled with worship, singing, Bible study, friendship bracelets, swimming and river play, and gobs of other fun stuff. Our theme is Peace Works: Empowering Peacemakers. Call 620-297-3290 for more information.

3. Kitchen staff! Don't miss out on this grand, wonderful opportunity to be at Camp Mennoscah! We need 1-2 helpers for the weeks of June 9-15 and July 14-20. Kitchen helpers only need to be able to follow directions and have willing hearts & hands! Contact Olivia at 620-297-3290 or olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org. Full camper discount and free tee shirt, too!

ISRAEL-PALESTINE WORKSHOPS ... Want more reasons to attend #MennoCon19? The WDC Israel-Palestine Task Force encourages you to faithfully respond to the Israel Palestine conflict and the MC USA resolution, *Seeking Peace in Israel and Palestine: A Resolution for MCUSA*, by taking in several workshops, including:

- Building Relationships with Jewish Communities
- Walking in Someone Else's Shoes
- Holy Scriptures, Holy People
- What to Do about Gaza?
- Seeking Peace in Israel and Palestine: A Resolution Update
- Israel-Palestine 101
- Mennonites and the Holocaust

SUNDAY SCHOOL

starting at 9:00 am

Children & Youth

Nursery/Preschool----- Rm 207-UL
K-4th Grade*-----Rm 103-LL
Middle School* (Gr 5-8)--- Rm 105-LL
High School (Gr 9-12) ---- Rm FYG-LL

Adults

Lamp Lighters -----Rm 125-LL
Cornerstones ----- Rm 124-LL
Open Class -----Open Area-LL

UL = Upper Level

LL = Lower Level

*Note that K-8th Grades meet first in FIG Hall-LL for **Faith Kids Sing** before dispersing to listed classrooms at 9:15 am.

This Week (05/13/2019 to 05/19/2019)

Tuesday

4:00 pm - Board of Deacons
4:30 pm - PCRC

Wednesday

7:30 am - Ladies Breakfast at Bread Basket

Thursday

1:00 pm - Board of Fellowship

Sunday

9:00 am - Sunday School
9:00-9:15 am - Faith Kids Sing
(Children's Sunday School will follow)
10:00 am - Coffee & Fellowship
10:30 am - Worship
- Carry-In Meal following worship

Please have all announcements and calendar items for next week into the church office by **noon on Wednesday**. Thanks!



Attendance for May 5, 2019

Sunday School: 82 Worship: 127

Board of Administration's Contact Person:

John H - (316) 288-1724

Board of Deacons' Contact Person:

Harlan B- (316) 283-4553



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Sermon Notes:

