

This week please remember the following people in prayer: Ledru & Connie Freyenberger and Brad, April, Sam, Aubrey & Ava Eichelberger

Pray for those dealing with cancer: Christopher Liechty (Shirlyn Graber's brother)

Pray for those dealing with medical issues: Rose Bennett (Cassie Graber's grandmother), Inez Roth,

Benjie Roth, Collins Devaul, Lela Miller, Martha Marsh, Mercedes Ellard, Denise Nebel, Gerald Nebel, Kathryn Nebel, Gary Garton (April Eichelberger's father).

**Baptism – Sunday, June 4 -** We will be having the baptism of Cornell Hulme and Makenzie Shelman. Keep them in your prayers as they prepare for this special time in their Christian walk.

Pray for the children, volunteers and children of Vacation Bible School. Pray for God to bless the leaders with wisdom, understanding, and love for the children they lead. Pray for God to bless the children with willing hearts and the chance to be examples to others.

**Central Plains:** Central Plains Partner in Mission Ted Lewis requests that we pray for his new ministry initiative, the Agape Peace Center in Duluth. See www.agapepeacecenter.com. Pray that the right people will be drawn to the peace education events and be moved not only at the head level but the heart level.

**Mennonite Mission Network:** Attending the 2017 Convention in Orlando? The convention planning office has arranged **discounts** at Orlando-area attractions.

Visit: mennolove.orlandomeetinginfo.com.

**LAST SUNDAY** Attendance: 121

**Offering:** Home Missions: \$3,725; Iglesia Centro Cristiano (Washington) \$350; MCC My Coins Count: \$109.69



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## May 21, 2017

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

10:30 am: Worship

Worship Leader: Nathan Luitjens

Song Leader: Nathan Luitjens & Ian Schmidt

Piano: Ian & Behla Schmidt

#### Gathering

Here I am to worship
Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Prayer

#### Praising

Not be shaken God of wonders Revelation Song

#### Hear the Word

Special Music by Ian & Behla Schmidt Come & See Children's Story with Tamara Gill Scripture Reading: Revelation 4 (NT pg. 195) Message: Rachelle, Scripture: Revelation 4

# Response

WB 120 Holy, holy, holy!

Offering: Missions & My Coins Count

(5/28 Home Missions & MCC)

**Sharing & Prayers** 

#### We Are Sent

Benediction
The Lord lift you up

# **TODAY**

•9:00 am – Worship at Parkview

# THIS WEEK MONDAY, May 22

#### •7:00 pm - Bel Canto Singers from Hesston College.

The 22-voice mixed chamber choir, directed by Dr. Russell Adrian, will present a diverse repertoire of choral music. The choir is accompanied by director Kenneth Rodgers. The group's program "God is Near", is inspired by the call to seek out faith in our lives and features a cappella works, organ and piano, and music by soloists/ensembles.

# TUESDAY, May 23

•8:45 am – Please have your Bel Canto guests back to the church with sack lunch.

# WEDNESDAY, May 24

- •9:30 am Midweek Women's Bible Study Meet at Arlene Wenger's home. Please read Lesson 4 in preparation.
- •5:30 pm Marketplace Shopkeeper Meeting (anyone working in the Marketplace tent)
- •6:30 pm Marketplace Tribal Leader Meeting

# **NEXT SUNDAY**

•10:30 am – Kelly Slagel, John 17:1-19, "Jesus prays for His disciples

#### **SUGAR CREEK NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS**

**THANK YOU** to Ian & Behla Schmidt for sharing their talents today during special music. Their parents are Joe & Carrie Schmidt and their grandparents are Dick & Orpha Yoder.

If you are willing to share a flower arrangement for the front of the sanctuary please sign up on the South bulletin board. This is a great way to share your Spring and Summer flowers with the congregation and/or remember a loved one.

**Summer Reading starts** in July for Shalom Readers Club. If you have a child who is 4 years old  $-8^{th}$  Grade there is an information sheet in your mailbox.

**Pick up your dishes!** Please check if you have any dishes on the shelves down by the kitchen. Anything on the shelves after May 28 will be donated to the Crowded Closet. Thanks!

Mennonite Women will be meeting on May 31 instead of June 7. The project will be VBS prep and health kits.

#### LOCAL SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Help is needed <u>Saturday</u>, <u>June 10</u>, at 314 West Main Street in Wayland. Darren Brown will be overseeing the installation of a steel roof. The plan is to start at 7 am and finish by lunch at 11 am or soon after if enough help arrives! We need 2-3 helpers from Sugar Creek, 1 or 2 willing to be up on the roof. The owner and some friends will help as well. We still need to raise \$1000 to help cover material costs. If a SS class is interested let Dana know.

Sugar Creek will be in charge of the summer food program June 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, and 30. Let Dana know what days you would like to help make and deliver cold lunches.

**Community Garden:** The garden has grown in size and the ground is ready. Seeds are being planted. Please join us on Tuesday evenings at 6pm and Friday mornings at 9am if it is not pouring rain. We will work in the garden every week from now until at least September. If you have questions, please call Don Yoder at <u>319-256-5090</u>. Spread the word!

# **AREA NEWS AND EVENTS**

Parkview Home has Independent Living Units available. One Bedroom Apartment, Two Bedroom Apartment, Duplex Units, Five-Plex Units. Amenities: Fitness Club, Laundry facilities, Storage Unit, Free Trash Pick-Up, Meeting Room, Facility Activities. Call Mary or Tammy for more information.

#### **CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN CAMP**

Summer camp **kitchen volunteers**: To volunteer in the kitchen you can sign up online at

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0D4FAFA62EA7FB6-2017. If you have questions email karla@crookedcreekcamp.org

**NEW** this summer is **Church at Camp** on <u>Sunday, June 18</u> at 10am. Enjoy worship led by camp summer staff as campers may experience it.

#### **CENTRAL PLAINS ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

Did you miss our Bible Study Webinars last fall with Meghan Good? Come and hear Meghan teach in three worship sessions at Annual Meeting 2017 June 15-18 in Sioux Falls. Register both adults and children and even pay online at <a href="https://www.centralplainsmc.org">www.centralplainsmc.org</a>.

#### **IOWA MENNONITE RELIEF SALE**

The online auction listings are now online! Browse the items available for bid. Bidding will be live from May 26th through June 2nd. Your winning bid will support the international relief, development and peacebuilding work of Mennonite Central Committee. Find the items online here: http://www.iamccreliefsale.org/

Volunteer at the IA Mennonite Relief Sale! Check online to find opportunities to serve that fit your interest and schedule. http://www.iamccreliefsale.org/volunteering

MARKETPLACE VBS June 6 & 7 (8:30-2:30), June 8 (8:30-11:30)
Julie 0 & 7 (0:50-2:50)/ Julie 0 (0:50-11:50)
NEW UPDATES ~ Check Below!
☐ THIS WEEK – Wednesday, May 24 - Marketplace Meetings
5:30 - Shopkeeper Meeting
6:30 - Tribal Leader Meeting
$\hfill \square$ PRAYER PARTNERS – Sign up is on the North Bulletin Board.
☐ Signed up to <u>HELP</u> with VBS! You don't want to miss out on this "Holy Land Experience!" We have jobs for everyonewe need lots of helping hands! Let Michelle Meyer or Lisa Graber know if you can help in some capacity.
$\hfill \square$ Roll and Cookie Sign-up sheets are out on the North Bulletin board! If you have already signed up, GREAT! If not, please sign up to help $\circledcirc$