



Mennonite Church

November 10, 2019

10:30 am

Gathering Music

Call to Worship

HWB 661

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty - arr. Moglebust

Bell Choir

Prayer

OT Reading

Psalm 145:1-7

I Love to Tell the Story

HWB 398

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Make Me an Instrument of Thy Peace - by McChesney

Bell Choir

Sharing & Prayer

Children's Story

Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

HWB 110

Scripture

Be Strong

Haggai 2:1-9

Prayer

God be with You v.1,2,3

HWB 430

Benediction

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Preacher.....*Marshall A*
Worship Leader.....*Kathy G*
Song Leader.....*Gyles G*
Accompanists.....*Helen J*
.....*Marlene H*
Special Music.....*Bell Choir*

Children’s Story.....*Lindsay A*
Sanctuary Prep.....*Jane S*
Slides.....*Jennifer H*
Sound.....*Caleb G*
Ushers.....*Team B (Andy P)*

CHILDCARE

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

- 11/10: Joni J & Pam S
- 11/17: Mark J & Harlan B

GREETERS

Front Door

- 11/10: Jody H
- 11/17: Jody H

Back Door by Kitchen

- 11/10: Paul L
- 11/17: Paul L



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.**

FAITH FAMILY NEWS

OUR FINAL WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL is Pizza and Ice Cream! The cost is \$2.00 per person. Please mark the number in your family who will be attending on the Friendship Sheets as they are passed during Sharing Time.

TICKETS! TICKETS!! Come to the Christmas Banquet! Tickets will be on sale for the annual Faith Mission Circle Christmas Banquet starting November 17, 2019. The banquet is on December 02, 2019 at 6:30 PM.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to Kathryn P for helping me sew the new handbell cushion covers and skirts! Her knowledge, expertise, and volunteering all of her hours of time is much appreciated! ~ Nola S

BLOOD GLUCOSE SCREENING TODAY AND NEXT SUNDAY. On November 10 and 17 the Health Wellness Committee is offering blood glucose (sugar) screening during the morning coffee hour. You are encouraged to come learn what your blood sugar is on one of these two Sundays. Please eat your normal breakfast. HWC encourages everyone to do the screening, which involves a small finger stick done by RNs in our congregation.

TAG TEAM! With Lindsay's class schedule, sick-kid season, random trips to Indiana for funerals, etc, know that the church office is in good hands with Kathy G, our official backup administrative assistant. We are both trained for the job and have a good system for communication, and either one of us will be happy to help you if you call or stop by!

OUR CHURCH'S NEXT WEEK at New Hope Shelter is Dec. 4 – 10. There will be a sign up sheet in the foyer or you can contact Grace B. Thanks for considering this ministry and for your prayer support!

THANK YOU to our Faith Mennonite Church family for your generous financial contributions that support the ministry of this congregation. Our 2020 budget planning is now in progress. The 2020 commitment forms are in your mailboxes. Completing and retuning these forms helps us plan for how we will be able to engage in ministry opportunities in the coming year. We are requesting that these forms be turned in to the box in the foyer by **next Sunday, November 17**. We encourage your continued generosity and express appreciation for your prompt action to this request. – Church Council

IN KEEPING WITH THE CHURCH'S FOCUS ON IMMIGRATION, the Jr. Sunday School department is collecting offerings for MCC immigration kits. If your child would like to bring items rather than money, visit <https://mcc.org/media/resources/8823> to find a list of needed items. Thank You!

BELL RINGER NEEDED for Christmas Music!! We are in "desperate" need of another bell ringer for Sunday Dec 15. Involves 2 Wednesday rehearsals 6 - 7 pm. Help us share 3 fun, energetic Christmas pieces. Please contact Nola Stucky or any bell ringer. Spread the word! Thanks.

BEYOND FAITH MENNONITE CHURCH

OPEN HOUSE AND DEDICATION of the Harvey Co. Habitat for Humanity's latest home will take place on Sunday, November 10, 2019 at 4:00 PM. The address is 408 E. 5th St here in Newton. Thank you for your support for this community effort. Another family will soon have their own home!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY'S annual fundraiser and dinner will be on Thursday, November 21, 2019 at 6:30 PM here at Faith in the Fellowship Hall. Thanks for all your support for us.

GET INVOLVED WITH SOMETHING BIG – record breaking BIG! MCC is celebrating our 100th anniversary and attempting to collect 6500 comforters to deliver to people in need all around the world. Get involved by tying a comforter on January 18, 2020 (mark your calendars now!). We are looking for people to host a comforter tying event in their community. Contact Kate Mast at 316.283.2720 or katemast@mcc.org for details, supplies and resources. It's more than a warm blanket – it's a message of love and compassion.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for two work days in Eureka, Ks. Saturday November 16th and November 23rd. Let's plan to meet at First Mennonite Church in Newton at 6:00 am in the East gravel parking lot. We will plan to be back in Newton between 5:00 and 6:00 PM. We will be completing several roofs that were damaged in the 2018 tornado there. Transportation, tools, water and lunch will be provided. Please text, email or call Jordan Miller with any questions! 316-217-4570 Jordanmiller795@gmail.com

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL MISSION SUPPER at First Mennonite Church in Halstead, KS, on Saturday, November 16, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Menu includes Smoked German Sausage, Chicken Borscht, Sauerkraut, Fried Potatoes, Green Beans, Zwieback, homemade Pie or Cake. Cost is by donation. Part of the proceeds will go to Safehope. Safehope has offered more than twenty-one years of advocacy and outreach services for domestic violence and sexual assault victims in Harvey County, and have now expanded to offer services in McPherson and Marion Counties. Other proceeds will be used to support Mennonite Mission Network workers Dan & Kathryn Smith Derksen family and Dave and Rebekka Stutzman Family.

LOOKING FOR A WAY TO CONNECT WITH PEOPLE and engage with Mennonite Central Committee's supporters? We're hiring an Alumni Engagement Coordinator! The person in this salaried position will coordinate the alumni experience and support colleagues in strategic engagement of alumni. Application close date 11/18/19. For more information and to apply, please visit: serve.mcc.org

RSVP NOW FOR THE NEXT MCC LUNCH AND LEARN! Please join us on Thursday, November 14 from noon-1 p.m. at Mennonite Central Committee in North Newton as we enjoy lunch and hear from Rosie Epp about her recent trip to Ukraine. Epp traveled with the boards from MCC U.S. and MCC Canada to see where MCC's work began nearly 100 years ago and to visit the work currently happening in Ukraine. Please RSVP by November 11 by calling 316.283.2720, patsydirksen@mcc.org, suggested donation for lunch is \$10 and please let us know if you have a food allergy. Find out more at mcc.org/lunchandlearn.



BETHEL COLLEGE ANNOUNCEMENTS

BETHEL COLLEGE BIBLE LECTURE with Melissa Archer, associate professor of biblical studies, from Southeastern University will be Sunday November 10, at 7 PM. "Liturgy and the Apocalypse," 2nd lecture Mon., Nov. 11, 11 a.m., "Worship Marks Us" (on Revelation 13:11-17), Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College.

BETHEL COLLEGE WIND ENSEMBLE CONCERT, "Star Wars," will be on Friday, November 15, at 7:30 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center.

BETHEL COLLEGE IS HOSTING A WORSHIP SYMPOSIUM, "Many Cultures One Worship: A foretaste of a reconciled heaven in a broken world," Thu.-Sat., Nov. 21-23, with most of the workshop on Saturday from 9 am-5:15 pm. For more information see the brochure on the credenza in the foyer or online at www.bethelks.edu/worshipsymposium. Board of Worship is willing to cover the special reduced cost if we have 3 or more persons going from our church. Please let Lindsay Anderson (office@faithmenno.org) know by today if you are interested in attending. We need to turn in the reservations as a group to receive the discount.

KIPCOR FILM SERIES: DAWNLAND, will be at 3 PM November 17 at Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College; talkback follows with Dan Wildcat of Haskell Indian Nations University, Lawrence .

CAMP MENNOSCAH ANNOUNCEMENTS

TAP SOME SHOULDERS and spread the news! Camp Mennoscah is recruiting at Goshen (Nov. 8) and Hesston, Tabor, Bethel, and McPherson Colleges on Nov. 11-14 respectively. Stop by, pick up information, and say hi! A pizza gathering for all interested in summer staff positions will be Nov. 7 at 6pm in the Connector at Goshen College and on Nov. 13 at 6:15pm at Papa John's in Newton. Response needed! Please let us know you plan to come at olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org or 620-297-3290. (No responses = no pizza gathering.)

CHRISTMAS FOR VOLUNTEERS! Camp Mennoscah is hosting a gathering for all who have volunteered--this year, last year, or many years ago--on December 14 at 2:30pm. We'll have cookies and snacky items, hot drinks, games, and whatever reasonable activity you can think of--it's a time to enjoy camp and other camp folks.

This Week (11/11/2019 - 11/17/2019)

Monday

9:30 AM Board of Fellowship

5:30 PM - Yoga

Tuesday

6:00 PM Board of Worship

6:30 PM Board of Administration

7:00 PM Board of Deacons

Wednesday

5:30 - Bell Choir, Kids, Teachers Eat

5:45 - Everyone Eats

6:00-7:00 - Bell Choir & Kids Classes

6:30 - Adult Bible Study

6:30 - Faith Youth Group

8:00 - Adult Choir

Sunday

9:00 AM - Sunday School

10:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship

10:30 AM - Worship

11:30 AM Carry-In meal

1:00-6:00 PM Fellowship Hall Reserved

7:00 PM Fellowship Hall Reserved

Please have board meeting
minutes into the office by
Wednesday, noon.

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

Attendance for November 03, 2019

Sunday School: 71

Worship: 135

Board of Administration's Contact Person:

Richard S - 316-283-8094

Board of Deacons' Contact Person:

Janie S - 316-617-6894



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Monday - Thursday: 8:00am - 12:30 & 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm; Friday: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

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Sermon Notes

