



This week please remember the following people in prayer:

Ledru & Connie Freyenberger,
Clarence & Linda Unternahrer

Pray for those dealing with and recovering from medical issues:

Grayson Sanborn (Great grandson of Ron & Deb Reid) & Josette Simpson (Grayson's mother) Melanie Stutzman, Lori Leichty, Barb Swailes, Emily (Shepherd) Nuetzman, Dick Yoder, Bob Speake (Martha Marsh's brother), Ollie Yutzy, Deb Roth (Rudy Roth), LaVonne Friesen (Ardell Kliewer's sister), Carlos Cortez (Victoria Perez's friend), Gerhard Luitjens (Nathan's Dad), Tara, Bill & Marilyn Hershberger, & Raymond Letts (brother of Lori Leichty & nephew of Mary Jo Freyenberger)

Central Plains: Pray for conference leaders of Mennonite Church USA who will gather Oct. 11-13 in Chicago for the Constituency Leaders Council

Mennonite Mission Network: Tomorrow is Indigenous Peoples Day. Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for the descendants of White settlers to understand their complicity in the oppression of the original inhabitants of this land. Pray also for mission workers who support marginalized people groups in reclaiming their land, their language, and their dignity.

The oil lamp by the organ is a prayer reminder from the Committee on Peace and Social Concerns. It will be lit for every service as a reminder to pray for peace and for the people of our world who are caught in war and violence.

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance: 142

Offering: Home Missions: \$1370, Conference: \$2082,
Parkview: \$150



Exodus 20:8-11



1 Corinthians 11:23-32

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*We welcome all to this place
for worship of God and for Christian fellowship.
Let us worship God in spirit and truth,
reaching out to one another in Christ's love.*

8:45 am: Prayer in the Prayer Room
9:15 am: Sunday School for all ages
10:10 am: Fellowship Time
10:15 am: Footwashing ~ Sanctuary
10:35 am: Worship

Worship Leader: Rachelle Luitjens
Song Leader: Kathy Roth
Organ: Kathy Yoder

Footwashing – Harp music by Connie Freyenberger

Communion *WB 454 Seed, scattered, and sown*

WB 6 Here in this place

WB 5 There is a place of quiet rest

Scripture reading: Exodus 20:8-11 (pg. 51 OT)

Message: Nathan, "Sabbath Rest"

WB 526 In the rifted Rock I'm resting

Offering: Home Missions (10/14 Missions)

Announcements, Sharing & Prayers

Benediction

WB 163 Obey my voice

Baskets for the Elders' Sharing Fund are at the doors of the sanctuary today. The Elders' Sharing fund is used at the discretion of the Elders to take care of special needs in the congregation and in the community. Please consider contributing to support these needs.

Thank you to Abbey and Bryce Shelman for serving in the nursery today.

The nursery is available during Sunday school and church for children 2 years of age and younger.

Today:

5:00 – 6:30 pm Promiseland and Xplore

All children (kindergarten through sixth grades) are invited to Sugar Creek Mennonite for a fun evening of Bible stories, crafts, games, music and so much more.

This Week:

Wednesday October 10,

7:00 pm "Love Does" study in MYF room. Read chapters 13-18.

Thursday October 11,

2:00 pm Elder's Meeting

Next Sunday

Message by Rachelle, "No Killing", Exodus 20:8-11

MYF News

TODAY, 5:00 pm: Meet at church for a Hay Ride and Progressive Meal.

October 14, 6:00 pm: Bible Study. Nolan and Colton devotions and refreshments.

October 21: Open.

October 28, 6:00 pm: Bible Study Nik Coble devotions and refreshments.

SUGAR CREEK NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Congratulations to Marcus Unruh & Marissa Hochstetler on their marriage yesterday in Aurora, NE. Marcus is the son of Lowell & Pam Unruh. We wish them God's blessing.

Youth baptism classes will begin soon! Youth, if you are interested in being baptized or want to learn more about what baptism is about, talk to Nathan or Rachelle.

Adult baptism and membership class will begin soon. Please talk to Nathan, Rachelle, or an elder if you are interested in being a part of this class.

Advocates and Youth – mark your calendars! We will be kicking off the year with a raking party to serve people in our community. We will meet at the church on October 12th at 6:15 pm. Bring your youth or advocate and a rake!

11th Commandment: Hey kids there is still time for you to write what you think would be a good commandment to go along with the Original 10. Grab some paper and crayons on the back table to write it down your idea and get it posted on the bulletin board.

Church Nursery Sign Up. Sign up Genius link:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4fa8ac29a5fb6-sunday1>

Youth Center Sign Up, Sign up Genius link:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0E4FA8AC29A5FB6-wayland1>

The Extension Committee support for the month of October is for the WACO Backpack Program. Jenny Kauffman runs this program weekly for many families in the WACO community, like we did this summer. The freezers currently have meat stocked and HACAP provides many of the fresh food items.

Items to collect this month:

Canned fruits, canned vegetables, granola bars, cereal bars, instant oatmeal, popcorn, and any other healthy snacks.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!: Sunday, October 21 at 5:00 pm. It's KICKOFF time! Join us in the church yard for a tailgat**ING** good time. Invite your friends for conversation, yard games, bring your riding toys, board games, and TAILGATE FOOD.

SAVE THE DATE: November 11-13 Fall Special Meetings with Scott Roth. More information to come, be prepared for an up-lifting experience.

In order to better provide care for those in the hospital please contact one of the pastors or an elder if you or a family member are (or will be) hospitalized.

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

WACO C.R.O.P. Drive: September 30 – October 31, 2018
This year's goal is \$35,000. Once again, 25% of proceeds will be used within our own WACO Community. In 2017 this money helped support the WACO summer lunch and backpack programs. Please give generously!

CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN CAMP

Applications continue to be taken for Executive Director of Crooked Creek Christian Camp until the position is filled. For more information go www.crookedcreekcamp.org.

IMS

SAVE THE DATE | Homecoming & Alumni Family Weekend will take place on campus October 12-13. Events will include alumni volleyball (with the 1998 State Final Four team) and soccer games, Joetown Classic, food fundraiser by the PTO, Annual Pork Supper, and a community hymn sing. **The Joetown Classic 5k** run/walk will be on **Saturday October 13**. Information on North bulletin board.

IMS Fall Preschool | IMS Child Development students will lead preschool aged children in developmentally appropriate activities. Each date will have a different theme that these activities will be centered around. The fall dates are **Oct 18, Nov 1, and Nov 15** and all dates are 10:30-11:30AM. Please contact the office 319-656-2073 to reserve your spot.

October 14 | Come hear the Intro to Music students, Choral & Concert Choirs, and the Symphonic Band at our **Fall Music Concert** starting at 3:00PM in Celebration Hall. Also after the concert **6th-8th graders, transfer students and their families are invited to our Harvest Party** hosted by the IMS FFA. Games, activities, and food will be available. Join us for the concert and stay for the fun with our FFA!

Fall Drama | *Little Women* directed by Michael Swartzendruber will be performed in Celebration Hall on November 3 at 7:00PM and on November 4 at 3:00PM. Call the office (319-656-2073) to reserve your tickets!

Washington Mennonite Church is hosting a Dinner Theatre on November 8,9,10! Join us for drama, music, and a delicious meal around the theme of "Becoming...more like Jesus." Shows will start at 6:30pm at Washington Mennonite Church. More information and registration forms are available by the North bulletin board or visit www.washingtonmennonitechurch.blogspot.com

The Mennonite Historical Museum in Kalona is in search of items from the past 40 years of Iowa Mennonite Relief Sales to be donated and displayed at the museum. Belt buckles, photos, mugs, aprons, etc. If you have something to donate, please include dates and names, if applicable. Questions and delivery of items can be directed to Amanda Bleichty or Mary Lou Farmer at the museum.