

**Eden Mennonite Church**  
**June 21, 2015**  
***Baptism Sunday***  
**Order of Worship**

**Welcome** - Pastor Lee

**Call to Worship** (Youth Litany)

**Singing** - *All creatures of our God and King*

**Children's Story** – Berni Kaufman

**Offering** - *All who are thirsty*

**Singing** - *Create in me a clean heart*

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 3:2b-14, 21-22 - Gary Howard

**Message** - Pastor Derek

**Prayer of Confession**

**Introduction of Baptism**

**Sharing by Candidates**

Ben Schrag, Jacob Ewy, Chelsey Knight, Jaeden Dalke, and Josh Knight

**Confirmation of Candidates**

**Reception of Candidates**

**Song** - *Water has held us (Morning has broken)*

**Baptisms in the creek**

### **All creatures of our God and King**

All creatures of our God and King  
Lift up your voice and with us sing  
O praise Him alleluia  
Thou burning sun with golden beam  
Thou silver moon with softer gleam  
O praise Him O praise Him  
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Thou rushing wind that art so strong  
Ye clouds that sail in Heav'n along  
O praise Him alleluia  
Thou rising moon in praise rejoice  
Ye lights of evening find a voice  
O praise Him O praise Him  
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Let all things their Creator bless  
And worship Him in humbleness  
O praise Him alleluia  
Praise praise the Father praise the Son  
And praise the Spirit three in One  
O praise Him O praise Him  
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

### **Create in me a clean heart**

Create in me a clean heart O Lord my God  
And renew a right spirit within me within me (Repeat)

Cast me not away from Thy presence O Lord  
Take not Thy Holy Spirit from me  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation  
And renew a right spirit within me

## **All who are thirsty**

All who are thirsty  
All who are weak  
Come to the fountain  
Dip your heart in the stream of life  
Let the pain and the sorrow  
Be washed away  
In the waves of His mercy  
As deep cries out to deep  
We sing  
  
Come Lord Jesus come  
Come Lord Jesus come  
(Holy Spirit come, Holy Spirit come)

## **Water has held us**

Water has held us, moved by creation.  
Out of dark chaos, broke forth the light.  
Up from the deluge, showing God's promise,  
Has come a rainbow, gladdening sight.  
  
Water has saved us, as the sea parted  
For Israel's children, walled on each side.  
This love has led us, helped us in trouble,  
On far horizon, God's cloud our guide  
  
Water has cleansed us, bathed with forgiveness,  
Has, with clear blessing, washed sin away.  
Jordan's strong currents God's Son announcing,  
Made a beginning, baptismal day.  
Water has touched us, fresh on our foreheads,  
showing an inward, spiritual grace.  
Into God's fam'ly, we have been welcomed  
As sons and daughters, we take our place.

### **Remember in Prayer**

**Neva Schrag:** Under hospice care at Pine Village

**Verlene Kaufman:** Dismissed from Mercy Hospital

**Anne Schrag:** Dismissed from Mercy Hospital

**Pastoral Search Process:** Jerry Schrag, Bob Tolle, Samantha Doane, Cindy Bartell, Larry Temple, Jenny Schrag, Future Eden Pastor

**Western District Conference:** Pray for Nadine Friesen who will be ordained today at 4 pm at First Mennonite Church, Hillsboro, KS. Nadine is currently serving as Chaplain of Independent Living at Schowalter Villa, Hesston, KS.

**Mennonite Church USA:** Pray for all who are making preparations for the convention in KS City June 30-July 5.

**Patsy Knoll and Jerry Lankford request the prayers of the congregation** with their upcoming marriage on June 27.

**Thank You to everyone who has posed for or turned in pictures** for the bulletin board at church. There is still room for your picture if you have not had time to provide a picture yet. Jean Regier would be happy to take a photo for you or turn your favorite in to Bret Gillmore.

**Let's Retreat together! Mark your calendars for July 11, 12** for the church retreat at Camp Mennoscah. We have reserved main camp AND the Retreat Center, so there are many options for spending the night Saturday. More details will follow. Please contact Pastor Derek with any questions.

**The Worship Commission would like your participation** in the fall quarter sermon series. Please help us determine the 12 scriptures that are most formational to our church by writing down your favorite scripture passages. You may write up to 10 scriptures that are most meaningful to you. Either place it in the box on the information table in the fellowship hall, or reply to the church office. Please include your name along with the passages. All responses should be turned in by July 19 to continue the planning process. Thank you

**The Moundridge Food Pantry is needing volunteer assistance** on the 2nd Tuesday and the 3rd Tuesday each month from 5 to 6 p.m. We need 2 persons on each day. Please call Marge Goering 345-2444 or Luene Flickinger 345-8572 for more information.