

Eden Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Please join one of our Sunday school classes today.

Adult Sunday School

College Age: Rm 102

SEEDS: Rm 127 (age 20s—30s)

Cornerstone: Rm 130 (age 40+)

Christian Homebuilders: Rm 147 (age 50+)

Ladies' Class: Rm 151

Men's Class: Rm 129

Junior Department Sunday School

All children (age 2-grade 6) head to room 103 for Kids Sing for the first 10 minutes.

After Kids Sing, the classes are in the following rooms:

2-3 year olds: Rm 119

Pre-K, K: Rm 121

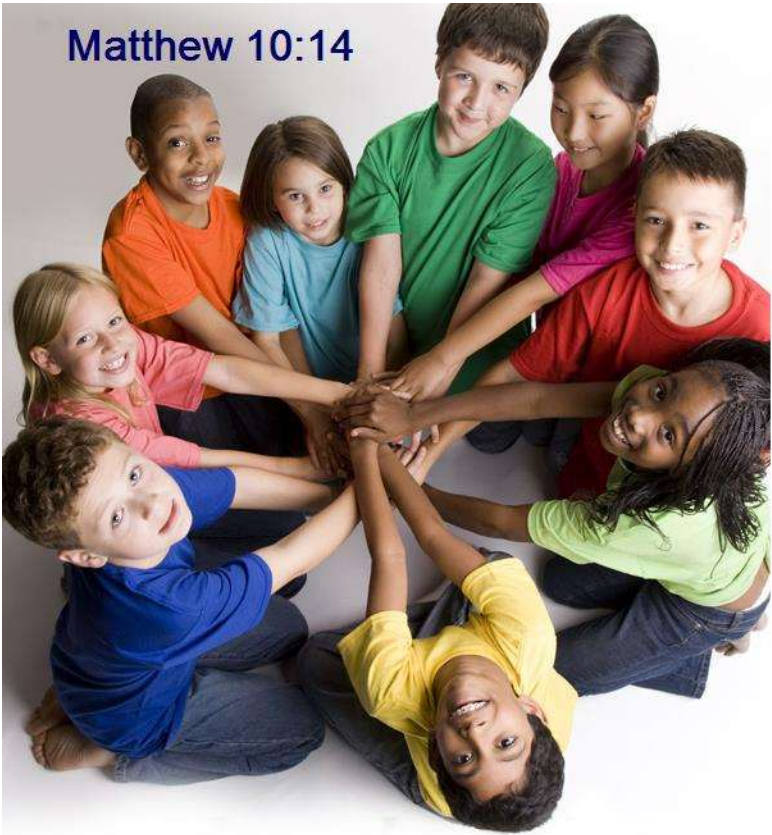
1st – 3rd: Rm 104

4th - 6th: Rm 152

Jr & Sr High (7th - 12th): Rm 100

Nursery provided for those under 2

Matthew 10:14



"...for the kingdom
of God belongs to
such as these."

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas
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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.

Prelude Brenda Jordan, Bob Delk, Steve Hanneman, John Koontz
There Is Power In the Blood
The Bible Tells Me So
Peace In the Valley

Welcome Pastor Dianne

***Call to Worship HWB 734**

***Opening Song HWB 20** *Come and see*

Scripture Reading Psalm 8

Time with Children Kristen Stucky

Worship Music *Room At the Cross For You*

Scripture Reading HWB 839 Mark 10:13-16

Message "Faith Like a Child" Pastor Derek

Song of Response HWB 167 *For God so loved us*

Sharing our Joys and Concerns Pastor Dianne

Prayers of the People

Offering/Offertory *Just A Closer Walk With Thee*
(Pass your school supplies to the aisle and the children will take them to the front)

Worship Music Brenda Jordan, Shirley Delk, Bob Delk, John Koontz
It Is No Secret

Opportunities for Discipleship

Presentation of Bibles Education/Discipleship Commission

Blessing of Teachers and Students

***Sending Song STJ 17** *Halle, halle, hallelujah!*

***Benediction**

Postlude

When the Saints Go Marching In

*Please stand if you are able

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

Welcome to worship this Labor Day weekend! May our time together strengthen us so we can serve God in whatever work we do.

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 Carina and Brent Knight 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.



Wednesday Night Meals: Any group or Sunday school class that would like to volunteer for a Wednesday night meal, there is a sign-up sheet on the table in the fellowship hall. If you have questions, contact Marcia Goering.

The Education/Discipleship Commission and Mary Martha invite you to take part in collecting items for the MCC School Kits. On Wednesday, September 12 the service project will be putting items in the bags provided by Mary Martha for the School Kits. If you want to fill complete kits pick up a bag provided by Mary Martha in the fellowship hall. Items to include in the bag are:

- 4 spiral or perforated-page notebooks (8.5 in x 10.5 in and 70 sheets)
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30cm; inch markings optional, may be plastic or wooden)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 2 new black or blue ballpoint pens

Mary Martha will add a small metal pencil sharpener to each kit since they are hard to find.

As you see the items listed above you are encouraged to buy large quantities of them. **Beginning August 26 through September 9 bring your items to church and they will be collected by the children during offering.** Those items will be used to fill the bags on September 12. **Let's see how many School Kits we can provide.** Mary Martha will collect full bags through September.

Eden This Week

Sunday	9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Fellowship 10:40 a.m. SS for all ages 4:00 p.m. memorial service for Doris Stucky
Monday	Eden Church Office closed for Labor Day
Wednesday	7:30 Ladies Chorus 8:00 Chancel Choir 8:45 Men's Chorus
Thursday	6:30 p.m. Edu/Disc. Commission mtg. at church office

Looking Ahead

September 10:	7:00 p.m. ELT mtg. at church office
September 11:	6:00 p.m. SCRT meeting at church office 7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg. at church office
September 12:	Wednesday Evening Activities begin 6:00 p.m. Supper 6:45 p.m. Service Project (packing MCC School Kits) 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
September 20:	Items for the October <i>Eden Echoes</i> due in the church office
September 19 & 26:	6:00 p.m. Supper 6:45 p.m. Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

Last Sunday, Aug 19, 2018

Worship: 176; SS: 146

Offering: \$7,977.87

Next Sunday, September 9, 2018

Growing up in a Field of Love

Music: Men's Chorus

Children's time: Larry Temple

Nursery: Karen and Greg Stucky

Remember in Prayer

WDC: Pray for participants and leaders who will gather next weekend at Camp Mennoscah for the Mennonite Women and Girls' Retreat.

If you or your child are heading off for college or technical school this year please let us know what their snail mail and email addresses are. Email the contact info to edenoffice@edenmennonite.org.

Tuesday September 4, the Mary Martha Circle will meet for our first all day work meeting after having a summer break. All ladies are invited to join us for all or part of the day to work on projects or just visit. Covered dish lunch. Project, School Kits.

State Fair Tractor Drivers Needed for KS Relief Sale - The Moundridge area churches have been asked to provide 16 shuttle drivers on Friday, Sept. 14. By providing this service to the State Fair, the KS Relief Sale building rent is reduced. There are numerous 3 hour slots available in all morning and afternoon shifts. The signup sheet is located on the information table in the Fellowship Hall. Free parking and admission tickets will be furnished to each driver. Please call Kyle Schrag at 620-345-6883 with any questions.

The Eden Choirs are looking for more singers! Come try us out. No experience necessary! Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings beginning September 5.

Ladies Chorus: 7:30 PM

Chancel Choir: 8:00 PM

Men's Chorus: 8:45 PM

If you have questions, contact Becky Setser 620-386-4145 or email rsetser89@gmail.com

The family of Irvin Harms is hosting a surprise 90th birthday party on Sunday, September 2 from 2:00-4:00 at the Moundridge Senior Center. Everyone welcome.

The September *Eden Echoes* is available on the literature table in the fellowship hall.

The children of **Walter S. and Carol M. Friesen** invite you to an evening of musical memories and fellowship **to celebrate the 65th anniversary** of their wedding. Please join us on **Sunday September 2, at 6 p.m.** for a Musical Salute of Walt and Carol in the Hesston Mennonite Church Sanctuary followed by light refreshments in the Community Room. No gifts please.

Please bring your non-perishable grocery items and your monetary gifts for the Moundridge Food Pantry the first Sunday of the month. Place them in the containers provided in the library and near the east entrance.

Our Extended Church Family

The Kidron Bethel Parkinson's Support Group will meet in Menno Hall on **Tuesday, September 4, at 2:00 p.m.** We will view inspirational videos featuring persons with Parkinson's Disease, followed by small group discussion and response. All are welcome.

Please join Pine Village for its annual Benefit Day Variety Show on Sunday, September 9 at the Wellness Center. The evening will begin at 6 p.m. and will include a duet performance by Cindy Bartell and her granddaughter Carley, plus Debi Lichti will share her vocal talents, and Donna Stucky, Kate Eichelberger, Crystal Schwartz and Ginger Seeber will perform on the piano. Other talent includes the Moundridge High School Forensic Students, Rashell Kaufman sharing her art and photography, and Janet Johnson sharing a dramatical performance. Plus, Larry Temple, Cameron Clark and Dawn Abrahams will be emceeing! A free will donation will be collected for 2018 Benefit Day Project – a new kitchen remodel! Bring the family and enjoy an evening full of talent and fun!

Sun., Sept. 9 – KIPCOR Film Series presents two short films about immigration, *To Breathe Free* and *Locked in a Box*, 3 p.m.; talkback follows with Harold Schlechtweg, advocacy director for the International Rescue Committee, and Sandrine Lisk, an attorney with Immigration Law Office, both in Wichita; *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*

Offender Victim Ministries is offering a FREE training for new and current volunteers to learn more about Neighborhood Accountability Boards in Harvey and McPherson counties. Join us **Saturday, September 8 from 9:30am-4pm** at the Harvey County Courthouse Community Room (lower level), 800 N. Main, Newton. Lunch included. See bulletin board for more information.

Kindred Hospice of McPherson is looking for volunteers in a variety of areas. See bulletin board for more information.

Everence will host an **all-inclusive retirement planning workshop on Saturday, Sept. 8, from 9 to 11:30 a.m.** Topics will include Medicare, Social Security and retirement income planning. The workshop will be presented by Everence staff and will take place at MCC Central States Office, 121 E. 30th, North Newton. Reserve your spot soon by contacting Michelle Ramer at (316) 283-3800; (877) 467-7294 or michelle.ramer@everence.com.

Men and Boys are invited to the **Men's Prayer Breakfast September 3, (Labor Day) at 7 a.m. ¼ mile west of the corner of Burmac and NW 60th.** Questions, call Charles Watkins 620-664-8240.

See the highlights, video and photos of the recent service celebrating the historic installation of Glen Guyton, the first African American executive director of MC USA at mennoniteusa.org/gleninstalled.

Mennonite Disaster Service is seeking weekly volunteers for October, November and December 2018! Join us as individuals or groups to help those affected by disasters. We are working in the following locations: Lake County, CA; Pine Ridge, SD; Victoria County, TX; La Grange, TX; Fort Myers, FL; West Virginia; Williams Lake, BC; and Puerto Rico. Serve with a positive and Christ-like heart using your trade skills or learning new skills on the job. To serve with us, contact Deanna Frey by emailing dfrey@mds.mennonite.net or calling 1-800-241-8111 For more information about our current projects, visit mds.mennonite.net.

Newton Et Cetera Shop is hiring an evening clerk & housewares manager for 30-40 hours/week. We're **also hiring a clothing sorter & receiver** for 12-16 hours/week. Both full job descriptions and applications are available at the store ([619 N. Main](http://619.N.Main) in Newton), via e-mail generalmanager@newtonetceterashop.com, or at newtonetceterashop.com. **Applications are due Monday, September 10, 2018,** and can be submitted in person to the general manager or by e-mail. Newton Et Cetera Shop is an equal opportunity employer, committed to employment equity. Newton Et Cetera Shop values diversity and encourages all qualified candidates to apply.

Camp Mennoscah

Contact camp at 620-297-3290 or office@campmennoscah.org.

Come out to camp on Sunday, September 23, as we dedicate The Whale playground and celebrate Camp Mennoscah's 70th Anniversary at the Annual Meeting! All are welcome to attend. Events are part of the **Work & Play Camp starting on Sept. 21.** Annual Meeting events begin with worship at 10a.m. on Sunday with **the Whale playground dedication at 5 p.m.** and annual meeting following. Register online to let us know you're coming to celebrate with us!

The new slides and cable climber for the Whale playground have arrived and **we need your help! We will install them Thursday and Friday, August 30-31, and Friday, September 7, from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.** each day until finished. Please help us by volunteering for a day or half a day! Bring a friend!