

Eden Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Eden Children's Day
Sunday, June 3, 2018
10:00 a.m. followed by lunch and recreation

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas
Website: www.edenmennonite.org

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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.

Children's Day

Prelude Candy Unrau

Congregational Singing

Welcome and Call to Worship Pastor Derek

This Little Light of Mine 2 and 3 Year Old Class

"Ways of Peace" Pre-K/K Class

"Everyone Has a Part" 1st and 2nd Grade Class

Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam 1st and 2nd Grade Class

For God So Loved Us "Kids Sing"

Siyahamba (We are Marching) "Kids Sing"

(2's and 3's return to parents)

Ode to Joy Allison Schrag (Piano)

Who's that Walking on the Water? Sarah King and Evelyn King

Readers Theater Ladies Class

"The Widow's Offering Interview" Luke 21:1-4 Christian Home Builders

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Preslie Doane

"Welcome to the Neighborhood" 3rd-6th and Cornerstone Classes

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People Pastor Dianne

Offering/ Offertory Gentry Regier – Piano *Sailing in the sun*

Avery Schrag – Flute *Ode to Joy*

Allison Schrag – Piano *Ode to Joy*

Congregational Singing

"Clothe a Bully with Love and Peace" written by Keith Albrecht Men's Class

“First Church of the Many Cloaks”

Galen and Kathy Waltner

Opportunities for Discipleship

*Sending Song HWB 433

Go, my children

*Benediction

All sermons and Scripture can be viewed at www.edenmennonite.org and our Facebook page, or YouTube channel.

Welcome to this time and space apart, sisters and brothers in Christ, where we can turn our focus from self to God and from fear to faith. May you sense God's gentle touch.

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 Teresa and Dennis Graber for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

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.



Mary Martha Girls Day Out. We will meet, Tuesday, June 5 at Quincy's for lunch at noon.

Don't forget to bring your non-perishable grocery items and your monetary donation for the Moundridge Food Pantry the first Sunday of the month. There will be containers at the east entrance and the library for your donations.

Thanks to Amanda and Cory Harrison, Laurie Schrag, Marcy Schrag, Galen and Kathy Waltner for planning Children's Day.

If you are going to Camp Mennoscah or Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp this summer let the church office know. The deacons are offering a \$100 scholarship per camper toward registration. If there is need beyond this amount please talk to one of the deacons, (Glen Goering, Gail Graber, Tim Regehr, Bret Gillmore, Marcia Hiebert). We want campers to be able to enjoy this experience.

The Deacons are happy to welcome Brad Wedel as a Wider Fellowship Member, in response to his request.

Eden This Week

Sunday 10:00 a.m. Worship (Children's Day/Sunday school picnic)
Followed by meal and games
11:30 FEWZ leaves from WZ for Service trip to Denver

Monday 7:00 p.m. Worship Commission meets at the church office

Thursday Items for June/July *Eden Echoes* due in the church office

Looking Ahead

June 11: 7:00 p.m. Eden Leadership Team mtg. at the church office

June 12: 7:00 p.m. Edu/Disc Commission mtg. at the church office

June 12: 6:00 p.m. Deacons/Pastors mtg. at the church office

July 10-13: Assoc. Ministries of Mdge. VBS at West Zion

July 14-15: Eden Retreat Weekend at Camp Mennoscah

July 27 & 28: WDC Annual Assembly (at Tabor Mennonite, July 27, at Eden
July 28)

Last Sunday, May 27, 2018

Worship: 188; SS: 149

Offering: \$6,195.92

Next Sunday, June 10, 2018

Scripture: Mark 7:24-30

Time with Children: Bruce & Pat Stucky

Nursery: Sarah and Kyle Neufeld

Remember in Prayer

Margie Kaufman: Mercy Hospital

WDC: Give thanks for God's faithfulness with Manhattan (KS) Mennonite Church, as they celebrate their 40th anniversary today.

The Moundridge Community VBS registration website is up and running! The theme for this year is SHIPWRECKED- Rescued by Jesus! You can sign your children/ grandchildren up as well as register to be a volunteer at <https://vbspro.events/p/e48ae5>. We need many volunteers to make this a great week of fun and learning for our kids! Vacation Bible School will be July 10-13 6:00- 8:25pm at West Zion. We are so excited to learn all about how we are RESCUED BY JESUS! for any questions please contact Morgan Kaufman or Shayna Smith.

Our Extended Church Family

Centering Prayer continues to meet most Mondays from noon-1 p.m. in Agape Center in Richert House on the Bethel College campus. Try it once, come occasionally or join us regularly – all are welcome, with no previous experience with Centering Prayer required. For more information, contact Nathan Koontz, 2nathankoontz@gmail.com, or Melanie Zuercher, mzuercher@bethelks.edu.

The 2018 WDC Annual Assembly will be held on July 27-28 in Kansas. Detailed information, including an online registration form, is now posted at: <http://mennowdc.org/annual-assembly/#2018annualAssembly>.

Calling all MCC volunteers!! Join us for our annual Volunteer Appreciation Celebration on June 13, 5 pm – 7 pm at MCC in North Newton, Kansas! All relief sale volunteers, all meat canning volunteers, participants in the Flatlander Bicycle Ride or the Harvest Giving Walk, all of you who make comforters on your own or at a Comforter Blitz, if you've packed a kit at MCC or volunteered your time at an MCC thrift shop or in the MCC Warehouse – YOU'RE INVITED! We want you to join us, enjoy a delicious meal of burgers, hot dogs, salads, chips and ice cream for dessert! **Please RSVP by June 11** to patsydirksen@mcc.org, 316.283.2720.

MCC Mini Comforter Blitz, June 22 & 23 at MCC in North Newton! Join in the fun at this Mini Comforter Blitz on Friday, June 22 from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Saturday, June 23 from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Come and go as you are able, bring your friends and family! Bring snacks to share if you'd like. Please bring a sack lunch/supper, drinks will be provided. Contact katemast@mcc.org with questions and visit mcc.org/comforter-blitz for details!

Supplies are running low in the MCC Material Resources Center in North Newton and we could use your help!

The current material resources needs are: shampoo for relief kits (1-2 bottles, totaling more than 20 oz.), toothbrushes for relief and hygiene kits (in original packaging), small, metal pencil sharpeners (one or two holes) for school kits, dark colored hand or bath towels for hygiene and relief kits. Visit mcc.org/mrc/kits for full kit information and from there click through to our Amazon Wish List for easier shopping and shipping. Just bring or ship kit items to MCC Central States [121 E. 30th St. North Newton, KS 67428](http://121.E.30th.St.North.Newton.KS.67428). Contact katemast@mcc.org or call with questions at 316-283-2720 .

Sexualized violence and the church webinar, June 13 2 pm – 3 pm: Mennonite Central Committee is offering the third webinar in our three-part series this spring for churches and individuals to learn about addressing sexualized violence within the church. This webinar focusing on *Healthy masculinity* will cover how the church can prepare men to talk to their sons about healthy masculinity and what men should tell boys about sexual violence. Speakers will be Glen Guyton, the new Executive Director for MCUSA and Isaac Villegas, pastor at Chapel Hill (North Carolina) Mennonite Fellowship . **Learn more and register for the webinar at mcc.org/wwso.** Contact karinkaufmanwall@mcc.org with questions.

Sunday June 17, Southern Hills Mennonite Church of Topeka (511 SE 37th St. **will host a celebration of 30 years of joint ministry by Cynthia and Roger Neufeld Smith**, who began ministry at SHMC Sept 1988 and will take new positions summer of 2018 with Mennonite Mission Network as Service Adventure leaders in Jackson, Mississippi. Both Roger and Cynthia have been denominational leaders: Roger as moderator of WDC and Cynthia as instructor of worship courses for Great Plains Seminary and currently as a member of MC USA's hymnal planning committee. All are welcome to attend the special worship service at 9:30 a.m., photos and reminiscing at 11 a.m., noon meal, and 1 p.m. program by representatives of community and WDC. Friends from a distance are encouraged to send notes of appreciation for the Neufeld Smiths' ministry to SHMC, POB 5067, Topeka KS 66605, Attn: Lila Bartel.

The West Zion Mennonite Church, Moundridge will continue their Concert Series with an event on Sunday evening, June 10 at 7 pm. Performers will include Christopher Shaw, Organ; Joey Menninger, Viola; RoJean Loucks, Celtic Harp; the Flannelbacks, a men's vocal ensemble; and Donna Stucky, Piano. During the free concert a free-will offering will be received. After the concert, there will be a time of fellowship, with refreshments served.

Kidron-Bethel Parkinson's Support Group will meet Tuesday, June 5, at 2:00 p.m. in Menno Hall. Dennis Schmidt will share "My Journey with Parkinson's." All are welcome.

Summer is here and the **Newton Et Cetera Shop is a great place to spend your time! You're invited to** become a summer volunteer if you've got a few hours to give back to our community once a month or once a week. Students, educators and everyone else is welcome to pick up a volunteer application, download one at newtonetceterashop.com/volunteer, or fill one out at our **new volunteer orientation on Tuesday, June 5, 6 p.m.** We need volunteers to help with clothing, dolls, electronics, bikes, housewares and as clerks. Evening and Saturday spots are available, as well as weekday shifts. Newton Et Cetera Shop is an MCC Thrift Shop, and gives away 100% of its proceeds.

Join the upcoming MCC Haiti learning tour from September 22-29. Learn from Haitian farmers, artisans, community organizers and human rights advocates about how they – with your support – are building a brighter future for their communities. Limited spots are available, **registration closes June 20**. Contact Jordan Penner atjordanpenner@mcc.org or 316-727-6837 for more information.

Camp Mennoscah Announcements

Contact us at olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org or 620-297-3290
or office@campmennoscah.org

Come volunteer to help rebuild The Whale! Construction on the Camp Mennoscah playground is continuing, and we need your help! Playground assembly will be the week of June 3. If you'd like to be a part of the action, let us know which days you can be there, and we'll get back to you with more details. We're really excited to have this up by the time summer youth camps begin on June 10 and hope you are, too!

I am in search of tin cans for one of the crafts this summer!! Any empty can (only one lid removed) from canned foods would work! Preferably the "normal" sized cans (14-20 oz.) would be best. Little cans from items like tuna and chicken are too small, but other than that most cans should work great! I will need approximately 60 by the first week of camp, and about 120 plus total for the summer. Any help collecting these cans would be greatly appreciated!! Thanks a bunch, Carley Sullivan (Camp Mennoscah Crafts Leader)

Camp Mennoscah has both room and scholarships for more campers. Grab your friendly neighborhood friend, a cousin, or someone who would benefit from a week of worship and fun! Register online. Contact us with questions.

Enjoy the new kitchen at Camp Mennoscah! We have two weeks of camp that need kitchen helpers to break in the new equipment and enjoy the fun of camp. June 24-30 and July 15-21, two of our biggest weeks of camp, need 2-3 more people each week. You do not need to be a professional chef or have more than a basic understanding of cooking/baking. Our fearless head cooks will be there to help you create great meals! Contact us.