



Mennonite Church

October 16, 2022

10:30 AM

Prelude

Welcome!

Peace Prayer

Call to Worship & Opening Prayer

God Is Here among Us

VT 62

Open My Eyes

VT 732

II Kings 22:2-13

Children's Time (2 Kings 22 Scene 1)

Hulda in 2 Kings (Scene 2)

Because the Words We Wait to Hear (3x)

VT 406

People Need the Lord arr. Coalter

Marlene Habegger & Lisa Schmidt

2 Kings 23 (Scene 3)

Sermon

Kristine Regehr

Because the Words We Wait to Hear (3x)

VT 406

Search Committee Commissioning

Transition Moment

We Praise Thee O God

VT 91

Blessing

Postlude**

Please pass the friendship sheets

VT = Voices Together STJ = Green Song Book STS = Purple Song Book
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***In lieu of passing an offering plate, there are many ways to give. There is a container in the back of the sanctuary as one option. There is a giving button on our community website and USPS also delivers to us.**

***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, prayer, and announcements.*

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastors..... Kristine Regehr
..... Rose Marie Zook Barber
Worship Leader..... Deb Schmidt
Children's Time..... Tammy Plank
Song Leader..... Tom Gaeddert
Accompanist..... Marlene Habegger
Special Music..... Marlene Habegger &
..... Lisa Schmidt

Sanctuary Prep..... Leslie Hadley
Broadcasting..... Jody Hadley
Sound..... Nathan Garber
Projection..... Kathy Garber
Ushers.... Mike Doerksen & Howard Allison
Greeters... Becky Allison & Kathryn Penner

Welcome to Faith Mennonite Church! We are glad you are here.
Faith Mennonite Church embraces as a gift the
diversity of our community and our world.

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.

We invite you to join us immediately following this morning's service for our Potluck Meal in the Fellowship Hall. There is always room for more at our table!

FAITH FAMILY NEWS

TODAY, following our carry in meal, and search committee milestone party, we will have our third quarter business meeting.

SAVE THE DATE! Jesus, Jr and Kaylee Martinez are expecting their first child in December! Board of Fellowship, Witness, and Outreach will host a churchwide baby shower during the potluck dinner on November 20th.

BUCKETS OF HOPE & MCC is in immediate need of relief items for people affected by disasters or conflict. Their October/November goal is to collect supplies for 1,800 of these buckets. They are especially in need of new bath towels (medium weight dark or bright colors, approximately 29"x 59"; 4 towels go in each bucket) and shampoo (1 or 2 bottles, totaling more than 20 ounces; place in resealable plastic bag). A full list of relief items will be on the credenza in the foyer. Look for an MCC bucket in the lobby to place your items. Thanks for your participation in this important mission effort.

MEAT CANNING IS OCTOBER 25&26! Those are the dates that we will be canning meat for MCC! There is a running total of donations to date on the back page of this bulletin. To sign up to volunteer to help can please go to <https://tinyurl.com/MeatCanning2022>. If you would like to sign up but do not have access to a computer, please call Kathy at the church office and I will be glad to help you sign up.

OCTOBER 23, next Sunday, at 3 PM will be the Memorial Service for Maurine Voth Regehr here at Faith Mennonite Church. There will be a snack to follow.

CALLING ALL MUSICIANS AND SONG LEADERS! If you would like to attend the "Joining Voices Together" Worship and the Arts Symposium at Bethel College on November 12, please let Kathy in the Church office know. There is a group discount if 3 or more from one church registers for the event. The Board of Worship will pay for 3 people.

GRACE BARTEL would like everyone to know that **NEW HOPE SHELTER** will be hosting a Volunteer Training Session on Thursday, October 27th @ 7pm. Our volunteer shift hours are as follows: 5pm to 11pm daily. Anyone who signs up to be a volunteer must be trained by a Staff member beforehand. Even if they have volunteered before COVID, they may want to come back in for a refresher course. If you know anyone who is interested in signing up for volunteer training, please send me their name, telephone number, and email address so I may contact them. shonda@newhope-shelter.org
Shonda M Suddeth Shelter/Volunteer Coordinator (316) 283-7711

AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY AT 4:00 PM, the Newton MidKansas Symphony Orchestra will be giving their fall classics concert at Newton High School Auditorium. The program is W.A. Mozart's *The Magic Flute*. This performance is a semi-staged concert with full orchestra and vocalists. Directed by Chris David Westover-Muñoz .

WESTERN DISTRICT WOMEN — You are invited to join a virtual "Book Shelfies with Bethany" hour on Tuesday, October 25 from 7-8 p.m. Bethany Martin, Manager at Faith & Life Bookstore in Newton, KS, will present book

reviews to add to your reading list as you settle in with good books during the winter months or think about gifts for Christmas. A very brief business meeting will be held to vote on some changes to our bylaws and to elect the new executive committee members of Western District Women in Mission (WDWM). To register and receive a Zoom link, please e-mail westerndistrictwomen@gmail.com Registration deadline is October 24.

WDC RESOURCE LIBRARY BOOK DISCUSSION—Author Rohadi Nagassar brings the margins to the center to help readers rediscover a reality of love through the journey of deconstructing, decolonizing, and reclaiming faith. Join us to explore Nagassar’s book: *When We Belong: Reclaiming Christianity on the Margins* both in-person (masks suggested) and via Zoom on Thursday, October 27 at 7:00pm. Register by emailing crlib@mennowdc.org. Contact the library to borrow a copy of the book.

GIVE THANKS FOR THE WDC RESOURCE LIBRARY, and pray for congregations, members and leaders to experience growth in faith and ministry through use of library materials.

EVERENCE® will hold the popular Social Security and retirement income workshop at its office in North Newton on Tuesday, Oct. 18 at 6:30 p.m. The workshop will cover, Social Security strategies including when to begin taking benefits, strategies to help your retirement income last, and risks that can impact your retirement savings. The in-person workshop will be held at the Everence office: 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B North Newton. Those interested in attending should contact the Everence office at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.

QUILTER’S CORNER is gladly accepting donations for the MCC sale which is April 14 and 15, 2023. Bring your fabric, notions, quilts and quilting supplies to the MCC Center in North Newton clearly labeled for Quilter’s Corner. If questions, contact Ann Yoder Smith at 919-604-3282. Ann Yoder Smith, Quilter's Corner Chair



TODAY (SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16) & MONDAY, OCTOBER 17 – Annual Menno Simons Lectures with Brad Gregory, Reformation scholar from the University of Notre Dame, 7 p.m. both evenings, *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*; overall topic is “The Radical Reformation and Religious Freedom: A Historical Retrospective.”

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20 – The inaugural Senses & Aging Symposium, 6-8:30 p.m., *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*, with Karen Kendrick speaking on “Hearing Loss and Fall Prevention” and Angela Loucks Alexander presenting from Australia on “Auditory Processing Disorder in Adults.” The symposium is free but registration is requested at

www.bethelks.edu/academics/convocation-lectures/senses-aging-symposium

LAST WEEK TO SEE “Environmental Exposure,” sculpture by Glen Ediger, in the Regier Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College, through Fri., Oct. 21. *The gallery is closed Oct. 16-18 for Bethel’s fall break, and open 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.*

SUNDAY OCTOBER 23 – Sunday-Afternoon-at-the-Museum program with oral historian Ina Navazelskis from the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum, 4 p.m., *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College* ([note change from usual time and location](#)). Followed by the museum’s annual Living Endowment Dinner, featuring Justina Neufeld and Janine Wedel, for which [reservations are required by Oct. 18](#); e-mail kauffman@bethelks.edu or call 316-283-1612.

FRIDAY SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4-5 – “Old Books Made New – The Surprising Wisdom of Erasmus for Today,” an intercollegiate symposium honoring the Mennonite Library & Archives at Bethel College and libraries everywhere. Keynote address by Greta Kroeker, Ph.D., Friday, Nov. 4, 6:30 p.m., *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center*. Saturday events in Krehbiel Auditorium and via technology at Conrad Grebel University College, Eastern Mennonite University and Goshen College. See marpeck-fund.bethelks.edu/events/old-books-made-new/

PLEASE CHECK OUT the bulletin board in the foyer for other area events that are not listed above.

Sunday School

CHILDREN/YOUTH

Pre-K — 4th Grade:

LL Room 103

Junior High (5th—8th Grade)

LL Room 105

High School

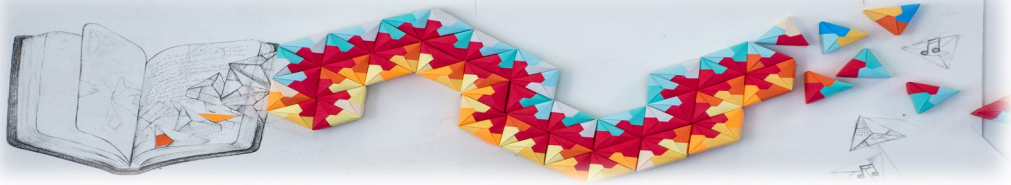
LL FYG Hall



ADULTS

Cornerstone:
Fellowship Hall

Open Class:
LL Open Area



This Week (10/17/2022—10/23/2022)

TUESDAY:

5:30 PM PCRC

THURSDAY:

6:30 PM Deacons and Congregational
Care Team

SUNDAY:

9:00 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
3:00 PM Memorial Service for
Maurine Voth Regher

Looking Ahead:
October

19-25: New Hope Shelter Week
24: Caregivers Support Group—4 PM
25&26: MCC Meat Canning
Oct. 30-Nov 5 Pastor Kristine on Retreat

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

Thanks!

Attendance for 10/09/022:

72

MCC Meat Canning Total (to date)

\$7,750

Board of Administration's Contact Person for October:

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