

# EDEN ECHOES

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**Lenten Thoughts: Living on God's Time** 

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The beginning of January was a very busy time for me, personally and vocationally. My immediate family decided to space out their visits from the East Coast over the holiday season, instead of visiting all at the same time. So in the two weeks after the New Year, my sister visited us from Virginia, fol-

lowed by my brother from Pennsylvania. During that time, our faith community walked with the families of Erma Goering and Maggie Rath through their funerals and hosted the

lively Ugandan Kids Choir. It all seems like a blur to me now. It was a very busy, very full time for our church family and for me.

As I reflected on those couple of weeks, I realized that while it may have seemed like too much to be host to my family while all these church events were going on, it actually kept me sane and healthy. The deaths and funerals of Erma and Maggie weighed heavily on many. It would have been easy for me to spend lots of extra time preparing, meaning evenings of reading and writing instead of time with family. But because my siblings were present, I had an obligation to be a host and a brother. Instead of coming home and stressing over the minutia of the funerals, I had to come home, make some popcorn, and get out some board games. I was "forced" to stay focused on what was important: those things or people which were in front of me in the present.

I get the sense that Lent can feel like a heavy, busy time for many. In addition to the daily grind, we are often asked to take extra time to be more introspective. We are asked to perhaps give something up like sweets or technology. Giving something up is meant to help us realize our independence on God, so sometimes giving something up is combined with taking on more intentional spiritual disciplines. Some will practice fasting, will pray more often, read the Bible or a devotional more than they might otherwise. In the Lent season, we are also asked to gather more often, especially in the week leading up to Easter.

Let me be clear that I'm not advocating for us to fill up our schedules for the sake of tradition or out of obligation. However, I do believe that how we fill our calendars is a holy practice. We have been given the gift of life, so how we order the time we've been given should be done carefully and prayerfully. It reminds me of they way we might handle our finances. We may be tempted to just give a certain percentage of our income to the church and then do whatever we want with the rest. However, I believe that all that we've been given should be understood as gifts from God, so we Christians do our best to keep track of our finances carefully, give generously, and invest and spend ethically and responsibly. Similarly, we may be tempted to set aside Sunday mornings as our time for God and leave it at that, but I would like us to consider how we might see the entire calendar as something that glorifies God.

I won't presume to have the answers for how exactly to do that, but here's one possibility to try. Clear out your calendar and start from scratch. Then, refill your calendar, beginning with the things that are most important. How would your calendar start to form? Becky and I believe that regular prayer, Bible reading, exercise, dates, and visiting our neighbors are all essential practices for holistic health of ourselves and our family, but those are things that we rarely put in the calendar. We have always just assumed we'll get to them "when there's time." But what would it look like if we all built our calendars beginning with those essential activities? Perhaps if we "forced" ourselves to prioritize our time as a spiritual practice, we would become healthier, even through our overwhelming schedules.



#### **Eden Leadership Team Minutes**

The Eden congregation met Sunday, February 7, 2016 after the potluck meal.

Bret called the meeting to order.

Pastor Derek opened the meeting with Hymn 71

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee.

The annual report books are available online or in printed form. Bret asked if there were any additions or corrections to be made. Ruth Kaufman moved that we accept the record books as printed. Mark Stucky seconded. Motion carried.

**Budget Report - Jay Goering:** The total revenue for 2015 was \$440,625.28. The expenses for the year are listed in detail in the report book. They total \$438,803.66. That left us a balance of \$1,821.62 in the black. We were \$40,000.00 below our expenses in November. A big thanks to the congregation for stepping with all your contributions to end up in the black. We were a little under budget for our expenses. We made all 6 mission payments. They are made every two months starting in February. This is the first time in a very long time that we have made all 6 mission payments. The total money on hand is \$269,355.86. This money is held by the church for payments. The organizations such as Mary Martha, Mennonite Men. FEWZ, and Student Grant balances are not available for budget. The amount in the Capital Building Fund is \$63,933.39. This is used for remodeling projects. The video and sound remodeling project was paid out of that fund. The money for the roof repairs came out of the maintenance fund and from insurance proceeds. Something new for 2016. We are starting the year with a zero balance for all the Commissions. When the Commissions spend money for their needs, that amount will be put in their account. This left approximately \$26,000.00 available. The Stewardship Commission will report on the use of those excess funds.

There were no additions or corrections to the Treasurers report? Al Neufeld moved and Mark Stucky seconded we accept the budget report. Motion Carried.

Stewardship Commission - Bob Schrag: The committee was contacted last summer to think about how we could focus on better Stewardship. With Pastor Derek's help, we tried to decide how to proceed, we were working on a plan that would not affect Commissions or Committees in any way. With approval of Stewardship Commission and ELT we decided to split the excess among all the mission projects and then still make our regular payments as they come due. There was very broad support for this idea. Maybe this would make up for the years where we were short. There was an AMEN and applause.

Bret asked for any new business. There was none.
Becky Koller moved and Linda Goering seconded to adjourn the meeting. All in favor say AMEN. Motion carried.

We started the Year End Collebration with special music.

We started the Year End Celebration with special music. Pastor Derek, Becky King and Kyle and Sarah Neufeld led us in the song *Together*. This was a time for everyone to share their joys for things that have happened throughout 2015. The willingness of everyone in the congregation to dive into this new leadership structure and be willing to say yes to a position in the church was very much appreciated.

These are things that the Commissions are highlighting for 2015:

**Education Commission - Katie Gillmore:** Gave thanks for the energy she saw among people in the congregation, the

growth of the younger S.S. classes, and the all age Children's Day program. She also shared being grateful for technology for use in S.S. rooms, and relations developing to strengthen church family. She looks forward to continuing this work.

Worship Commission - Linda Goering: She felt positive about Year of the Bible, including incorporating Biblical food tasting events. She enjoyed the different visuals used in the sanctuary, and all the talents and gifts portrayed in the Art Gallery. She was happy for the overhead screen in the back of the sanctuary.

**Deacon Commission - Bonita Howard:** They met regularly with the Pastors, developed their job description, and focused on spiritual leadership and congregational care. They also served communion, and distributed funds for benevolent needs in the congregation and community. The decided to divided disbursement of benevolent funds for community to the Peace/Witness Commission, and the deacons will take care of needs for the congregation. Six people assisted with visitation trained by Gail Graber. Approximately 200 letters were sent out in December to those who didn't respond to the first membership letter.

**Trustee Commission:** They had a workday with 25-30 people helping. Everyone was put to work. Some worked in cemetery filling in around graves, some cleaned out storage shed. They also changed the bulbs behind the cross. Thanks everyone for your help! In the future, they will be replacing all the bulbs in the sanctuary hanging lights. There also is a lot of groundwork outside.

**Congregation Jovs:** Some of the things people shared were joys included young people taking over responsibility in the church, musical groups, children's storytellers and visuals. Pastor Derek shared being thrilled that after a lot of funerals, he was able to preform weddings, baby dedications, and baptisms. Others shared celebration of the Pastoral and church staff we have at Eden. Thanks for support of PET was expressed. They were able to build a kitchen for a lady and provide shoes and clothes for little girls and they also will be providing food for elderly ladies. The government no longer supports some of these organizations. Thankfulness for Pastor Lee to stay on longer than intended was shared along with appreciation for Pastor Derek who is a young, energetic and challenging pastor who takes us out of our comfort zone. We come away with a deeper understanding. Others shared thankfulness for our church family. Appreciation was shared for the congregation being patient as we entered into an unknown with our new structure. We don't know where God is taking us but He is at work in our church. Kylie shared thankfulness for support of the school. They were able to purchase a heating system for a school family and also glasses for students.

Appreciation was shared for Jeff Koller for his work with MDS. For the closing, a prayer was offered. We learned to say Hallelujah and Amen in sign language.

We closed with Hymn 118 (606) Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow.

Everyone was dismissed. JoLene Kaufman, Secretary



Greetings from Hopi Mission School! I want to connect with Eden, and let you know that we greatly appreciate the support you've shown our school through prayer, donations, and box tops/soup labels. This generosity helps our stu-

dents receive a free education at the top school on the Reservation, while experiencing the love of Jesus every day!

I'm attaching our school's 2015 Newsletter (also available to download from our website). I hope that it can give you a small glimpse into what we're doing in our ministry. A newsletter has also been posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. You can also stay updated via our facebook page and website:

Facebook: <a href="http://hopimission.school">www.facebook.com/hopimission.school</a>
Website: <a href="http://hopimission.school">http://hopimission.school</a>

Please let me know if you would like any more information or need any questions answered. The reason our ministry continues (and I personally have been able to stay here for 6 years) is because of Eden's constant support! Thank you!

Kristen Schrag Hopi Mission School





## Sunday Mar. 20, Palm Sunday

9:30am Worship @ Eden 12pm Associated Churches Lunch and Prayer Walk @ Moundridge Senior Center

# Tuesday Mar. 22

7pm Associated Churches Worship Service in the style of Taize @ Pine Village Wellness Center

# Friday Mar. 25, Good Friday

6:30pm Meal, Communion, and Prayer Activities

@ Eden

# Sunday Mar. 27, Easter Sunday 7:00 a.m.

Sunrise Service with First and West Zion

@ Russ Stucky's pasture 1 mile east of Christian on
Buckskin Rd.

9:30 a.m.

Worship @ Eden



#### Church work day scheduled

The trustees have scheduled Saturday, March 19th, as a church work day. Following is a list of priority work to be done. Please bring your own equipment that you will need to perform these tasks, i.e. paint brushes, rollers, rags, short ladders, step stools,

shovels and wheelbarrows. If you cannot help with these priority tasks, general deep cleaning and window washing will be appreciated. We hope to see you there! These are the jobs we plan to accomplish:

- Fill in dirt around the graves in the cemetery
- Paint hallways on the north and in the southwest part of the church
- Changing light bulbs in the sanctuary fixtures There really is something for everyone to do. Please plan to join us.

#### **MCC Sale Updates**

The Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale will be held April 8 & 9 on the Kansas State Fairgrounds in Hutchinson. Sign-up sheets for MCC sale are on table in fellowship hall. There are many opportunities for everyone. Two that should be highlighted are below:

The verenika committee needs 4 new couples this year. The quilt entry deadline to be pictured in sale book is March 7.

#### **Mennonite Women Spring Supper**

Thursday, March 17, at 6:00 p.m. will be the Mennonite Women Spring Supper at Whitestone Mennonite Church, 629 Crescent Drive in Hesston. Marlene Bogard, executive director of Mennonite



Women USA will be the speaker with the theme *Making Connections: friendship, faith and women today.*Music will be provided by Whitestone Women's Quartet. A meal of ham, potatoes and more will be provided by the Whitestone Youth Group for \$10 payable at the door. A brainstorming, question/answer time will follow the presentation.

Please make your reservation with name(s) due **March 10** to ksmennonitewomen@gmail.com or 620-327-8201(Angie at Hesston College).

This event is sponsored by Mennonite Women organization of South Central and Western District Conferences. Offering—WDC project: The International Women's Fund (IWF) scholarships help women around the world receive training and education for church leadership. Make check to Mennonite Women USA for WDC project. Or to South Central Conference.



# Mennonite Central Committee Comforter Blitz

The MCC Comforter Blitz will be March 7, 8, & 9 this year at Journey Mennonite Church at the Yoder cam-

pus. Monday's hours will be noon-5pm, Tues and Weds. 9am-5pm. A meal will be served Tues and Weds noon for a donation, or you can bring a sack lunch. Come and have a good time while helping others. For more information call Carol Peters (316-283-4232) or Lois Leinbach 620-327-4119. Pick up a little pink card on the literature table in the fellowship hall with all the pertinent information.

#### **Invitation to Share**



The "invitation to share" project for the month of March is Health Kits: 1 toothbrush, (adult size; leave in wrapper), 1 large bar bath soap, 1 fingernail clipper, 1 hand towel (larger than fingertip, dark color). Place contents in a fabric double drawstring bag, 11" x 16". If you want to support this project you may write a check to Eden with "invitation to share" in the memo line. Please mail checks to the church office, P.O. Box 406, Moundridge, KS 67107.

#### **Eden Leadership Team Minutes**

The Eden Leadership Team met Thursday, February 18, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the church. Present were: Kyle Neufeld, JoLene Kaufman, Jay Goering, Bill Zerger, Carol Zerger, Marcy Schrag, Pat Stucky, Perry Krehbiel, Jerry Schrag, Brenda Dalke, Pastor Derek King, and Berni Kaufman. Absent were: Bret Gillmore, Pastor Lee Suderman and Jean Regier.

Kyle called the meeting to order in Bret's absence. Marcy led in devotions. She shared a personal story that told how we try to fix things ourselves instead of being patient and waiting on God. She referred to Proverbs 3:5. Trust in the Lord with all your heart. She led in prayer.

The minutes were corrected as follows: In the Deacon Commission report, it was changed to "They finished with the membership forms that were sent out, although the final results aren't yet available. Unofficially, the total membership went from 634 to 445 full time members." The minutes were approved as corrected.

**Treasurer:** Jay Goering reported Revenue is: \$42,695.36; Expenses are \$37,104.51; This leaves a difference of \$5,590.85; the Budget is \$57,621.49. Christian/Education Discipleship Commission has spent \$2,925.55 of their \$6,000.00 budget. MCC contributions of \$748.00 was for the Syrian Bucket Challenge, which will be sent soon. The \$290.00 for Food Bank will also be sent in the near future. No Mission payments have been made yet. That will happen at the end of February and then the \$26,000.00 also will be divided among the mission projects. What is the difference between expenses of \$37,104.51 and the expenditures in the columns? Payroll which doesn't show up on this report is included in the \$37,104.51.

Worship Commission: Nothing to report. Pastors will share about the services during Lent and after.

Christian Education/Discipleship Commission: Children's Day will be Sunday, June 5. It will possibly include all ages.

**Trustee Commission:** Church Work Day will be March 19. They will be painting halls and possibly some S.S. rooms, replacing bulbs in sanctuary lights, and filling in around graves and any other projects which can be completed. What is procedure for maintenance expenses? Do they need approval before they can be completed? It will also cost \$9,000.00 to jack up foundation and fix that. The budgeted amount for maintenance is \$12,000.00. If we use up the amount at the start of the year and want to do more who decides where money comes from? Not sure what the policy is.

**Deacon Commission:** In the report that was emailed to everyone it should read <u>foot</u> washing instead of food washing. After the church directory comes out, they will be working on changing mailboxes around. We also had a discussion about same-sex marriages, and some discussion on sermon topics.

Stewardship Commission: The endowment committee will meeting with Everence next Tuesday.

**Pastor Derek:** Pastor Lee is doing well after cataract surgery. Derek and Becky attended a Kansas Leadership Seminar for 3 days in Wichita at the Kansas Leadership Center. Worship is planned through the end of June when Pastor Lee's time is up.

**SCRT:** As outlined in the job description, the purpose of the SCRT is to care for the relationships among the church staff. The SCRT serves in a relational and mediating role. They serve in a consulting role and make recommendations to ELT. Their meeting time and content is as follows: The team and lead pastor meet monthly. The agenda is driven by the pastor. The pastor is invited to share regarding personnel, staff, church and broader church life, while the Team listens to affirm, challenge, advise and encourage. The information is received and kept in confidence. As harbingers of the information, we can advocate for the staff in the public. From the beginning, Pastor Derek has been invited to a separate monthly meeting. After the first year, he determined that this frequency is not necessary. He continues to receive the invitation and responds with a short written report. To maintain some regular contact, the Team meets with the Associate Pastor quarterly.

The Team meets separately with each non-pastoral member of the staff and a person from the accountability group in the second or third quarter of the year to discuss performance and work load. (Secretary/Pastors, Custodian/Trustees, Choir Director/Worship Commission). A follow-up meeting is called in October/November for the purpose of discussing job description and memo of understanding, to be signed by December 31 for the coming year.

#### **ELT Minutes Continued**

The first year for SCRT was spent trying to figure out how this new Team works at Eden, let alone how it fits into a new structure. The second year was encumbered by the delay of getting a new team member, and then Dave's departure. Here we are in year three, members appointed, positions established and ready to define some normalcy. And then we realize it's time for Derek's review.

February 1 Derek began his third year of ministry at Eden. The suggestion is to have this transpire in the second of a three year term. Well, that didn't happen, so here we are.

As stated in the Memo Of Understanding:

15. Accountability: The Associate Pastor is supervised by the Lead Pastor with accountability to the Eden Leadership <u>Team</u>. The Associate Pastor is part of the pastoral team in guiding the spiritual life of the congregation.

16. Termination of Contract: This Memo of Understanding is subject to a <u>sixty-day cancellation</u> notice on the part of either the Pastor or the ELT.

Given this time frame, the vote to extend the term should come to the congregation no later than November 30. A congregational review should likely precede in early fall. The Team asks the ELT to appoint a review committee for the purpose of discerning a second term for Pastor Derek King. The committee will determine the steps toward this end, (i.e. consultant from WDC with whom to work, timeline, scope of persons to complete the review etc.) This will likely incur some expense. Where does this come from? SCRT doesn't have a line item. ELT does have money budgeted, will it come from this fund?

It was decided by the ELT that the search committee who brought Derek to Eden should be the group for the review committee. SCRT will also submit a member of their committee to be on that committee. Those members are: Carina Knight, Candy Unrau, Ryan Goering, Katie Gillmore, Kyle Schrag and Don Kaufman. Bret will contact these people about their willingness to be on the committee.

**Vision Statements:** Pastors Lee and Derek handed out worksheets to S.S. classes to give their opinion about the proposed vision statement on February 14 and 21. They are going to work on these statements at a half day retreat at Schowalter Cabin so they can bring them to ELT for discussion. They are looking at the end of February for this retreat. They will have something for ELT by the March ELT meeting.

**Policy on Memorials:** There were some suggestions to the proposed statements concerning memorials.

### The new guidelines should read as follows:

The Eden Mennonite Church welcomes memorial gifts. Memorials may be given to the following approved list:

Library

Nursery

Music

Student Endowment

Kitchen

Youth Groups

Capital Building Fund

Benevolent Fund

Visual Arts

Sunday School Department

The responsible committees for each area will discuss how

that gift is used. Any undesignated funds will be placed in the Endowment Fund and will be used to provide financial support for our church's mission.

#### Bret arrived at the meeting.

Concern from a S.S. teacher: There needs to be more communication about worship changes that could affect the length of the S.S. hour. We always need to think about who all the people are to notify of these changes. Also looking to possibly move congregation meetings to the sanctuary or at least help the clean up committee by clearing off our tables before the meeting. When we put these new items, such as a congregation meeting on the agenda make a note the people this would affect.

**New Business:** none **Devotions:** no volunteer

NEXT MEETING - TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the church (note meeting date change)

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m. JoLene Kaufman, secretary



Dear Eden Family,

We have been in Albuquerque, NM serving as Service Adventure Unit Leaders since August 2015. The time has flown by and we have seen God's presence at worship and service with the Albuquerque Mennonite Church; during worship components led by the participants; and during learning components led by the participants and others in the community. Our participants will complete their service work the end of May and return home in early June.

Thank you for your care packages, prayers, cards, letters, and financial donations. We pray for God's blessings on you as you serve him in your daily lives.

Blessings,

Bob and Sondra Tolle

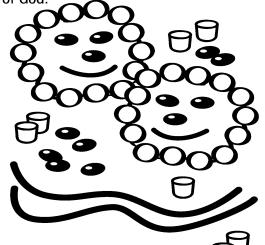
The Bucket Challenge was a complete success! The Peace Committee would like to thank Eden for the support of this project. It was exciting to see this project grow from week to week. The kids did an amazing job as they collected items brought each week. Eden was able to take 50+ buckets to MCC for the Syrian Refugee Relief Buckets. In addition, \$748 was donated and matched to contribute to this effort as well. Thanks for you support!

Peace Committee

We would like to thank everyone for their continued support, cards, visits and prayers. A special thank you to Pastor Lee and Pastor Derek. Thank you again. Nelson and Joan Goering

# LITTLE LAMBS

Make these cute treats as a reminder that Jesus our Savior is also the Lamb of God.

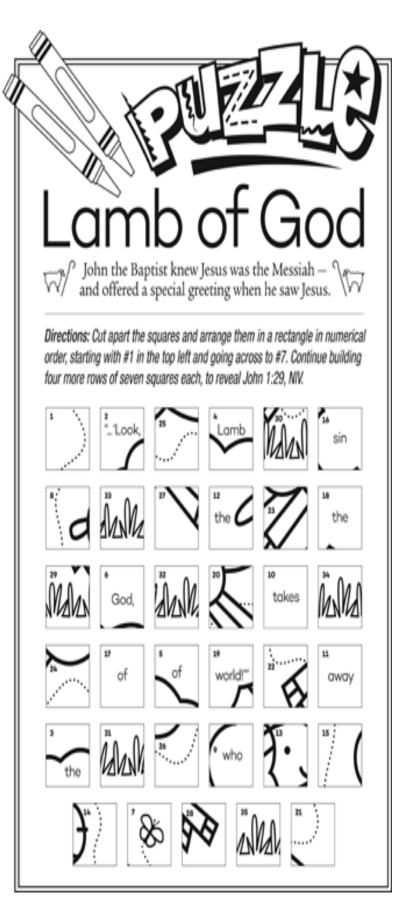


# What you need:

- Vanilla cupcakes
- Vanilla frosting
- Butter knife
- Mini marshmallows
- Jellybeans
- Red licorice

# What you do:

- 1. Bake and frost the cupcakes.
- 2. Place marshmallows around the edge of each cupcake.
- 3. Cut green or blue jelly-beans in half and place two on each cupcake as eyes. Cut pink jellybeans in half and place one below each pair of eyes as a nose.
- 4. Cut thin strips of licorice, and place one on each cupcake as a mouth.
- 5. Enjoy!



#### **March Birthdays**

1- May Juhnke

Terri Neufeld

David Schrag

Emma Schrag (Peter & Debra)

Michael Stucky

2- Virginia Kaufman

Joshua Zerger (Greg & Jackie)

Tillie Zerger

3- Anton Klassen

4- Clarence Goering

Corv Graber

Carol Lichti

Douglas Waltner

5- Lonnie E. Schrag

Marike Stucky

Dennis Wedel

6- Grant McGinness (Paul & Claudia)

Glenna Schrag

Wanita Schrag

7- Kale Arnold (Todd & Sandy)

Claudia McGinness

8- Waneta Goering

9- Matt Harmon

**Emily Knight** 

Venita Patchin

Gail Stucky

10- Steven W. Schrag

Sara Hocking

11- Doug Stucky

12- Janice Graber

Marge Kaufman

13- Roland Kaufman

Jessica Neufeld

Brian Schrag

Boston Smith (Ian & Shayna)

Wayne Waltner

Addison Westfall (Jacob & Tonya)

14- Ren Flickinger

15- Kathy Flickinger

Ty Unrau

16- RJ Clark (Becky Clark)

James Neufeld

Jeff Snyder

17- Gary Schrag

18- Zachary Graber

Karen Kaufman

Shelly Krehbiel

19- Patty Clark

20- Matthew Thiesen

21- Daniel Graber

Elaina Graber (Nathan & Krista)

Nathaniel Graber

Sawyer Kaufman (Brandon & Morgan)

Marcy Schrag

22- Alexa Hoffmann (Phil & Kristy)

Herb Stucky, Jr.

John Elmer Stucky

23- Whitney Fast

24- Ezra Gehring (Don & Robin)

Jake Krehbiel

Anne Schrag

25- Ashton Goering (Blair & Kelly)

Robert K. Stucky

Erika Zahn

26- Marcia Hiebert

Lynn Kaufman

Sandra Koontz

Cole Stucky

27- Zachary Roberson (Steve & Robyn)

Taylor Schrag

Delbert Stucky

Wes Stucky

28- Larry D. Goering

Patricia Mead

29- Lachlan Goering (Patrick & Jennifer)

Marvin J. Goering

Morgan Kaufman

Clinton Krehbiel

31- Dylan Juhnke (Vaughn & Dee)

Richard L. Stucky

#### March Anniversaries

1- Derrick & Laura Law Alan & Tina Waltner

2- Merlin & Lisa Goering Jake & Sandra Krehbiel

Morris & Diana Stucky
4- Nelson & Joan Goering

7- Paul & Claudia McGinness

8- Duane & LaDonna Wedel

16- Dick & Kaylene Gehring

19- Daniel & Annette Knoll

20- Robert & DeLonna Barnett

21- Perry & Betty Kaufman Paul & Sherri Marsh

Russell & Lynelle Stucky

24- Duane & Carol Stucky

27- Wayne & Laurie Schrag

28- Todd & Sandy Arnold

29- Keith & Connie Schrag

30- Larry & Betty Krehbiel

Richard & Lorita Regier
 Orville & Mary Ann Waltner

If there has been an omission or mistaken date please notify the church office.

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# **Up-Coming Events**

Mar 2: 6:00 p.m. potluck meal served

6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets 6:45 p.m. Bible study

6:45 p.m. Dale Schrag's presentations in sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

Mar 3: 7:00 p.m. Deacons/Pastors meeting

Mar 7: Worship Commission mtg.
Mar 7-9: MCC Comforter Blitz at Yoder
Mar 9: 6:00 p.m. meal served

9: 6:00 p.m. meal served 6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets 6:45 p.m. Bible study

6:45 p.m. Dale Schrag's presentations in sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus 7:00 p.m. ELT mtg. at church

Mar 16: 7:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship mtg. at churchMar 17: 6:00 p.m. Mennonite Women USA Supper at

Whitestone in Hesston

Mar 19: Church Workday

Mar 15:

Mar 20: Palm Sunday with 9:30 worship at Eden

Noon Associated Churches lunch and prayer walk @ Moundridge Senior Center

Mar 22:	7:00 p.m. Associated Churches Worship Service at
	Pine Village

Mar 25: Good Friday—Eden Church Office Closed

6:30 p.m. Meal, communion, and prayer activities @Eden

Mar 27: Easter Sunday

7:00 a.m. Sunrise service with First and West Zion

9:30 a.m. Worship at Eden

Mar 30: 6:00 p.m. meal served

6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets 6:45 p.m. Bible Study

6:45 p.m. Dale Schrag's presentations in sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

**Apr 5:** Mary Martha meets

**Apr 6:** Last Wednesday night Bible study session

6:00 p.m. meal served (Last meal for the season)

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8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

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