Eden Church Office Hours Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon Phone: 620-345-8320; Email: edenoffice@edenmennonite.org Check out our website at www.edenmennonite.org Friend us on Facebook Lead Pastor, Derek King Cell Phone: 717-201-1147 <u>dking@edenmennonite.org</u>; Day off: Friday Associate Pastor, Dianne Schmidt Cell phone: 419-890-8327 dschmidt@edenmennnonite.org; Day off: Thursday

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 SS offering for the fall quarter is for MCC Immigration Detainee Care Kits.

Please join one of our Sunday school classes today.

Adult Sunday School

SEEDS: Rm 127 (college+) 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: Rm 104 2nd & 3rd: Rm 102 4th - 6th: Rm 152 Jr & Sr High (7th - 12th): Rm 100 Nursery provided for those under 2

He took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him...

ACTS 24:30-31 NRSV

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Derek King, Lead Pastor Dianne Schmidt, Associate Pastor September 15, 2019 Vol. 64 No. 37 Karen Kaufman Prelude Welcome Derek King Call to Worship STS 197 L: As many grains are harvested and many grapes are plucked P: We are many individuals gathered here. As they are formed into one loaf and poured into one cup L: P: We have been formed into one body. As Jesus offered himself for all <u>۱</u>. P: We offer our body in praise and worship to the Lord! Here in This Place Hymn HWB 6 (pink) **Time with Children** Larry Temple Psalm 34:1-10 Scripture Reading Kristen Stucky Worship Music A Heart Like Jesus, by Ray D Hatton Chancel Choir Becky Setser, director; Robin Schrag, accompanist Scripture Reading Luke 24:13-31 Pastor Derek "The Hunger Table" Pastor Dianne Schmidt Message Be Known to Us In Breaking Bread Song of Response MH 402 (pink) Communion Worship Music *In Remembrance*, by Buryl Red Chancel Choir Kristin Kaufman on Flute **Prayers of the People** Offering/Offertory My Jesus, I Love Thee - arranged by Richard A. Nichols Karen Kaufman & Kristin Kaufman **Opportunities for Discipleship *Sending Song HWB 118** (yellow) Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow *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. We gather in the name of God who claims us as beloved children, Christ who feeds and nourishes us and the Holy Spirit who gives us faith. Amen.

Eden will be collecting School Kits during September. There is a display in the fellowship hall and west entrance where you can pick up a bag that Mary Martha Circle members have made. Go shopping and fill the bags with the following items:

4 spiral or perforated -page notebook s (8.5 in. X 10.5in. and70 sheets) 8 new unsharpened pencils

1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30cm; inch markings optional 12 colored pencils (in packaging)

1 large eraser

2 new black or blue ballpoint pens

Mary Martha Circle will add a small metal pencil sharpener to each kit since they are hard to find. Return the filled bags to church and put them in the boxes by the display. Let's see how many School Kits we can collect. We will post on the board how many kits come in. If you prefer to purchase certain items just put them on the boxes. If you prefer to donate cash, just take a check to the church office and items will be purchased and placed in bags.

Wednesday night meals will begin on September 18 and run thru November 6. Any group or SS class that would be willing to serve a meal or two would be greatly appreciated. Please fill in your name on the signup sheet in the fellowship hall. If you have questions, contact Marcia Goering.

The meal on Wednesday night will be taco salad, fruit and cookies.

The Eden Art Gallery is in need of some changes. If you or your children have some art work that you are willing to hang in the north halls of the church, or placed in our art case, please contact Kathy Waltner, <u>gkwaltner@hotmail.com</u> or 620-386-4629. We hope to collect art work during the next couple weeks, ready to be displayed.

Eden This Week

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Sunday	10:00 a.m. Worship at Pine Village. No Sunday School.
Tuesday	6:00 p.m. Stewardship Commission mtg. at church office
Wednesday	6:00 p.m. Wednesday night supper served at church
	6:30 p.m. Service Project
	7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
	8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
Thursday	Items for the October Eden Echoes due in the church office
Looking Ahead	
September 22:	3:30 Church Picnic
September 25:	6:00 p.m. Supper served
	6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages
	7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
	8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
October 1:	7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.
October 2:	6:00 p.m. Supper served
	6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages
	7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
	8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
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Last Sunday, September 8, 2019

Worship attendance: 196 Sunday school: 183 Offering: \$5,170.00

Next Sunday, September 22, 2019

Music: Ladies Chorus Children's Story: Candy Unrau Nursery: Amanda & Cory Harrison

Remember in Prayer

Jerry Stucky: Released from Via Christi, St. Joseph to Pine Village **WDC:** Pray for interim and transitional pastors in WDC as they provide leadership for congregations in the midst of change.

Come enjoy a church picnic Sunday, September 22, at the home of Gary and Bonita Howard. Fellowship for all ages begins at 3:30. Activities include volleyball, scavenger hunt, lawn games, visiting, hayrack ride & more. Dinner will be served at 5:30. Hamburgers, hotdogs, buns, table service, water & s'mores will be provided. Bring a side dish or salad to share and lawn chairs. For more information, contact Bret and Marla Gillmore or Gary and Bonita Howard.

Wednesday evening activities will begin on September 18. Supper will be served from 6:00 to 6:30, followed by a service night. All ages will work on packing school kits for MCC. On September 25, classes will begin for all ages beginning with age 4. There will also be a nursery for the younger ones. The last Wednesday evening during the fall will be November 6. A game night will be planned for everyone on the 6th. Please sign up early for your group or Sunday school class to serve a meal, so everyone can enjoy the evening activities.

Extended Church Family

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p.m. – 3 p.m. The community is invited to attend; the walk will kick-off at the Wellness Center. Participants are encouraged to get sponsors for your walk. For more information contact Jenna Lehrman, Director of Nursing at 620.345.2901. This year two teams will be facing off to see who can raise the most donations. The teams competing are the Health Care and the Assisted Living teams. There are many ways to donate, including check or cash brought into Pine Village, or online with a credit card at <u>www.pinevillageks.org</u>.

The Moundridge Senior Center Annual Benefit Fish Fry will be Tuesday, Sept 17, 5-7:00 p.m. at the Senior Center. The menu is fried fish, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw, rolls, homemade pie/ice cream. The proceeds for the fish fry will go towards the purchase of window covering for the entrance doors and funds to complete ongoing renovation projects. Free will donations appreciated. Every welcome. Come support your local Senior Center.

In recognition of International Day of Peace, **Hesston College Bel Canto Singers and Hesston High School Singers will present a Global Voice concert**, Saturday, Sept. 21, at 7 p.m., at Hesston Mennonite Church on the Hesston College campus. The concert is free and open to the public. **Hesston College invites alumni and friends to campus for Homecoming 2019, Sept. 26 to 29.** The weekend offers activities for all ages, including dedications for facilities part of the Be Greater campaign - Bess Mullet Softball Field, Yost Center and the Bonnie Sowers Nursing Center, The Manickam Mosey Two-Mile Run/Walk, a disc golf tournament, a kids' festival, picnic meal and athletic events. See the full weekend schedule at <u>hesston.edu/homecoming</u>.

Now in the Regier Art Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College: "In Bloom," ceramics by Natalie Brown, through Sept. 27; gallery hours Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-4 p.m.

Get involved with something BIG! MCC is celebrating our 100th anniversary and attempting to collect 6500 comforters to deliver to people in need all around the world. Get involved by tying a comforter on Jan 18, 2020 (mark your calendars now!). We are looking for people to host a comforter tying event in their community. Contact Kate Mast at 316.283.2720 or <u>katemast@mcc.org</u> for details, supplies and resources. It's more than a warm blanket – it's a message of love and compassion.

MCC Comforter Mini Blitz coming up on September 27 & 28 at MCC in North Newton! Join us to tie knots and spread God's love and warmth to children and families around the world. Come and go as you are able and bring your friends and family, people of all ages are welcome! Friday, Sept. 27 from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 28 from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., at MCC (121 E. 30th in North Newton). More details can be found at <u>mcc.org/comforter-blitz</u> or call 316.283.2720 with questions.

Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) is hard at work in Pine Ridge, SD, California, Texas, North Carolina, Florida, and Puerto Rico. Volunteers are needed. Contact Josh Carson at 800-241-8111 or email <u>jcarson@mds.mennonite.net</u> for details.

All singers are invited to sing in the annual Hesston College Masterworks performance on Saturday, November 16. This year's performance will be *Song of Wisdom.* Rehearsals begin October 7. Go to <u>hesston.edu/masterworks</u> for more information, or contact Russell Adrian at <u>russell.adrian@hesston.edu</u> or 620-327-8143.

The Board of Directors of Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary has announced the **appointment of David W. Boshart as the next president of the seminary**, beginning January 1, 2020. See <u>https://www.ambs.edu/about/president-search</u> for more information.

The Hispanic Ministries IBA program provides biblical and theological training for leaders of the Hispanic churches in the US and **Marco Güete**, **director of the program is hiking El Camino de Santiago to raise funds** to continue to train these needed leaders. See flyer on the bulletin board at church.

The Mennonite Heritage and Agriculture Museum, Goessel, is sponsoring the **Fall 2019 Heritage Lecture on Saturday, October 5 at 9:30 am at Alexanderwohl** Mennonite Church, Goessel. The topic is: Seagoing Cowboys and Tractors to Poland. Hear their stories of bringing cattle and tractors to a starving and war-torn Europe '45-'47. This event is free and open to the public. Donations to the museum are welcome.

The Mennonite, Inc., invites your original submissions for our November 2019 print magazine issue and corresponding online content focusing on **Journeys with church**. Submissions are due to Editor@TheMennonite.org no later than October 1. More info at: <u>https://themennonite.org/november-2019-call-submissions-journeys-church/</u>.

As a service of the Moundridge United Methodist Church, we have started a **short term**, **small medical equipment rental program** for the Moundridge and surrounding areas. This would involve equipment such as crutches, canes, walkers, shower seats, etc. The program is designed to be of no cost to the renter. We would like the equipment returned in good condition as soon as the individual is done with it. We will clean and disinfect it for the next person. Questions should be directed to 620-386-6453 and not the church.

The Kansas Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution (KIPCOR) at Bethel College, along with community partners, is organizing a series of free public events, Sept. 16-22, on campus and in the Newton community, in connection with the 2019 Campaign Nonviolence Week of Action. Activities include "swords into plowshares" demonstrations by Colorado Springs-based RAWtools, a film screening and community cookout, service projects, and a lecture by Palwasha Kakar. See kipcor.org or call 316-284-5217 for more information.

Sun., Sept. 22 – Bethel College Bible and religion department lecture by Palwasha Kakar, senior program officer for religion and inclusive societies at the U.S. Institute of Peace in Washington, D.C., 7 p.m., *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center*