

Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Names for God:



Yahweh

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Moundridge, Kansas
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Prelude

DeLonna Barnett

Welcome and Opportunities for Discipleship

Pastor Karen Andres

***Call to Worship**

Leader: Eternal God, we worship you this day.

People: Your name is to be praised.

Leader: Your love cannot be contained in these walls.

People: Yet, your love lives in our hearts.

All: Lead us all the days of our lives.

You are the God in whom we trust.

***Opening Song STJ 1**

We sing to you, O God

Worship Music

He Hideth My Soul arr. by Rich Heffler

Valerie Klaassen

Bonita Howard, accompanist

Time with Children

Kristen Schrag

Scripture Reading

Exodus 3:1-15

Message

"Call me Yahweh"

Pastor Derek King

***Song of Response STJ 11**

Praise, praise, praise the Lord

Prayers of the People

Offering/ Offertory

Lilly of the Valley arr. by Dana F. Everson

Please give items for Camp Mennoscah to children

***Sending Prayer for Renae Stucky**

Benediction

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

STJ - *Sing the Journey* (green book)

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

YouTube channel.



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 as we thank and praise the Lord together. The psalmist states (Psalm 50:23) that thanksgiving is the sacrifice that best glorifies God.

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

The Junior SS Department is collecting items for Camp Mennoscah this summer. Through the month of August, you can contribute non-food items during the offering time in worship. For a reminder of what items you can donate, pick up a list from the table in the fellowship hall or contact Kathy Waltner.

Katie Gillmore is the newest service volunteer from Eden! She is serving in a school in Puerto Rico for a year. Our church members have the opportunity to help sponsor her in this position. You may leave donations at the church office or with any of the Peace/Witness members. These are Pat Rupp, Jeri Kaufman, Keith Schrag, Kirby Goering and Jean Regier.

Please join us for breakfast at church on Sunday, Today, August 7 at 8:45 a.m. to show support for Renae Stucky who is going to Rwanda to serve with Serving and Learning Together, SALT. She has accepted an 11 month term. Donations for our long-term volunteers will also be accepted at that time.

The Adult Sunday School Elective will be respond to the question, "Why Weddings?" this morning in room 131. All are welcome.

The Education/Discipleship Commission is hosting a catered meal on Aug. 21 to thank our SS teachers. If you are a SS teacher or led activities on Wednesday night this past year, you will be getting an invitation. Please RSVP to Pat Stucky by Aug. 15. Those teaching in the Junior Department (ages 2- grade 12 will meet at 2 p.m. that day for an important meeting to plan for the next SS year.

Eden This Week

Sunday	8:45 a.m. Breakfast at church to show support for Renae 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:40 a.m. Sunday School
Monday:	7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.
Tuesday:	7:00 p.m. Music planning mtg. at church office
Wednesday:	7:00 p.m. Deacons/Pastors meeting

Looking Ahead

Aug 14:	10:00 a.m. Worship Service held at Pine Village. No SS.
Aug 21:	Noon meal to honor SS teachers at church
Sep 28:	Fall Wednesday night Bible study begins

Last Sunday, July 31, 2016

Worship Attendance: 185; Sunday School: 152
Offering: \$5,129

Next Sunday, Aug 14, 2016

At Pine Village; No Sunday school; No services at Eden

Music: Ted Krehbiel

Children's Time: Kylie Goering

Remember in Prayer

Arlene Thiesen: Dismissed from Mercy Hospital

Jerry Stucky: Dismissed from Mercy Hospital

WDC: Give thanks for WDC Annual Assembly last weekend, and all who gave their time and resources to plan, lead and participate in this special event.

Eden Associate Pastor Search Committee: Cindy Bartell, Sami Doane, Jenny Schrag, Jerry Schrag, Larry Temple

Arlene Thiesen's name was inadvertently omitted from the announcement about the birth of Layla Belle Neufeld, born to Kyle and Sarah Neufeld. She is equally delighted with the birth of this great-grandchild.

Eden Worship at Pine Village August 14, 10:00 a.m. Plan to join us as we worship at the Pine Village Wellness Center on Sunday, August 14. The service will begin at 10:00 a.m. to encourage those living at Pine Village to attend. Many residents miss having the opportunity to participate in Sunday morning worship. We invite you to assist a resident or two to the Wellness Center that morning.

There will not be Sunday school following worship, so an extended time of fellowship is encouraged. Hope to see everyone at Pine Village August 14, 10:00 a.m.! **No service at the church building that morning.**

Eden's Wednesday night activities for children and adults will begin Sept. 28.

The kitchen cabinet project goal has been reached. Thank you so much for all your contributions to make this possible. Eden always comes through when you ask them for a special project. Thanks again.

Fish Fry Benefit for the Moundridge Senior Center will be Tuesday, August 9 from 5-7:00 p.m. The menu is fresh fried fish, scalloped potatoes, coleslaw, rolls and homemade pie with ice cream. The proceeds for the fish fry will go toward the purchase of a new reach in refrigerator. Free will donations. Come support the Senior Center. **All ages welcome.**

Pies are needed from Eden for the Senior Center Fish Fry Benefit Meal on Aug. 9. Please sign up on the sheet on the table in Fellowship Hall if you are willing to donate.

Western District Conference

WDC will host evangelical Christian Palestinian leader Rev. Alex Awad for presentations in central Kansas September 2-6, 2016, in response to the Mennonite Church USA resolution on Palestine/Israel. Rev. Awad will lead a session on *Christian Zionism and Theology of the Land* on Sat., Sept 3, 9:00-11:30 a.m. at Shalom Mennonite Church, Newton, KS. On Sun., Sept 4, he will speak in 9:45 a.m. Sunday school and 10:45 a.m. worship at Zion Mennonite Church, Elbing, KS, and at 7 p.m. at Lorraine Avenue Mennonite, Wichita, KS. Rev. Awad will also visit Bethel, Hesston and Tabor colleges for presentations. All events free and open to the public. For more information see the bulletin board in the fellowship hall or go to: <http://mennowdc.org/rev-alex-awad-palestinian-speaker-september-2-6-2016/>.

Camp Mennoscah

Contact Information: [620-297-3290](tel:620-297-3290); Register online at www.campmennoscah.org

Two for One! This year Work & Play Camp and Camp Mennoscah Association's Annual Meeting happen over the same weekend. Work & Play Camp runs from Sept. 16-20 and the Annual Meeting will be on Sunday, Sept. 18. Work & Play Camp is a time of fellowship and service for all ages and abilities. Register online, find the brochure under Retreats, or call us. We can't wait to share this fun time with you!

The Mental Health Spiritual Retreat at Camp Mennoscah is Sept. 4-5. Everyone is invited, including family, friends, and community members of those with mental illness. The theme is Courage in Community. We spend some time talking about the theme, have some time for worship and music, and enjoy some free time. Scholarships are available. Call or register online.

The annual **Women's/Girls Retreat** planned by Western District Conference and South Central Conference will be **at Camp Mennoscah** by Murdock, KS on September 9 - 11. Katherine Goerzen, pastor at Tabor Mennonite Church, will be the featured speaker on Blessed, Beautiful, and Beloved. New this year are giant coloring sheets (bring your crayons, colored pencils, or markers) and catered meals. Music will be provided by Cousins Four. Activities are available for girls age 3rd grade through high school. Go to the website for more details. **Deadline for registration is August 22.** Come for part or all of the retreat which begins Friday evening and ends Sunday after lunch. Registration forms are on the literature table.

Camp Sing Today, August 7! The annual Camp Sing for Camp Mennoscah is at 6:30 p.m. at Grace Hill Mennonite Church on August 7. Donations to help purchase new tableware--plates, bowls, glasses, etc.--will be accepted. We'll be singing camp songs and hymns, snacking on popcorn and pop, and chatting away with anyone and everyone. Summer staff will be leading this time of music and community. See you there!

Mennonite Central Committee

MCC invites you on a **Learning Tour to Haiti Oct 31-Nov 8, 2016**. On this Soil to Table MCC Learning Tour, participants will meet Haitian farmers, marketers and cooks, and learn the importance of food in everyday life, from the soil up. Contact Anna Yoder at annayoder@mcc.org or at [316.283.2720](tel:316.283.2720) for more information.

Mennonite Central Committee Central States is hiring for a Thrift Shop Coordinator. This position is available starting in August and the position location is flexible within the 16-state Central States region. The Thrift Shop Coordinator is expected to encourage shop operations to grow profitability annually, to assist with problem solving in daily operations, to encourage and advocate for board development and sound policies, and to nurture manager skill development while offering and promoting MCC Thrift Shop Network resources. The work schedule is 40 hours per week. The full job description is available at <http://mcc.org/get-involved/serve/openings/thrift-shop-coordinator-cs>. Please contact Heidi Huber at heidihuber@mcc.org for more information.

The MCC Flatlander Bicycle Ride will take place on Saturday, September 17. See the blue brochure on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall or online at <http://mcc.org/get-involved/events/mcc-flatlander-bicycle-ride> for all the details. Both bikers and contributors are needed.