

Peace Sunday

July 7, 2019

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Gathering

Gathering song: *You are salt for the earth* * H 226

Welcome and the work of the people (announcements)

Opening words Pastor Kay Schroeder

Centering Jyl Ewy, pianist

Prayer

Praising

Songs of faith: *God Our Protector*
Psalm 16: I Will Not Be Shaken

Greet one another, children come forward

Children's focus Erin Graber

Kingdom report Rod Pauls

Songs of faith: *House of Peace*
One Beautiful Day

Offering: Mennonite Mission Network

Offertory

(Please pass the welcome pads)

Offering response: *Praise God from whom* (stanza A) H 119

Hearing God's Word

Scripture: Psalm 85:8-11

Sermon: *Wearing the Right Shoes* Pastor Anita Kehr

Responding to God's Word

Responding

Pastoral prayer

Sending

Sending song: *Do it all*

Sending words

Postlude

*H denotes Hymnal: A Worship Book **CS denotes Companion Songbook
Chorister: Daryl Unruh; Musicians: Jyl Ewy, piano; Ben's band
Childcare: Pamela Garcia, Barb Claassen, Cameron Entz
Nurse: Shirley Dietzel, Kathleen Andres
Ushers: Rick Ortman, Rod Schmidt, John Good, Janice Good
Audio Tech: Ryan Goertzen-Regier Video/Lighting Tech: Eric Murphy
Visuals: Cindy Unruh Property Committee: John Good

OUR VISION—Together in Christ: rooted deeply, reaching widely, loving well

OUR MISSION—With Jesus as our center, we are called to be:

- **Faith-Focused**
- **Mission-Minded**
- **Community-Connected**

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 7—Peace Sunday—Acts 7:54-8:3

9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service

Thursday, July 11

7:00 PM Church Board

Sunday, July 14—Youth Sunday

9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service

Upcoming Worship Services

July 21—Promises



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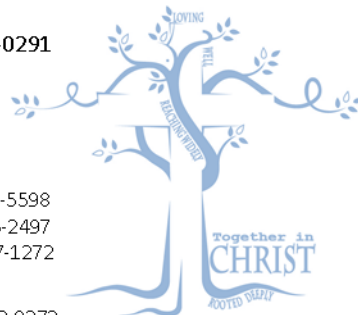
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First Mennonite Church
Newton, KS
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WELCOME TO EVERYONE who has come to worship and especially to those who are here for the first time. May you experience the loving embrace of God today. Nursery Care, infants to age 2, is provided during the worship service in the nursery located at the back of the Sanctuary. Childcare is available for children ages 2-4 during the second half of the worship service in Room 223. If you need help finding your way, ask an usher at the door. We would be glad to help you!

First Mennonite Church by the numbers

Attendance:

•Worship—202; Sunday School—158; Visitors—16

Offering: Last week's offering for Scholarship Fund was \$2,350 and Local Mission was \$3,690. The offering for July 14 is for Local Mission.

In Sympathy—Bertha Steinle (101) passed away on Friday, June 28. Her funeral services were held on Monday, July 1. We extend our condolences to Bertha's family and friends.

Receiving or has received care—Mary Enz, Newton Medical Center.

Homeless Shelter—Our next week to serve New Hope Homeless Shelter is July 24-30. If you are able to help, contact Lee Penner at 316-284-2154 or Ruby Moore at 620-837-4876.

Cards are available in the pews for you to share your thoughts, prayer requests, ask for a visit, or whatever you would like to communicate. Remember to sign them and put them in the offering plate.

Community Announcements

The WDC Annual Assembly will be held July 26-27 at Bethel College. *We are Witnesses!* from Acts 10:34-43 is the theme. Come as a family! Children and youth through age 17 are free! Adult registration of \$95 includes all meals and will give access to great worship for all ages, creative workshops, significant fellowship and the work of the church together. You can go either as a delegate or just as an attender. Everyone is invited to attend.

Intergenerational Book Study at Kidron Bethel: Kidron Bethel Village resident, Donna Friesen, and KBV Chaplain, Eric Massanari, are looking forward to facilitating an 8-part study of Fr. Richard Rohr's most recent book, *The Universal Christ*. We will be meeting on the first and third Fridays of the month, August to

November, 2:30-4:00 PM in Menno Hall Chapel. Session #1 will be on Friday, August 2 and will cover Chapters 1 and 2 of the book. We will be placing a bulk order for books (\$16.00 each). **If you would like to participate in the study and have a book ordered, please call Eric at 316-836-4829 before Friday, July 12 when we will be placing the order. All are welcome!** Call Eric with any other questions you may have.

Find news, highlights and photos from MennoCon19 in The KC Sauce, where we've compiled all our coverage from the week: mennoniteusa.org/kcsauce.

Plan to stop by Kauffman Museum to see selections from *Walk A Mile*, an expressive arts project that features art created by EmberHope Youthville residents. *Walk A Mile* will be on display at the museum—free of charge in the outer lobby through July 22. More of the exhibit is at Carriage Factory Gallery, Newton, through July 11, and the entire collection will be at Mark Arts, Wichita, August 17-September 14.

Camp Mennoscah Young Adult Weekend on August 2-4! Young adults (18 and older) are invited to spend a weekend enjoying camp activities, worship, and fellowship. Attendees will share in preparing simple meals. Scholarships are available online in the registration process or contact Camp Mennoscah at 620-297-3290 for information. Register at campmennoscah.org!

Mennonite Central Committee is now collecting Immigration detainee care kits. When people who have been placed in immigration detention centers are released, they often have nothing more than the clothes on their backs. Kits containing clothing and hygiene products can help to rebuild their dignity as they are taken to bus stations and airports to reconnect with their families in the U.S. Please visit mcc.org/immigrationkit for all the details of what goes into the kit and how the kits will be distributed. It is one small way we can share Christ's love with our neighbors. All kit supplies should be sent to MCC Central States 121 E. 30th, PO Box 235, North Newton, KS 67117. Questions? Please contact MCC at 316-283-2720.

Mennonite Mission Network, an international faith-based mission agency, is seeking a full-time interim (1 year) program director for Mennonite Voluntary Service. This position requires a collaborative leader who will work closely with young adults, hosting congregations and MVS staff in financial and unit administration. A bachelor's degree and prior inter-cultural experience in service is preferred. Fluency in Spanish language is a plus. View the position description at MennoniteMission.net. Send cover letter and resumé to StaffRecruitment@MennoniteMission.net.