

Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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THEREFORE AND MAKE
DISCIPLES OF ALL
nations...

MATTHEW 28:19, NRSV



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Happy Father's Day

Pre-worship Music

Sondra Tolle

Welcome and Announcements

Danielle Goering

***HWB 398**

I love to tell the story

Children's time

Jean Regier & Gentry Regier

Scripture

Matthew 28:16-20

***Hymn STJ 63** (vv 1, 2, 5)

Lord, you give the great commission

Message

"Good Growth Twinges"

Gail Graber

Prayers of God's People

Offering/ Offertory

Prayer for EYF Service Trip to Colorado

***Blessing**

Gail Graber

***Song of Sending HWB 395**

Here I am, Lord

***Postlude**

HWB – Hymnal a *Worship Book* (blue book); STS - *Sing the Story* (purple book);
STJ - *Sing the Journey* (green book)

*Please stand if able.



The peace lamp is lit as a reminder that we should be in prayer for an end to violence in the world. We trust in the power of prayer, as we know that through prayer, all things are possible.

Welcome to worship. A special greeting today to dads, grandpas and father-figures. The relationships that bless our lives are gifts of God's love. Alleluia!

If you are a visitor, we encourage you to fill out a visitor card found next to the hymnals and drop it in the offering plate.



A nursery is available for small children. Please ask an usher to direct you. Thank you to Carole Stevens & Tim Regehr for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

Do you have the gift of music? The Choral society is looking for volunteers to provide special music for Sunday morning worship. Openings will be available throughout the summer. If you would like to take part in this special music ministry, please contact Debi Lichti as soon as possible. Debi's phone number is 6250-345-6554 or email her at dlichti@tmagrain.com or debralichti@gmail.com.

The deacons will fund the full registration of \$65 for Eden delegates to the 2014 Western District Conference Assembly July 4-6 in Waxahachie, TX. You may contact Wanda Knight if you are planning to go.

The deacons will fund ½ the registration for Camp Mennoscah and Rocky Mountain Camp. You may contact the church office if you are planning to go.

The deacons will fund ½ the registration for the Biblical Storytelling Event August 6-9 in North Carolina. You may contact Wanda Knight if you are planning to go.

Sermon Interaction Elective During Sunday school hour from June 22 to Aug 22, the pastors will be leading a Sunday School discussion taking the sermon topic of the day deeper. Meeting place is the choir room. All are welcome.

The Eden Leadership Team recommends that Eden send 10 delegates to the Western District Assembly to be held in Waxahachie, Texas July 4-6. The Deacons will help with some expense. If you are interested in attending, you may contact Denise Stucky, Cindy Bartell, Fred Goering or Bruce Stucky. Those in attendance will hear church planters Karen Mascho, Moises Romero and Byron Pellecer reflect on our theme, God with Us - Patient and Persistent at the 2014 Western District Conference Assembly. On-site lodging is limited - register soon at mennowdc.org. The Western District Annual Assembly Report Book (English and Spanish versions) is now available online at: www.mennowdc.org (Annual Assembly 2014).

Eden This Week

Sunday	9:30 a.m. Worship service 10:30 a.m. Fellowship time 10:40 Sunday school
Thursday	6:00 a.m. Deacons mtg. (yes, a.m. is correct)

Looking Ahead

June 24	5-7:00 p.m. Farmers Market in Moundridge 7:00 p.m. Stewardship Commission Mtg.
June 21-27	EYF to Colorado to work with Mennonite Disaster Service
June 28	8-11:00 a.m. Farmers Market in Moundridge
June 29	After Sunday school
July 2	7:00 p.m. Peace/Witness Commission mtg.
July 4-6	WDC Annual Assembly in Waxahachie, TX
July 7	8:00 p.m. Education Commission mtg.
July 12	9:00 a.m. Eden Leadership Team mtg.
July 12-13	Eden Retreat weekend at Camp Mennoscah
July 14	7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.
July 17	Staff Congregation Relations Team mtg.
July 24	4:00 p.m. Eden provided worship at Pine Village

Last Sunday, June 8, 2014

Worship: 219; Sunday School: 140
Offering: \$8,222.30

Next Sunday, June 15, 2014

Scripture: Ephesians 4:32
Children's Story: Britney Stos
Nursery: Samantha & Heath Doane

Remember in Prayer

Eden EYF: traveling to Palmer Lake, CO for a service trip with MDS working predominately in the Black Forest.

LaVerne Flickinger: dismissed from Kansas Heart Hospital

Harvey Graber: Mercy Hospital

Irvin Harms: Mercy Hospital

Frieda Neufeld: Dismissed from Wesley Medical Center

Jenny Schrag: dismissed from Wesley Medical Center

Katie Stevens: Traveling to Vietnam

Western District Conference: Pray for Iglesia Camino de Santidad and Pastor Moises Romero as they continue to reach out in Liberal, KS. Pray for members who have moved to Omaha, NE and now want to start a new church there.

The roses in the sanctuary are in celebration of Eugene and Waneta Goering's 50th wedding anniversary. They were married June 12, 1964.

The June/July *Eden Echoes* has been printed and is available on the literature table in the fellowship hall.

A new nursery schedule is being set up. If you are currently on the schedule and would like your name taken off, or if you would love to take care of our future members and are not currently on the list, please contact Pat Stucky 345-8618.

The Peace/Witness Commission invites Eden auxiliary groups, Sunday school classes, and individuals to join us in supporting Elizabeth Schrag, Marike Stucky, and Alyssa Schrag as they prepare to serve one year terms with Mennonite Mission Network. Contributions should be made out to **Eden Mennonite Church with Peace/Witness Commission in the memo line.** Our commission will be responsible for coordinating the payments to Service Adventure, Mennonite Voluntary Service, and Serving and Learning Together. Our goal is to raise **\$11,000.00** before their terms begin in August. These women have made their commitment to serve; now it's time to make our commitment to support service!

Seeking spiritual nourishment? Look no further than our very own treasure trove of spiritual resources. Upper Room and Rejoice devotionals are available on the east wall cabinet for a minimal suggested donation. The cost is partially subsidized by the Education/Discipleship Commission, so our hope is that you will take advantage of these resources. Suggestions of other spiritual resources you're seeking are also happily welcome

The next blood drive for Moundridge is scheduled for Monday, June 16, 2014, 1:30 to 6:00 p.m. at the Pine Village Wellness Center, 86 22nd Ave. To schedule an appointment call 1-800-733-2767 or visit www.redcrossblood.org. If you have any questions call me at 620-345-3583 or e-mail at akaufman@mtelco.net.

Check out our new Menno Media children's curriculum, "SHINE, Living in God's Light." There is a display in the fellowship hall if you'd like to see what's coming. Also, if you're interested in attending the June 22nd kickoff in Wichita, please contact Jenny Schrag (345-8858).

Honor Western District's Associate Conference Minister, Gilberto Flores, at our Annual Assembly on July 4-6 at Lakeview Camp in Waxahachie, TX. A reception will be held on July 5 to celebrate 50 years of ministry as pastor, church planter, seminary professor and conference minister. Early registration discounts expire on June 20. Visit: mennowdc.org for information.

Leave the driving to someone else! A bus has been chartered from Newton, KS to Waxahachie, TX for the WDC Annual Assembly July 4-6. Seats are still available (\$90 per seat) - call now to get yours! When they're gone, they're gone!

Western District Women in Mission will have a luncheon meeting at noon on Saturday, July 5 at the WDC Annual Assembly in Waxahachie, TX. Rosa Flores, a minister's wife, who has ministered to many herself, who has had theological training, and who was instrumental in starting Iglesia Menonita Casa Betania in Newton, will be the speaker. Women attending should think about a time when they were called to be courageous, as we will talk in small groups after Rosa's presentation.

Heritage Tours of Yoder has planned a tour to the National Quartet Convention Sept 23-29 in Pigeon Forge, TN. Deadline to sign up **July 15**. Information on bulletin board in fellowship hall.

Library Camp! Kara Schmidt, teacher and library gal will lead kids grades K - 4 (completed) in one hour of fun with books and art. Read, wonder, create at the WDC Resource Library from 2 - 3 pm on June 18, 20, 25 and 27. \$10 per child for four sessions! Call [316-283-6300](tel:316-283-6300) to sign up today!

Send in your seminar ideas - The 2015 Mennonite Church USA convention will run from June 30-July 5, 2015, and we need your seminar and workshop ideas in order to make it extra-great. From June 1-August 15, 2014, submit your ideas online: <http://convention.mennoniteusa.org/convention-411/seminars/>

The West Zion Mennonite Church Concert Series continues with a concert on Sunday evening, June 15 at 7 p.m. at 101 S. Washington Ave, Moundridge. Featured performers include Christopher Shaw, Organ, Katie Phillips Wagoner, Oboe; the Country Jamboree, an instrumental and vocal bluegrass and gospel music group; and Donna Stucky, piano. No admission is charged, but during the concert a freewill offering will be received. After the concert there will be a time of fellowship with refreshments being served.

Book Sale! Featuring a little of everything, including many items from a pastor's collection. Browse and buy, all proceeds go for new materials in the Resource Library. Open 8 - 5, WDC Offices, 2517 N. Main St. North Newton, KS

Managing money, conquering debt and achieving your financial goals is the topic of an informative webinar on Tuesday, July 1, at 12 noon (Central Time). The half-hour webinar, hosted by Everence Financial, will include information about credit scores, managing expenses, which debt to pay off first and more. To register, go to everence.com/kansas.

Camp Mennoscah Announcements

Registration forms can be found at www.campmennoscah.org under Camps.

Contact us at [620-297-3290](tel:620-297-3290) with questions.

Nurse and kitchen helpers needed at Camp Mennoscah. A nurse is needed July 13-19 and kitchen helpers are needed June 22-28 and July 27-Aug 1. Contact CM at 620-297-3290 for more information.

Family Camp is July 26-27 at Camp Mennoscah. Jesse and Ruth, our trusty leaders, are ready for all sorts of fun! You should expect an Amazing Mennoscah Race (a treasure hunt throughout camp grounds), kickball, river play, campfire, worship stargazing, drama, ping pong tournament, music jamboree, basketball, and other good times! Brochures available soon.

Camp Mennoscah's annual Camp Sing will happen after the camping season this year so all of you campers will have one more chance to sing your favorite camp songs! Camp Sing will be August 10 at 6 p.m. at Shalom Mennonite Church. Plan to attend.