

Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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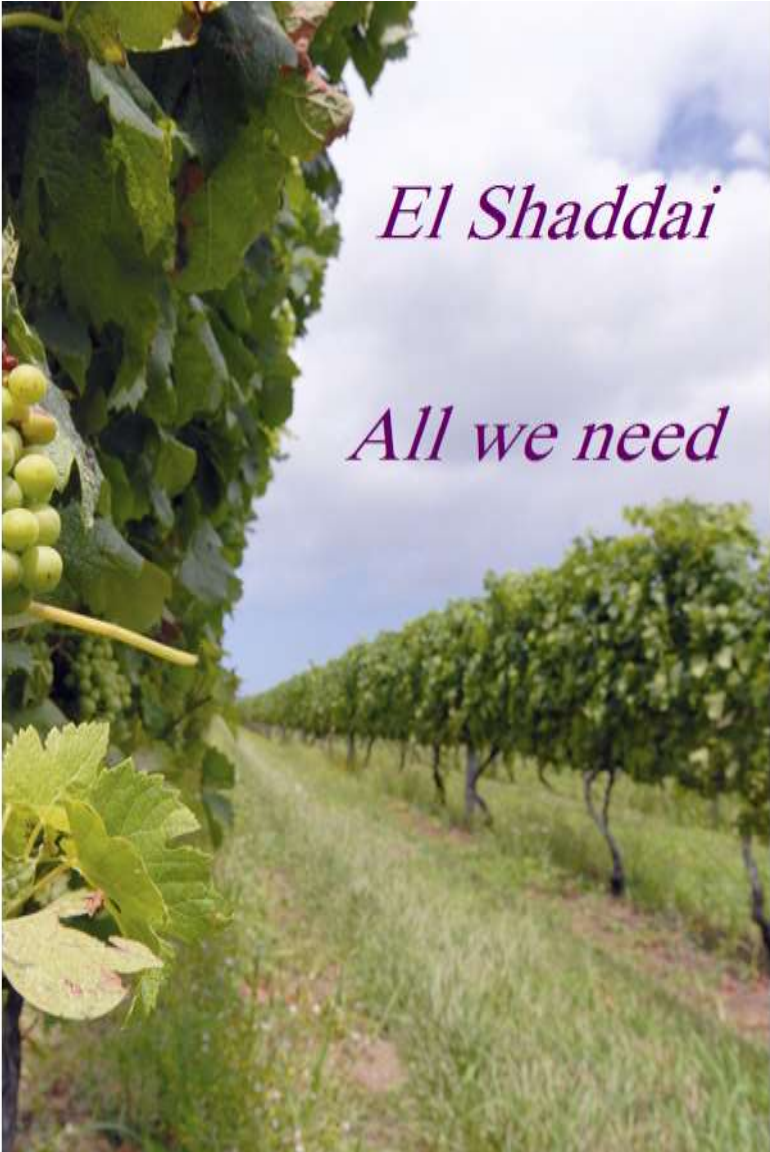
Today, Sun., Sept. 18 – KIPCOR Film Series opens the 2016-17 year with *On the Bride's Side*, which crosses genres to examine what faces those trying to escape Syria and Lebanon for Europe, **3 p.m.** in *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center*; talk-back follows with Jennifer Doran-Pena, executive director, International Rescue Committee, Wichita

You are invited to a Steel Wheels benefit concert, Tuesday, Sept. 20 at 7 pm, at Bethel College Memorial Hall. No advance ticket sales. Donations accepted at the door. Suggested amounts: Adults-\$20, Students-\$10, children 12 and under-your choice. All donations will be to the Shalom Mennonite Church Benevolent Fund for the Kendra and Russ Neufeld family. Russ is currently undergoing a bone marrow stem cell transplant requiring them both to be in Omaha for more than three months. Online donations: <https://www.gofundme.com/runwithruss>.

Sun., Sept. 25 – Bethel College Wind Ensemble, 3 p.m., Memorial Hall; featuring music by Holst, Susato and Della Joio.

Sat., Sept. 24 – 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Kauffman Museum is hosting, for **one afternoon only**, the traveling exhibit “**A Place for All People**” that celebrates the grand opening of the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture. At **3 p.m., director Annette LeZotte will present a program** on how the national museum developed and how it changes the visual landscape of the National Mall in Washington, D.C.

You are invited! Come to the Grace Hill Mennonite Church HOG ROAST - Sunday, September 25, 5-8pm. Come for Food, Yard Games, Fellowship, & Music. Free will donation for area food banks. See you there!



El Shaddai

All we need

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas
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Karen Andres, Interim Associate Pastor

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Prelude		Robin Schrag
Welcome & Opportunities for Discipleship		Danielle Goering
Opening Song HWB 120		<i>Holy, holy, holy</i>
Worship Music		Men's Chorus
	<i>This Is My Father's World</i> , arr. Roy Ringwald	
	Soloist: Larry Temple; Director: Becky Clark; Accompanist: Bonita Howard	
Time with Children		Shayna Smith
Scripture Reading		Psalms 104
Worship Music	<i>Holy Is The Lord</i> , arr. John Leavitt	Men's Chorus
Message	"God is enough"	Pastor Derek
Song of Response STJ 29		<i>You are all we have</i>
Prayers of the People		
Offering/ Offertory		
	Please give your items for MCC School Kits to the children	
Sending Song HWB 71		<i>Joyful, joyful, we adore thee</i>
Benediction		
Postlude		

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.

Our Vision: A people transformed by the Holy Spirit in worship and service, so that through us God's grace, love, and peace are made known to the world.

Our Mission: To be a community that follows Jesus in all we say and do.



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.

Eden This Week

- Sunday** 9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:40 a.m. Sunday School
- Wednesday** 6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets at King house
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
- Thursday** Items for *Eden Echoes* due in the church office

Looking Ahead

- Sep 28:** 6:00 p.m. FEWZ meets at Eden
6:00 p.m. Meal served by SEEDS class
6:45 p.m. Service Project
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
- Oct 1:** 10-11 a.m. FEWZ Serving at Bethel Fall Fest
- Oct 2:** 9-11 a.m. Meet and greet with Dianne Schmidt
Candidating service for Dianne Schmidt
Q & A time during Sunday school in sanctuary
Potluck meal
- Oct 4:** Mary Martha all day meeting
- Oct 5:** 6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal
6:45 p.m. Fall Wednesday night Bible study begins
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
- Oct 9:** Communion served during worship
- Oct 16:** 2-6:00 p.m. Organ Guild mtg. at Eden
- Oct 27:** 4:00 p.m. Eden leads worship at Pine Village

Last Sunday, September 11, 2016

Worship Attendance: 187; Sunday School: 151
Offering: \$4,482.00

Next Sunday, Sept 25, 2016

Children's Time: Danielle Goering
Nursery: Carol & Larry Temple

Gospel Echoes Team Annual Kansas Banquet will be Tuesday, Oct 4 at 6:30 p.m. at Journey@Yoder building, in Yoder. For complimentary tickets call Dale and Miriam Lehman 620.694.9823. See poster on bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

Money webinar for Millennials: Everence® encourages young adults to join Darryl Dahlheimer, Program Director for LSS Financial Counseling, for a live chat designed to help people think about how their faith affects their financial decisions. *Conquering your debt: the overlooked key to faith and finances* will be at 8 p.m. (EDT) Sept 28. Visit <https://stewardshipresources.org/compass-live-chats> for more information or to register.

Western District Conference

Fall Story Hour (ages 3-5) begins Thursday, Sept 29 at 10a.m. at the Western District Conference Resource Library. Story Hour will run through Thursday, Nov 17. Come join Carol Flickinger for stories, activities and lots of fun. Please let us know if you're planning to attend at <https://goo.gl/forms/qo6YEhOux4gZKNsj2> or [\(316\)283-6300](tel:3162836300).

The Concert Across America to End Gun Violence: Sunday, Sept 25, Tabor Mennonite Church will be hosting a hymn sing and fasha at 4 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and sing songs of peace and lament together in memory of those who have died from senseless gun violence. The event is in cooperation with a national organization called Faiths United (<http://concert.faithsuned.org/>). Questions? Contact the church ([620-367-2318](tel:620-367-2318), tabor@tabormennonite.org)

Camp Mennoscah

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

Camp Mennoscah's Annual Meeting is today, Sept 18 at 5:30pm. You and all your friends are invited to come out for a meal and hear about the upcoming kitchen renovations and thoughts from Michael Unruh, new executive director. We will have a worship service at 10am with lunch following and free time to enjoy the campgrounds before the annual meeting. Please let us know if you will be joining us for the whole day. Donations for meals and kitchen renovations welcomed.

Camp Mennoscah's Scrapbook and Crafts retreats are beginning to fill up. We can't wait to see all the scrappers and crafters on Oct 28-30 and Nov 4-6! It's an absolute blast to create and chat with all these nifty folks. Register now by email or phone. It's a great way to relax, be crafty, and enjoy new and long-time friends!

Family of God, welcome to worship, Christian education and fellowship on this autumn day!

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 Pat and Bruce Stucky for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

Every Sunday in September during the offering, children along with adults will be picking up school supplies to make MCC School Kits. Supplies needed are Spiral notebooks with 70 – 80 sheets each, Unsharpened #2 pencils, Flat flexible plastic ruler with both 30 cm and 12 inches, 12 colored pencils in package, Large pencil eraser. On Wednesday September 28, Service Night, these school supplies will be put into cloth bags and then taken to the MCC Center, N Newton.

College age: Yes, we have a Sunday school class for you with Karen Stucky as teacher. Find her in room 102, north hall.

Dianne Schmidt will be with us as the candidate for Associate Pastor Oct 1 and 2. On Saturday, the 1st, Dianne will be at the Pine Village Wellness Center for an informal meet-and-greet from 9-11a.m. On Oct 2nd, Sunday morning, Dianne will offer the sermon during worship, then will be in the sanctuary during the Sunday school hour for a Question and Answer time. Following the Q&A, we will gather in the Fellowship Hall for a potluck meal. Please take these opportunities to meet Dianne and prayerfully consider her candidacy for the role of Associate Pastor.

Pastor Karen is worshipping with her family at Zion Mennonite Church in Elbing this morning.

Pixie Sue Doane was born to Heath and Samantha Doane on Wednesday, September 14. She is welcomed by her two big sisters, Preslie and Piper and her grandparents Joe and Debi Lichti.

Remember in Prayer

Jerry Stucky: AMG Specialty Hospital in Wichita

WDC: Pray for WDC's Dallas-area congregations, hosting a Texas Family Fellowship Festival, this coming Saturday at Iglesia Luz del Evangelio.

Eden Associate Pastor Search: God's leading for our congregation and candidate Dianne Schmidt.

Wednesday night activities at Eden begin Sept 28. SEEDS Class will be serving a baked potato bar from 6:00-6:45 p.m. From 6:45-7:30 p.m. Kathy Waltner of the Education/Discipleship Commission and Marna Goering of Mary Martha will be heading up a Service Night activity for all ages. We will be putting together school kits for MCC. Plan to attend. FEWZ meets at Eden.

Beginning Oct. 5 Berni Kaufman will be leading activities for children on the theme "Fiesta!," and Pastor Karen Andres will lead adults in a discussion on "Difficult Scriptures in the Bible." Wednesday night activities will continue through Nov. 16. A second Service Night for all ages is scheduled for Oct. 26.

Thank you to Karen Stucky for taking the summer Jr SS Dept collection of items to Camp Mennoscah.

The Junior Department Sunday school offering for the fall quarter will go to the Academia Menonita Betania, a Christian bilingual school founded in 1947 by two Mennonite missionary teachers in Aibonito, Puerto Rico. This is the school where Katie Gillmore is currently serving as part of Mennonite Voluntary Service through Mennonite Mission Network. The school serves preschool through ninth-grade students, and a major need for their school is technology. Katie reports that there is very little technology in the school and most of the teachers do not have access to computers in the classroom. Children, remember to take your offerings with you to Sunday school. Adults are encouraged to give toward this project in support of Katie and her service in Aibonito. Checks can be made out to Eden Church for EDC-Puerto Rico and given to Pat Stucky or the church office.

Bethel College Fall Fest is just around the corner and BCWA Council is jumping in to something new this year! Due to popular demand, we are hosting a Pie By the Slice Booth as part of our fundraising efforts that benefits our beloved college. Our goal is to get 100 delicious pies for this booth, and we are seeking your contributions! **Would you be willing to contribute pies for this endeavor?** We are asking for 9" pies, in disposable containers, no cream pies, of course. Pies can be brought to the Student Center on Friday evening, Sept 30th or Saturday morning, Oct 1st.

Mt Hope Sanctuary invites you to Taco Tuesday on Sept 27 from 11am – 1pm and 5-7pm at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 119 N. Elm, McPherson. Menu includes Tacos, taco salad, nachos, and homemade desserts. If you can volunteer or provide desserts call 620-755-3157 or volunteer.mthope@gmail.com.

AMBS-Kansas Center and Hesston College will join together to offer two events on trauma and resilience during the 2016-17 school year: a short course: "**Communities in Trauma: Responding Biblically, Theologically, and Ethically**", and "**When the Unthinkable Happens**" (Hesston College's Anabaptist Vision and Discipleship Series). Because of WDC's generous support in the past, a \$100 discount is offered to members of WDC. Register for both events and you will receive an additional \$60 discount off the cost of AVDS. Go to <https://www.ambs.edu/academics/communities-in-trauma.cfm> or see the information posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

MennoTalks at Orlando 2017: Not quite TED, and not exactly Pecha Kucha, MennoTalks will explore a different topic each day, featuring seven speakers from diverse perspectives. We'll hear about celebrating women (the 100-year anniversary of Mennonite Women USA); race, religion and justice; and global and local peacemaking. The 20x20 presentation format - 20 slides for 20 seconds each - facilitates presentations that are dynamic, fast-paced and concise. If you would like to be considered for MennoTalks, complete the form on this webpage (convention.mennoniteusa.org/mennotalks/) and submit a 2-3 minute video (YouTube preferred) of your presentation by Oct 1, 2016. Submissions without video will not be considered.

The Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association Banquet will be held Sept 22 at 6:00 p.m. at the Faith Mennonite Church, 2100 N. Anderson Ave., Newton KS (316-283-6370). Cost \$20/plate, ethnic food catered by Newton's Bread Basket. RSVP to Barbara Stucky at [620-345-8367](tel:620-345-8367). Payment may be made at the banquet. Come enjoy a special evening. Open to all.

M-2 Prison Visitation Volunteer Opportunity: Jesus calls us to visit the prisoner! At Hutchinson Correctional Facility there are over 80 prisoners who are waiting for a visit. Through Offender/Victim Ministries' M-2 Program, you have the opportunity to visit an inmate one evening a month. New Volunteer training for M-2 will be on Monday, Sept 19 at 12:00 p.m. at Hutch Correctional Facility or Tuesday, Sept 20 at 6:30 p.m. at Hesston College, Kropf Center room 160. Please contact Ben Kreider for more information at 316-281-5244, or ben@offendervictimministries.org.

Bethel College

This is the last week to see Building Bridges, an exhibit of Iraqi and Palestinian art with a silent auction, at the *Regier Art Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*. **Fri., Sept. 23: 11 a.m., Mel Lehman** of Common Humanity speaks in convocation, Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center; **6-8 p.m., closing reception** (final bids due by 7 p.m.), outside the gallery. Gallery hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Mon.-Fri. with special extended hours Sept. 23.