

Eden Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Check out our website at www.edenmennonite.org

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On Sabbatical (June, July, August)

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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+)

Doctrine of Discovery Elective north end of fellowship hall

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



**You shall love
your neighbor
as yourself.**

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

Jenny Schrag, Summer Pastor

Dianne Schmidt, Associate Pastor

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Prelude Candy Unrau

Welcome Pastor Jenny

*** Call to Worship**

Leader: True evangelical faith cannot lie dormant, but spreads itself out in all kinds of righteousness and fruits of love;

People: it clothes the naked;

Leader: it feeds the hungry;

Men: it comforts the sorrowful;

Leader: it shelters the destitute;

Women: it aids and consoles the sad;

Leader: it serves those that harm it;

Women: it seeks those who are lost;

Men: it binds up what is wounded;

Leader: it heals the sick;

People: it saves what is strong;

All: it becomes all things to all people.

*** Opening Song HWB 6** *Here In This Place*

Children's Story Kristin Kaufman

Scripture Reading Genesis 6:13-22

Worship Music *Zwei Concertstuecke* – Mendelssohn
Savannah Starks & Jeremy Schrag, accompanied by Judy Goering

Scripture Reading Matthew 4:18-22 Pastor Dianne

Message "An Inconvenient Faith" Jeff Koller

*** Song of Response** *The Wedding Banquet*

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Offering/ Offertory

*** Song HWB 307** *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*

Opportunities for Discipleship

***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.

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



A nursery is available for small children. Please ask an usher to direct you. Thank you to Brenda Dalke and JoLene Kaufman for caring for the children in the nursery this a.m.

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. No registration is needed. Anyone is welcome. Call Rashelle at 620-217-9497 if you have questions.

This summer Pastor Dianne is leading 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. We will meet in the room at the north end of the fellowship hall.

Drinks in the Sanctuary. If you want to bring drinks into the sanctuary, please use a cup or container with a lid. To cut costs and to save the environment, we also encourage bringing mugs with lids from home that can be used repeatedly. We want to be mindful of the mess and damage, spills can cause.

The Pictorial Board in the Fellowship Hall needs to be updated. The ELT feels it is helpful to keep it, for visitors as well as for new people attending Eden. The ELT suggests that each family or individual attending Eden be responsible for updating their own picture. Jean Regier has consented to type and place your names under your picture. As your family changes in number or size, please update your picture. You can either pin it on the board or give it to Jean. If you have been attending Eden and your picture is not there, we would love to see your picture on the board. If you don't have a good picture to display, contact Jean and she will be happy to take your picture. We are a church family and we want to keep our pictorial updated.

Eden This Week

Sunday	9:30 a.m. Worship service 10:30 a.m. Fellowship time 10:40 a.m. Sunday school for all ages
Monday	7:00 p.m. Deacon Commission mtg.
Tuesday-Friday	MC USA Convention in Kansas City
Thursday	Eden Church Office Closed

Looking Ahead

July 8:	7:00 p.m. ELT meets at church office
July 13 & 14:	Eden Retreat at Camp Mennoscah
July 21:	5:00 p.m. Celebration of Life service for Norm Wedel
July 26 & 27:	WDC Annual Assembly
August 4:	Send-off for Emily Knight & Michelle Schrag with breakfast at church with the congregation

Last Sunday, June 23, 2019

Worship: 194

SS: 135

Offering: \$3724.00

Next Sunday, July 7, 2019

Message: Pastor Dianne

Scripture: Acts 18:18-28

Music: Nikki Modelmog, Susan Mayo, Jenny Bowen, and Dennis Hardin

Children's story: Cindy Bartell

Nursery: Rashelle and Matt Schrag

Remember in Prayer

MC USA Convention in Kansas City this week and those from our congregation attending, (Jay & Linda Goering, Berni Kaufman, Emily Knight, Jeff & Becky Koller, Perry & June Krehbiel, Dennis and Pastor Dianne Schmidt, Jenny Schrag, Michelle and Robin Schrag).

Pastor Derek and his family during his sabbatical this summer. May they find rest, relaxation and return rejuvenated and filled with the Holy Spirit.

WDC: Pray for WDC members attending Mennonite Church USA convention this week, as they join with others from across the wider church for worship, service, learning, discernment and relationship-building.

You are invited to a potluck lunch and wedding shower to celebrate the marriage of Devin Clark and Hannah Shumway. Saturday, July 6, 12:00 noon, at the Pine Village Wellness Center in Moundridge. Please help us introduce Hannah to a quality Kansas potluck. Gifts are not necessary or expected, but always appreciated.

A big thanks to the Visual Worship Committee (Jean Regier, Kathy Waltner, and Britney Stos) for providing the colorful visual representation of the Holy Spirit for our worship services this month.

Next Sunday, July 7, Cameron Clark (son of Becky Setser) will be sharing about his service experience during this past year in El Salvador. Cameron is serving with Brethren Volunteer Service. He will be giving a short overview of his work during our worship service and will be sharing more stories about his work during the Sunday school hour.

Angels' Attic is needing dedicated, dependable volunteers, two hours/week. Stop in at the Attic on Tuesday or Thursday and talk to Delonna Barnett.

Eden Retreat Weekend Planned for July 13 and 14. Come spend some time with your church family at Camp Mennoscah. The Eden Retreat Weekend will take place on July 13 and 14 at camp. **See schedule for the weekend later in bulletin.** To help us in planning for the retreat, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall by June 30, if you plan to attend Saturday and/or Sunday along with your preference for lodging.

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.

If you have a camper going to Camp Mennoscah or Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp please let the church office know what dates they are going so they can be included in the remember in prayer section.

Summer can be a very difficult time for some people. **Please bring your non-perishable grocery items and your monetary gifts for the Moundridge Food Pantry** the first Sunday of the month and place them in the containers provided in the library.

Extended Church Family

The Parkinson's Support Group at Kidron Bethel will meet Tuesday, July 2, at 2:00 p.m. We will meet at Kidron Bethel in the Harvest Table Dining Room for an ice cream social. All are welcome.

You are invited to Peace Mennonite Church, Lawrence, KS to hear Pauline Sharp's presentation about Kanza history and the Kanza Heritage Society on Sunday, June 30, from 7-8:30 p.m. **This presentation is hosted by the Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery Coalition** (for more information see <https://dofdmenno.org>). Refreshments will be provided.

Everence will hold informative Medicare workshops at its offices in North Newton and Hutchinson in July. Attendees will learn about the various Medicare plans and what they cover; plans that supplement Medicare; and enrollment details and deadlines. The North Newton presentation will be held at 3179 N. Main St. on **Monday, July 8 (6:30 p.m.)**. The Hutchinson presentation will be held at 524 E. 30th Ave. on **Thursday, July 11 (6:30 p.m.)**. Space is limited. Reserve your spot soon by contacting Michelle Ramer at (316) 283-3800; (877) 467-7294 or michelle.ramer@everence.com.

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. **There is a sign-up sheet on the information stand for food items needed for VBS.**

WDC Annual Assembly - Come listen to the personal testimony and insights about leadership in today's Mennonite Church USA by featured speaker and MC USA Executive Director, Glen Guyton **July 26-27** at Western District Conference Annual Assembly, Bethel College, North Newton, KS. For more information, go to mennowdc.org/annual-assembly/#2019annualAssembly. **We are looking for delegates from Eden to attend. Please talk to Jay Goering if you are willing to serve as a delegate.**

Mennonite Central Committee Central States is hiring for a Young Adult Program Coordinator. The full job description is available at serve.mcc.org. Please contact Heidi Huber at heidihuber@mcc.org for more information. **Application close date: July 5, 2019.**

The Wedding Banquet

Chorus:

I cannot come, I cannot come to the banquet, don't trouble me now.
I have married a wife, I have bought me a cow.
I have fields and commitments that cost a pretty sum.
Pray, hold me excused, I cannot come.

Vs. 1:

A certain man held a feast on his fine estate in town.
He laid a festive table and wore a wedding gown.
He sent invitations to his neighbors far and wide
but when the meal was ready, each of them replied: (chorus)

Vs. 2:

The master rose up in anger, called his servants by name,
said: "Go into the town, fetch the blind and the lame,
fetch the peasant and the pauper, for this I have willed,
my banquet must be crowded, and my table must be filled." (chorus)

Vs. 3:

When all the poor had assembled, there was still room, to spare,
so the master demanded: "Go search ev'rywhere,
to the highways and the byways and force them to come in.
My table must be filled before the banquet can begin." (chorus)

Vs. 4:

Now God has written a lesson for the rest of mankind;
if we're slow in responding, He may leave us behind.
He's preparing a banquet for that great and glorious day.
When the Lord and Master calls us, be certain not to say: (chorus)

Mennonite Central Committee is now collecting Immigration detainee care kits. When people who have been placed in immigration detention centers are released, they often have nothing more than the clothes on their backs. Kits containing clothing and hygiene products can help to rebuild their dignity as they are taken to bus stations and airports to reconnect with their families in the U.S. Please visit mcc.org/immigrationkit for all the details of what goes into the kit and how the kits will be distributed. It is one small way we can share Christ's love with our neighbors. All kit supplies should be sent to MCC Central States 121 E. 30th, PO Box 235, North Newton, KS 67117. Questions? Please contact MCC at 316.283.2720. See flyers on the information stand in fellowship hall.

Thank you for welcoming us so warmly last Sunday. We invite you to join us for Sunday morning service at 10 a.m. at 1201 S. Pattie (Corner of Lincoln and Pattie). Please keep us in your prayers as we seek to reach out and share God's love with the surrounding community. ~ All of us *At the Feet of Christ Church*, Wichita

Retreat Weekend at Camp Mennoscah Schedule

Saturday

2:00-5:00 p.m. Registration
3:00-5:00 p.m. Afternoon Swim
6:00 p.m. Potluck Supper
7:00 p.m. Group Activities
8:30 p.m. Campfire
9:00 p.m. Popcorn
10:00-11:00 p.m. Late Swim

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7:30 a.m. Morning Devotions
8:00 a.m. Breakfast
9:30 a.m. Worship
10:30-11:30 a.m. Swim
12:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00-2:00 p.m. Clean up and head home

Please consider being with us both days. Below are per-person rates:

Adult/Child Overnight

\$15/\$7.50 Tent/RV
\$17.50/\$8.75 Cabin
\$23.00/\$11.50 Bunk House

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