

Job Opening: The Harvey County Homeless Shelter, Inc. currently is accepting resumes for the position of Volunteer Coordinator/Bookkeeper. Duties include but are not limited to overseeing the filling of the weekly volunteer schedule, weekly and monthly communication with churches and team leaders, recording donations, reconciling expenditures, processing payroll, and writing thank you letters to donors. Experience with QuickBooks a plus. This is a full-time position, Monday-Friday 9 am-6 pm, paid vacation and holidays. Email resumes to: james@hchs-ks.com. Fax resumes to: 316-283-6764 Mail resumes to: HCHS, 900 West Broadway, Building 7, Newton, KS, 67114

Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Lead Pastor, Dave Stevens

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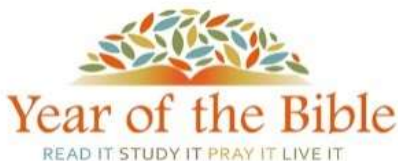
Day off: Friday

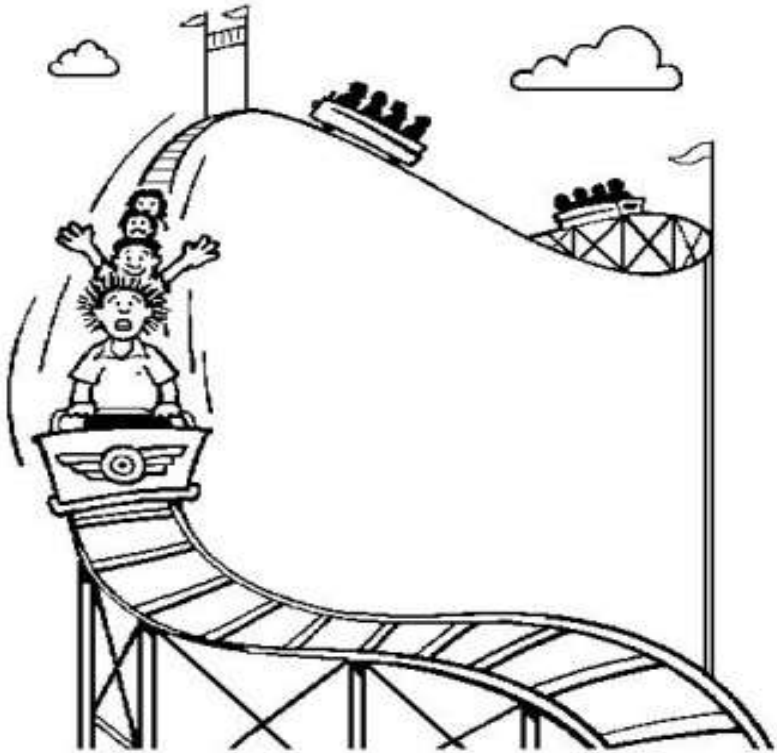
Associate Pastor, Derek King

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Day off: Tuesday

For pastoral care needs during non-office hours, listen to the office voicemail greeting at 620-345-8320.





**All things work together for good
for those who love God.
Romans 8:28**

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas
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The Symphony of Scripture
Year of the Bible Week 4

Pre-Worship Music	Robin Schrag
Welcome and Announcements	Fred Goering
Call to Worship	Proverbs 3:1-12
Gift of Music	Ladies Choir Becky Clark, director; Robin Schrag, accompanist
Time with Children	Jill Zerger
Songs	
*HWB 580	<i>My life flows on</i>
*HWB 584	<i>They that wait upon the Lord</i>
Scripture Genesis 39:1-23	Pastor Dave
*STJ 29	<i>You are all we have</i>
Message “All things work together for good: The story of Joseph”	Pastor Dave
Prayers of God’s People	
Offering/ Offertory	Ladies Choir
*Blessing	
*Sending Song HWB 585	<i>In your sickness</i>
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.

Jesus said, "For where two or more of you are gathered in my name, I am there among them" (Matthew 18:20, NRSV).

Welcome those near you to worship, and know that Jesus is in your midst. 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 Samantha and Heath Doane for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

Do you enjoy visiting with your friends and neighbors? If so, the Deacons encourage you to prayerfully consider the following opportunity to serve. We are in need of individuals or couples who would be willing to assist Pastors and Deacons by visiting those in our midst who may be in need of a friendly face and a visit from someone at Eden. The only job requirements are a smile on your face, a listening ear, concern for your congregation and available time. There are no official time limits to your commitment and your brothers and sisters in Christ will be edified by your participation. Please contact one of the Deacons or Pastors if you're willing to assist in this way.

College Students: We don't want to lose track of you. Please get your email and snail mail address to us ASAP. You can email us at edenmc@mtelco.net or call 620-345-8320 and leave a message if it's after office hours.

Teachers are still needed for our Junior department! Please help us show how much we value the children in our congregation by stepping up to teach. We have a delightful group of children who are eager to learn. Signup sheets are in the fellowship hall, or talk to Katie Gillmore for more details.

Air up those tires, grease those chains and mark your calendar for the 2nd Annual Bike to Church Sunday on Sept. 21. If your bike is too rusty feel free to take any alternative transportation. All ages, young and old, are encouraged to participate. Free will donation offering will be collected to benefit PET Kansas.

March 4 is the only Wednesday night meal still available to be served. If your class or group is looking for a fundraiser meal, get in touch with Katie Gillmore.

Cradle to Crayons is seeking individuals who may be interested in helping families in need pay their tuition for preschool. If interested please contact Christina Graber at 620-345-2390 or by email at cradletocrayons@mtelco.net.

Eden This Week

- Sunday** 9:30 a.m. Worship service
10:30 a.m. Fellowship time
10:40 a.m. Sunday school
- Wednesday** 6:00 a.m. Deacons/Pastors mtg.
6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

Looking Ahead

- Sep 30** 6:00 p.m. Stewardship Commission mtg. at church office
- Oct 1** 6:00 p.m. Supper
6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
- Oct 5** World Communion celebrated at Eden
- Oct 6** 7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.
8:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship Commission mtg.
- Oct 7** Mary Martha all day meeting
- Oct 8** 6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
- Oct 16** Staff Congregation Relations Team mtg.

Last Sunday, Sep 14, 2014

Worship: 196 , S.S.: 147

Offering: \$7160.00

Next Sunday, Sep 28, 2014

Children's Story: Carole Stevens
Nursery: Teresa & Dennis Graber
Music: Eden Worship Band

Remember in Prayer

Vic Goering: Continuing recovery at Schowalter Villa.

Western District Conference: Pray for guidance for Gilberto Flores, Associate Conference Minister, as he meets with a Hispanic group wanting to start a new church in Omaha, NE.

Please remember the love offering for our new arrival Coy Kaufman. The piggy bank is on the library table. The bank will be given to the parents, Brandon and Morgan Kaufman.

Join in the discussion Wednesday - we'll talk about our Year of the Bible experiences. Adult class will be held from 6:45-7:30. Kindergarten and 1st graders will have Bible activities, and childcare will be provided for our youngest ones. There will be NO MEAL served at Eden this Wednesday, except for High School Youth.

The Farmers Market will continue through September. We have tomatoes, peppers, sweet potatoes, baked goods, honey and jams. We expect a Fall crop of sweet corn to be ready between September 16-23. If you are interested in an order of corn, contact Mark Rupp at 620 345-6603 between those dates.

Pastoral care is a shared responsibility between the pastors and deacons. The pastors share responsibilities for pastoral care during the week. Deacons and pastors share on call responsibilities for pastoral care needs on weekends. Occasionally, deacons help with pastoral care needs during the week depending on the pastors' schedules. If you call the church office during the office hours with a pastoral care need, Becky Koller, church office secretary, can help direct you to a pastor, or if need be, a deacon who is on call. If you have a pastoral care need after office hours or on a weekend, you may call the church office phone and voicemail will give information regarding who is on call. Information about how to reach the pastor/deacon on call for pastoral care needs during non-office hours has been added to the church information box on the back of the bulletin.

The 14th Annual Benefit Day Walk With A Resident Walk-a-thon will be Thursday, Sep 25. This annual event helps to benefit the residents and staff of Pine Village. Walkers have the opportunity to walk with or push one of our Pine Village Residents. You may select a resident or be paired up. Walk-a-thon packets and brochures are on the table in the fellowship hall or call 620-345-2900 for more information.

The Pine Village Garage and Bake Sale will be Sep 26 and 27. On Fri. the 26th the garage/bake sale will be from 5-7:00 p.m. Saturday the hours will be from 8:00–noon. Breakfast of coffee, juice and rolls will be served from 7:30-9:00 a.m. on Saturday with a lunch of Sloppy Joes, pickles, chips and desserts will be available from 10:30-noon. Donations welcome. Call Pine Village at 620.345.2901 with questions.

Mennonite Central Committee would like to invite you on a Learning Tour to Kenya. On February 7-17, 2015 you will discover, first-hand, Sand Dams at work and see other MCC supported programs in the areas of health, education and peace. The estimate cost for this learning tour is \$1110 per person, which includes food, lodging, and in-country transportation. Airfare needs to be purchased separately. Space is very limited. For more information contact Anna Yoder by Monday **Sept 22**, 2014 at annayoder@mcc.org or 316.283.2720.

Come visit Bethel College's newly renovated Fine Arts Center art gallery, named in honor of Bob Regier. The current exhibit is "Five Decades of Fun: The Work of John David Boyd," featuring prints by the late WSU professor. Hours are Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sun., 2-4 p.m.; admission is free.

Sun., Sept. 21 – KIPCOR 2014-15 film series begins with the 2007 documentary Miss HIV, 3 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Bethel College's Fine Arts Center; free with donations accepted to support the work of KIPCOR. The 88-minute film exposes the heated rhetoric, conflicting agendas, high stakes and heavy toll in the battle over strategies to cope with the ongoing AIDS epidemic. Talk-back session will follow screening.

Help needed at Newton Et Cetera Shop: Serve Mennonite Central Committee and your local community by clerking at Et Cetera Shop! Clerks are needed for morning, afternoon, and evening shifts. Call 283-9461 or email manager@newtonetceterashop.com.

If you are a Junior or Senior in high school, EMU is basically paying you to come out and visit us! It's called 2014 EMU Fly-Trip. How it works is EMU is PAYING for \$400 dollars of your trip to come out here to visit campus on October 23rd-25th. Once you are out here we'll cover housing, food and a ride to and from the airport, so really you'll be paying just for the leftover ticket cost. Here is the link to more information, (emu.edu/flytrip). Please contact me if you have questions, 540-432-4118 or andrew.penner@emu.edu.

Sun., Sept. 28 – "Bethel College Wind Ensemble Plays the Classics II" opens the concert season at Bethel, 3 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in the Fine Arts Center; free with freewill offering taken to support music study and performance at Bethel

Don't miss out on the fun and learning happening during a Hesston College Homecoming 2014 – Each Other's Light: A multicultural Celebration Sep 25-28 with an emphasis on the rich multicultural history of alumni from around the U.S. and world. Weekend includes Go Everywhere Seminar Presentations, *Heavenly Voices* play, the Student Scholarship Golf Tournament, tailgate tapas style picnic and family festival, entertainment stage, volleyball matches, class reunions, Luke Hartman worship message, Tony Brown's *I Go On Singing Show* and the annual Alumni and Friends Banquet honoring the Osbornes. More information at Hesston.edu/homecoming for more details and registration.

Camp Mennoscah has two retreats this fall for scrapbookers of all skill levels on Oct. 31-Nov. 2 and Nov. 14-16. Search for those boxes of pictures or grab your computer and join us for a fun weekend of sessions, fellowship, and all the time you want to crop! Registration forms can be found in the Retreats section at www.campmennoscah.org.

Mt. Hope Sanctuary Taco Tuesday, Sept 30 from 11a.m. - 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church (119 N. Elm St. McPherson). The menu includes: tacos, burritos, taco salad, nachos, homemade baked goods, and beverages. Your free will donation support the ministry of Mt. Hope Sanctuary!

Join us for our second concert of the 2014-15 Prairie Window Concert Series: Cotton Wine on Sunday, Oct 5 at 4 p.m. at Dyck Arboretum of the Plains in Hesston. Enjoy Cotton Wine's captivating stage presence, stellar voices, mastery of multiple instruments and innovative songwriting. Concert tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for kids. Appetizers will be available for purchase during intermission. Please call 620.327.8127 to reserve tickets.

Camp Mennoscah seeks a person who loves Camp to work 30 hours a week as Office Assistant. Under direction of the Camp Director, the job responsibilities include scheduling reservations, entering camp/retreat registration data, assisting with accounting tasks, working with guest groups to meet their needs, sharing in custodial tasks and weekend hosting as assigned by Camp Director. To apply, please email resume and cover letter to campmno@mennowdc.org, or mail same to Olivia Bartel, Camp Director, P.O. Box 65, 9458 SE 40th Street, Murdock, KS 67111. **Deadline is Sept 30.**

“All things work together for good” The Story of Joseph

Outline of Genesis 39:1-23

- 1) **Verses 1-6a** ***Joseph is sold as a slave.***
Joseph is successful as a house manager.
“The LORD was with Joseph” (verses 2, 3)
- 2) **Verses 6b-12** ***Joseph is seduced.***
Joseph resists seduction.
(He leaves his garment behind)
- 3) **Verses 13-16** ***Joseph is falsely accused.***
(Potiphar’s wife also accuses her husband to “the men of the house”)
- 4) **Verses 17-20** ***Joseph is put in prison.***
(Potiphar’s wife also accuses her husband to his face!)
- 5) **Verses 21-23** ***Joseph is successful as a prison leader.***
“The LORD was with Joseph” (verses 21, 23)

The Joseph story encourages our reflection on these questions: How do we see power at work in the world around us? Who has the power? How do they use it? Whom does it benefit? How do we see power misused? Who are the powerless? How have they become disempowered? How might they be empowered? In what relationships are you relatively powerful or powerless? How do you use express your power?