

Eden Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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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.*

Please join one of our Sunday school classes today.

Adult Sunday School

College Age: Rm 102

SEEDS: Rm 127 (age 20+)

Cornerstone: Rm 130 (age 40+)

Christian Homebuilders: Rm 147 (age 50+)

Ladies' Class: Rm 151

Men's Class: Rm 129

All classes welcome guests, regardless of age

Junior Department Sunday School

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

After Kids Choir, 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



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Eden Children's Day 2019

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**Children's Day
"All God's Critters"**

Thanks to the 1st-3rd Grade Class for decorating the sanctuary today!

Prelude Brenda Dalke

Welcome Pastor Dianne

***Call to Worship**

Leader: For children and for summer days,

All: Let's all give thanks unto the Lord!

West: For puffy clouds and summer skies,
For summer nights and cherry pies.

All: Let's all give thanks unto the Lord!

East: For dragonflies that dip and zoom,
For summer storm and thunder boom.

All: Let's all give thanks unto the Lord!

Boys/Men: For leafy trees that give us shade,
For strawberries and lemonade.

All: Let's all give thanks unto the Lord!

Girls/Women: For flowers bright along the way,
For fields and yards where we can play.

**All: Let's all give thanks unto the Lord!
For children and for summer days,
We offer now these words of praise.**

***Opening Song HWB 89** (vs. 1, 2, 3) *For the beauty of the earth*

Scripture Psalm 104: 1-28

Song *Morning Has Broken*

Jesus Loves Me and Goodbye Song 2 and 3 Year Old Class

"The Naming" (Genesis 1:20-25) Pre-K/K Class

A Place in the Choir Kid's Choir

"Time Traveling Interviewer" (Genesis 6-9) Cornerstone Class

Song *The Arky, Arky Song (Rise and Shine)*
Led by Kristin Kaufman

“Daniel, Daniel, He’s Our Man” (Daniel 6) 4th-6th Grade Class
“Where, oh where, has my little Buttercup gone?” (Matthew 28) CHB Class
Song *The Butterfly Song*
“Interviews with Donkeys” (Genesis 43-45) High School Class

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Offering/Offertory

“Were you there?” (Luke 2:1-20, Matthew 21:1-9, Matthew 27:32-56) Men’s Class
Presented by Huebert (Keith Albrecht) and AJ (Jerry Lankford)
Solo by Del Kaufman

Opportunities for Discipleship

***Sending Song** *We Are One in the Spirit*

***Benediction**

Postlude

*Please stand if you are able

HWB: *Hymnal A Worship Book* (blue);

STJ: *Sing the Journey* (green); **STS:** *Sing the Story* (purple)

All sermons and Scripture can be viewed

at www.edenmennonite.org and our Facebook page, or YouTube channel.

Welcome. Living always in the joy of the Resurrection, let us join hearts and voices to praise the Living Lord!



A nursery is available for small children. Please ask an usher to direct you.

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.



Lunch in the Park: If you have or know of a Moundridge child who needs help with meals this summer, please let them know about a free lunch every Tuesday this summer. The lunch will be 11:30 – 12:00 at the Shelter House in Black Kettle Park, with the first meal served on May 28. No registration is needed. Anyone is welcome. Call Rashelle at 620-217-9497 if you have questions.

Arky Arky

Lord told Noah, There's gonna be a floody, floody, (repeat)
Get those animals out of the muddy, muddy,
Children of the Lord.

Refrain

Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory, (repeat twice)
Children of the Lord.

The Lord told Noah to build him an arky, arky (repeat)
Build it out of gopher barky, barky,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

The animals, the animals, they came in by twosies, twosies, (repeat)
Elephants and kangaroosies, roosies,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

It rained and poured for forty daysies, daysies, (repeat)
Almost drove those animals crazies, crazies,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

The sun came out and dried up the landy landy, (repeat)
Everything was fine and dandy, dandy,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

The animals they came off, they came off by three-sies three-sies, (repeat)
Grizzly bears and chimpanzee-sies, zee-sies,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

That is the end of, the end of my story, story, (repeat)
Everything is hunky dory, dory,
Children of the Lord. (Refrain)

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Remember in Prayer

WDC: Pray for WDC congregations hosting Vacation Bible School and other summer activities for children, that these would be occasions for spiritual growth, fun and building relationships.

Congratulations to Kyle and Sarah Neufeld on the birth of a daughter Cora

Kathleen, born on May 30. She is welcomed by her sisters Elise and Layla, paternal grandparents Al and Kathy Neufeld and great-grandparent Walt Neufeld. Please remember the love offering for Cora Kathleen. The piggy bank is located on the library table. The filled bank will be given to the parents. Let's welcome Cora by taking meals to her family. To add your name to the meal schedule to the <https://takethemameal.com/meals.php?t=HMGC4544&welcome=1> to schedule a 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, (Tim Regehr, Bret Gillmore, Marcia Hiebert, Kathy Neufeld, Barbara Stucky). We want campers to be able to enjoy this experience.

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

The 6th Annual Benefit Day Pulled Pork and Baby Back Ribs Dinner will be Saturday, June 8th from 5-6:30 p.m. in the Pine Village Wellness Center. Pre-ordered pulled pork and baby back ribs can be picked up any time during the dinner. Friends and family are welcome to come enjoy, tender, smoked pulled pork and fall off the bone baby back ribs cooked to perfection by Bill Zerger. You're not going to want to miss this! So bring your appetite, as we kick off our 2019 Benefit Season!

Extended Church Family

The Moundridge Senior Center is having their annual bake sale on Thursday, June 13 starting at 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center, 100 N. Schmidt. This is a benefit fund raising event for the Center. Proceeds will go towards replacement of carpet in our health room. It will start at 8:30 a.m. and run until 1:00 p.m. Items will be baked by local bakers from most of our local churches. **We will gladly accept baked items. Please have your items at the Center by 7:30 a.m. or bring them the day before by 2:00 p.m.** Please come in and buy some of the delicious items and at the same time support the Center.

Save the date: The Moundridge Associated Ministries VBS will be July 16-19 at 6:00 – 8:25 p.m. at West Zion. Children ages 3 through those entering 6th grade will be included. See the bulletin board for more information.

Please note: June 26 is our annual Volunteer Appreciation event at Mennonite Central Committee in North Newton from 5-7. We will celebrate all the work our volunteers do by enjoying an indoor summer picnic together!

Message from Offender/Victim Ministries in Newton: We're in search of a new Program Director for Prison Ministries! This part-time position coordinates our M-2 Prison Visitation and Prison Arts programs at Hutchinson Correctional Facility. Check out the complete job listing on our website at www.offendervictimministries.org. Reviewing applications until position is filled.

Mennonite Disaster Service has an urgent need for volunteers in Conway, South Carolina and Puerto Rico. Volunteers are needed in leadership positions in Pine Ridge, SD and also in Puerto Rico. If you would like to know more about these projects go to <https://mds.mennonite.net/current-projects/>. If you can volunteer **please call:** Josh Carson at 800-241-8111 or email jcarson@mds.mennonite.net.

You are invited to attend the Bethel College Women's Association annual meeting, June 10, 7pm, at KIPCOR, 2515 College Ave, North Newton. Donna Becker will present an historical sketch titled *Her Light Still Shines*, which is about a woman who was integral to the Bethel College Women's Association. Refreshments will be provided, and all are welcome.

Camp Mennoscah

**Call 620-297-3290 or email olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org
Register online at campmennoscah.org!**

Nurses needed for June 9-15 and June 23-29! Camp Mennoscah is seeking a nurse for Junior High I Camp (June 9-15) and Junior I Camp (June 23-29). These positions come with either a stipend or a full camper discount. Nurses need to be licensed in Kansas and be a RN (or equivalent). Please contact us if you can help. Our nurses are greatly valued and much loved!

Kitchen staff! Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity to be at Camp Mennoscah! We need 1-2 helpers for the weeks of June 9-15 and July 14-20. Kitchen helpers only need to be able to follow directions and have willing hearts & hands!

Don't forget about Pastor Dianne's Review questionnaire. Please follow the instructions on the instruction page, answer the questions, and return to the box on the library table at church or the box in the church office by **June 9**. Make sure you sign your name on the instruction page. Marv Zehr, from WDC, will tabulate results after June 9.

This summer Pastor Dianne will lead an elective adult Sunday school class on the Doctrine of Discovery. The Doctrine of Discovery is the framework that gave Christian governments the right to seize indigenous lands and dominate indigenous peoples. We will look to understand the history and consequences of this doctrine as well as explore what response or action it might mean for us as Christians today. In this study we will watch a documentary film discussing the themes presented as well as reflecting on biblical passages that inform our understanding and response to this topic. This class will begin on June 9.

Pies are needed from Eden for the Pine Village Pulled Pork/Baby Back Ribs fundraiser meal on June 8. Please sign up on the sheet on the table in the Fellowship Hall if you are willing to donate.

Mary Martha Girls Day Out: We will meet for lunch at Fetch Restaurant in Moundridge on Tuesday, June 4, at 12 noon.

Eden This Week

Sunday	10:00 a.m. Worship service Lunch and games following the worship service
Monday	7:00 p.m. Deacon Commission mtg.
Tuesday	7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.

Looking Ahead

June 10:	7:00 p.m. ELT mtg.
June 12:	7:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship mtg.
July 4:	Eden Church Office Closed
July 13 & 14:	Eden Retreat at Camp Mennoscah

Last Sunday, May 29, 2019

Worship: 147
SS: 116
Offering: \$9,504.45

Next Sunday, June 9, 2019

Pentecost
Music: Alyssa Goering
Children's Story: Kylie Goering
Nursery: Amanda and Cory Harrison

Morning Has Broken

Morning has broken, like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing, praise for the morning.
Praise for them springing fresh from the world.

Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from heaven.
Like the first dewfall, on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning,
Born of the one light, Eden saw play.
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's recreation of the new day.

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Butterfly Song

If I were a butterfly, I'd thank you Lord, for giving me wings;
And if I were a robin in a tree, I'd thank you Lord, that I could sing;
And if I were a fish in the sea, I'd wiggle my tail and I'd giggle with glee;
But I just Thank You Father, for making me – ME!

Chorus

For you gave me a heart and you gave me a smile
You gave me Jesus, and You made me His Child
And I just Thank You, Father for making me – ME!

If I were an elephant, I'd thank you, Lord, by raising my trunk;
And if I were a kangaroo, I'd hop, hop, hop, right up to you;
And if I were an octopus, I'd thank you Lord, for my good looks;
But I just Thank You, Father, for making me – ME! (Chorus)

If I were a wiggly worm, I'd thank you, Lord, that I could squirm;
And if I were a fuzzy-wuzzy bear,
I'd thank you, Lord, for my fuzzy-wuzzy hair;
And if I were a crocodile, I'd thank you, Lord for my big smile;
But I just Thank You, Father, for making me – ME! (Chorus)

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We Are One in the Spirit

We are one in the Spirit
We are one in the Lord
We are one in the Spirit
We are one in the Lord
And we pray that all unity
May one day be restored

Chorus
And they'll know we are Christians
By our love, by our love
Yes they'll know we are Christians
By our love

We will walk with each other
We will walk hand in hand
We will walk with each other
We will walk hand in hand
And together we'll spread the news
That God is in our land
(Chorus)

We will work with each other
We will work side by side
We will work with each other
We will work side by side
And we'll guard each one's dignity
And save each one's pride
(Chorus)

All praise to the Father
From whom all things come
And all praise to Christ Jesus
His only Son
And all praise to the Spirit
Who makes us one

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