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MCC Sale Updates

Sign-up sheets for MCC sale are on table in fellowship hall.

Verenika committee needs 4 new couples this year.

Who doesn't enjoy sweetened mashed beans in sweet dough with a sweet cream sauce. **Bohne berrogie bake day** will be April 2 at Moundridge High School. There is a signup sheet on the table in the fellowship hall. Some volunteers are needed on April 1 in the afternoon for a couple of hours to mash beans and also on April 7 in the afternoon to make sauce. If you would like to supply snacks or volunteer those days, contact Marla/Bret Gillmore [620-921-0428](tel:620-921-0428). Let's keep this tradition going and support MCC.

The Feeding of the Multitude at the Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale needs six table waiters on Saturday, April 9. There are two shifts: 10:15-12:15 and 12:-2:15. Please contact Jim and Lois Loflin at 316-835-2529 or lois_loflin@att.net if you could help.

Please have all of your craft items at church by 8:30 a.m. on April 3 so they can be displayed. These items will then be taken to the sale for you.

Invitation to sponsor MCC 5k Run and Walk for Relief on April 9: Ronnie Schrag, and Gregory, Elaine and Denise Krehbiel will be participating. Make checks payable to Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale or to KMRS and labeled Run for Relief in the memo. Thank you for your support.

Easter Sunday

Romans 6:9 ESV



**...death no longer
has dominion
over him.**

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Easter Sunday

Gathering

Prelude

Jill Zerger

Easter Greeting

Pastor Derek

Easter Response

For all have sinned and the wages of sin is death. But God proved his love for us in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son; that whoever believes on him should not perish but have everlasting life.

***Easter Hymn of Praise HWB 280**

Christ the Lord is risen today

Easter Anthem

Let Earth Receive Her King

Chancel Choir

Becky Clark, director; Robin Schrag, accompanist

Time With Children

Candy Unrau

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading

John 20:1-22

Avery Schrag & Pastor Derek

***Hymn of Witness HWB 283**

Christ who left his home in glory

Message

"Celebrating the Meaning of the Resurrection"

Pastor Lee

Responding to the Story

Anthem of Response

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Chancel Choir

Morning Prayer

Offering Ourselves and gifts to God/MCC coin collection/Offertory

(please give your coins for MCC to one of the children)

***Hymn of Response HWB 285**

All hail the power of Jesus' name

***Finale**

Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's *Messiah*

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

STJ - *Sing the Journey* (green book)

*Please stand if able.

All sermons and Scripture can be viewed at www.edenmennonite.org



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.

Christ is risen! Hallelujah! A joyous welcome to all as we celebrate Christ's resurrection and the gift of new life.

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 Jerri and Warren Kaufman for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

The SEEDS Sunday school class is doing an Easter egg hunt again this year. Sunday school will dismiss at 11:15 to the fellowship hall today, Easter Sunday.

Address Updates for the church directory: Arthur Krehbiel, Pine Village, 86 22nd Ave, Apt. 101, Moundridge 67107. Cory Graber, 814 S. Madison, Hugoton, 67951.

Wednesday night activities continue again on March 30 and April 6. Choir members will be serving up hamburgers/hot dogs and sides this Wednesday, March 30 at 6 p.m. Be sure to sign up for that meal. Kids' activities and Dale Schrag's presentation on Anabaptist history will follow at 6:45 p.m. There will be no choir practice on March 30.

Besides March 30 and April 6, Dale Schrag will also be speaking on Anabaptist history on April 13 at 6:45 p.m. There is no meal planned by the Education/Discipleship Commission that night and no kids' activities. The choirs will practice at regular scheduled times.

The Wednesday meal on April 6 is a potluck. People with last names beginning with A-L bring one large vegetable dish, a salad or fresh fruit; M-Z one large main dish or a dozen sandwiches. Have food at church by 6 p.m.

Bob and Sondra Tolle from our church and five young adults, all currently serving in Service Adventure in Albuquerque, NM, through Mission Network, will speak during the Sunday school time April 3. Adult SS classes may decide if they will attend.

Classes with Mission Partners and or Mission Projects please take an offering on April 3 and 10.

Eden This Week

Sunday

Easter Sunday

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

9:30 a.m. Worship service

10:30 a.m. Fellowship time

10:40 a.m. Sunday school

11:15 Easter egg hunt

Wednesday

6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets at First Mennonite

6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal

6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages

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

No Choir

Saturday

Bohne beroggi bake day at Moundridge High School

Looking Ahead

Apr 5:

Mary Martha all day meeting

Apr 6:

6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets at Eden

6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal

6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages

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

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus

8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

No Men's Chorus

Apr 7:

7:30 p.m. Deacons/Pastors mtg.

Apr 11:

7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.

7:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship mtg.

Apr 13:

6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets at Eden

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

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus

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Last Sunday, March 20, 2016

Worship Attendance: 205; Sunday School: 179

Offering: \$4,235.00

Next Sunday, April 3, 2016

Nursery: Britney & DeWayne Stos

Remember in Prayer

Patsy Klassen: Dismissed from Wesley Medical Center

WDC: Pray for WDC participants Anita Kehr, Heidi Regier Kreider and Jonathan Wenger and others joining in a "Come and See" learning tour to Israel/Palestine April 1-13 sponsored by Mennonite Church USA.

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

The Mennonite Men have voted to pay the rent of \$8,800.00 for the buildings for the MCC sale again this year. Like in the past our dues are \$100.00 to fund this project. If you feel led to pay more and are able please do so. Take your check to the Church Office or give it to Keith Albrecht. **All male members of Eden are a part of Mennonite Men.**

Eden's Children's Day program with picnic is planned for June 5, 10 a.m., at church. Circle that date on your calendar.

The Eden Directory for 2016 is available on the Sunday school supply cabinet in the fellowship hall.

There is a box for old directories under the literature table in the fellowship hall. We'd love to recycle them for you.

April is Eden's month to deliver meals for the Moundridge Senior Center. The **sign-up** sheet is located on the literature table in the fellowship hall. Please help deliver these meals. Right now the list is short, so it doesn't take long. It is a well-known fact that volunteers live longer. You don't need to give up all of your free time to reap life-extending benefits. We just need a small part of your time. Thanks for giving this prayerful consideration.

Mary Martha Circle will meet Tuesday, April 5, for our all day work meeting. Lunch is a covered dish. Project will be Newborn Kits.

Pine Village will host its 5th Dementia Education Series beginning March 31. This is a four class series, with classes on March 31, April 14, April 21, & April 28 from 7-8 p.m. at the Wellness Center on the Pine Village campus. The series teaches the basics of dementia, including how it works, its stages and what resources are available to family and caregivers. The Series is taught by Pine Village team members Jenna Lehrman, Director of Nursing, and Shelby Shaw, Director of Marketing. The Series is open to the public and free to attend, but space is limited. If are interested in attending, please sign up by contacting Shelby at [620.345.2901](tel:620.345.2901) or shelby.shaw@pinevillageks.org.

Discarded videos from the library are on a table in the fellowship hall. Feel free to take whatever you want.

The SMCHA Annual Meeting will be April 3, 2016 at 2:30 at the First Mennonite Church, 52 Rambler Rd, (620-662-9385) Hutchinson, KS. The speaker will be John McCabe Juhnke, professor of communication arts, who spent his Fulbright Scholar year at Lesya Ukrainka East European National University in Lutsk, Ukraine. Come learn from John's experiences and hear about the activities of the Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association during 2015. The budget and election will be on the agenda. Reservations are not required, all are welcome. SMCHA members may update their membership and new members may join. Dues are \$20 per year or \$100 for six years paid to Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association.

If you are a local history enthusiast, want to know more about the area, or just need a great way to fill a day, Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association can help. On **Sat, Apr 30**, SMCHA is sponsoring a bus tour throughout the area **featuring more than 55 sites of interest.** Included will be sites of interest to Mennonites, sites of general historical significance, and many human-interest items. For more information contact LaVern Stucky @ 620-983-2348 or lavern@powwwer.net

Camp Mennoscah is looking for temporary custodial/housekeeping help for 8-10 hours per week. Pay is \$11/hour and hours are flexible. The position is open immediately. Please contact us at office@campmennoscah.org or [620-297-3290](tel:620-297-3290).

The Camp Mennoscah Board of Directors invites you to a kitchen/dining hall renovation fund-raising meal on April 23, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. in the Camp Mennoscah dining hall. Space is limited so register early! RSVP by April 15 to 620-297-3014 or office@campmennoscah.org. An invitation with more information is posted on the bulletin board.

Retirees Relaxation Retreat--Camp Mennoscah invites all retirees and those interested to join us April 25-27, 2016. The theme is Mennonites in early Kansas. We'll have Bible Study and singing, coffee breaks, amazing speakers, and time to get to know new folks or catch up with friends. Contact us at [620-297-3290](tel:620-297-3290) or find the brochure online at www.campmennoscah.org.

Camp Mennoscah's summer youth camp theme is *Fearless Faith: Courage in Community*. Register online at www.campmennoscah.org. Scholarships are available. Call 620-297-3290 or email office@campmennoscah.org for more information.

Bethel College:

Sun., March 27 –BC Concert Choir home concert, 7 p.m., Memorial Hall

Tues., March 29 – BC forensics presents its “Night Before Nationals” preview, 7 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center; rated PG-13 for some adult subject matter

Fri., April 1 –BC Jazz Ensemble I and Mid-Kansas Jazz Ensemble; guest artist Pat Bianchi on organ, 7:30 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center

Hesston College Theatre presents the musical drama, *Working*, at 7:30 PM, April 1, 2, 8, and 9 and at 2:30 PM, April 3 and 10. All performances are in Helmuth Studio Theatre in the Northlawn Center for Performing Arts Education. Rated PG for mild language. Tickets are \$10 for adults and seniors; \$5 for students. Tickets can be purchased through Hesston College Bookstore in person, by phone at 620-327-8104 or online at books.hesston.edu. Tickets also available at the door 30 minutes prior to show time and are subject to availability. Purchasing tickets in advance is recommended due to limited seating.

WDC Spring Reference Council: *“Held together in Mission: Being Church in the Rural Context”* – Saturday, April 23, 9 am-3 pm at First Mennonite Church, Beatrice, NE. Everyone is invited to come for worship, fellowship and learning together, as we nurture relationships through deeper understanding of our diverse church contexts. Refreshments and lunch provided. Please RSVP by April 14 to 316-283-6300 or wdc@mennowdc.org. Lodging information at: <http://mennowdc.org/annualassembly#2016springReference>.

MCC Central States has an opening for the position of Executive Director. The Executive Director promotes and encourages support of MCC. The Director works hand-in-hand with a management team which includes the Program Director and the Director of Donor Relations to provide vision and leadership to MCC programs in the region and to develop and maintain strong relationships between MCC and its constituents in the region. This full-time position, based in North Newton, Kan., requires considerable cooperation and coordination with MCC US and the other regional MCCs and considerable travel in the region and beyond. The full job description is available at <http://mcc.org/getinvolved/serve/openings/executive-director-cs>.

Newton Et Cetera Shop seeks full-time general manager, available May 16, 2016. Responsibilities include office administration, store promotion, supervision of large volunteer and staff team. Retail experience helpful. Application deadline: April 15, 2016. Contact: katherineclaassen@hotmail.com.