

### **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.*

**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

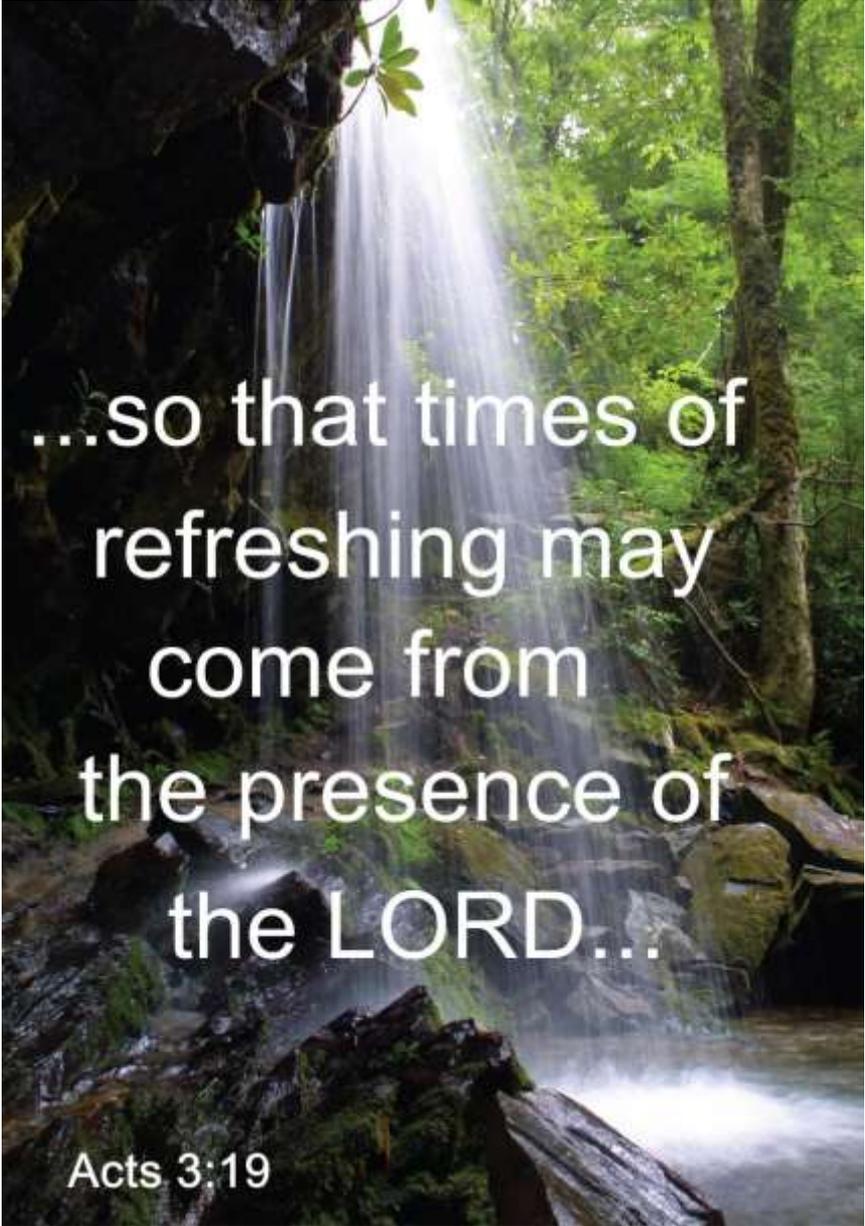
1st: Rm 104

2nd - 4th: Rm 102

5th - 6th: Rm 152

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

**Nursery provided for those under 2**

A photograph of a waterfall cascading over dark, mossy rocks in a dense, green forest. Sunlight filters through the trees, creating a bright, ethereal glow around the water. The scene is peaceful and refreshing.

...so that times of  
refreshing may  
come from  
the presence of  
the LORD...

Acts 3:19

**Eden Mennonite Church**  
**Moundridge, Kansas**  
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**Prelude** Robin Schrag

**Welcome** Pastor Dianne

**\*Call to Worship**

**L:** God is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

**P:** **We have gathered here this morning to worship God.**

**L:** We have come to open ourselves to the power of God's presence in our midst.

**P:** **We have come seeking comfort, inspiration, community and healing.**

**ALL:** ***We have come to offer up our lives and to receive God's love and grace.***

**\*Opening Hymn HWB 145** *There's a wideness in God's mercy*

**Worship Music** *I Believe* arr. by John Leavitt Ladies Chorus  
Becky Setser, director; Brenda Dalke, accompanist

**Children's Story** Laurie Schrag

**Scripture Reading** Acts 3: 1-21

**Worship Music** *O How He Loves You and Me* arr. by John Purifoy Ladies Chorus

**Message** "Fix Your Eyes" Pastor Derek

**\*Song of Response HWB 377** *Healer of our every ill*

**Time for Anointing**

**Sharing Joys & Concerns**

**Prayers of the People**

**Offering/Offertory**

**Opportunities for Discipleship**

**\*Sending Hymn STS 57** *Go, my friends, in grace*

**\*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](http://www.edenmennonite.org) and our Facebook page, or YouTube channel.

**Dear family of God, welcome to worship in the name of Jesus, our Savior.**

May you be nourished by the very Bread of Life.



**A nursery is available for small children.** Please ask an usher to direct you. Thank you to Marcia Goering and Dave Stucky 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.



**Today, Sunday, November 10,** during our final worship service focused on the early church in the book of Acts, we will be offering **anointing** for healing. This will be an opportunity for anyone to come to a pastor for **a touch of oil and prayer**. We believe a core part of the Good News of Jesus is the possibility of healing for our bodies, minds, and relationships. These are a foretaste of God's plan of "universal restoration", Acts 3:21.

The pastors will be offering a **Membership Inquiry class** for those among us who would consider becoming members of Eden. This will be a **four session class beginning January 19**. If interested, please contact either of the pastors (contact information on the back of the bulletin).

**The November *Eden Echoes* is available on the information stand in the fellowship hall.**

### **Eden This Week**

<b>Sunday</b>	9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship time 10:40 a.m. Sunday school for all ages after worship
<b>Monday:</b>	7:00 p.m. ELT meets at Eden Church Office
<b>Tuesday:</b>	7:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship Commission mtg
<b>Wednesday:</b>	7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

### **Looking Ahead**

<b>November 17:</b>	Mission Sunday at Eden
<b>November 20:</b>	7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
<b>November 28:</b>	Thanksgiving – Eden Church Office Closed
<b>November 29:</b>	Eden Church Office closed for Thanksgiving holiday

### **Last Sunday, November 3, 2019**

Worship attendance: 207  
Sunday school: 148  
Offering: \$14,153.57

### **Next Sunday, November 17, 2019**

Mission Sunday with West Zion and First Mennonite  
Message: "The Mission within the Mission" by Joe Sawatzky  
Scripture: Luke 19:1-10  
Music: Community Choir  
Nursery: Cindy Bartell and Alan Thomas

### Remember in Prayer

**Larry Krehbiel:** Undergoing back surgery scheduled for Nov. 12.

**Deb Lichti & family:** grieving after the death of her mother, Jane McElhiney.

**WDC:** Pray for the WDC Resource Commission as it equips congregations for faith formation, justice and peacemaking, safe sanctuaries, evangelism and community connections, historical storytelling, and other aspects of congregational ministry and outreach.

**Venita Patchin (97) passed away on October 29.** A graveside service was held on Saturday, November 9. We extend our sympathy to her family and friends.

### Extended Church Family

**Get involved with something BIG – record breaking BIG!** MCC is celebrating our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary and attempting to collect 6500 comforters to deliver to people in need all around the world. Get involved by tying a comforter on January 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 [katemast@mcc.org](mailto:katemast@mcc.org) for details, supplies and resources. It's more than a warm blanket – it's a message of love and compassion.

Western District Women in Mission will host the event **“Let’s Talk...Women, Money & Faith” on January 24 and 25 at Tabor Mennonite Church, Newton, KS,** featuring speakers from Everence who will address money and faith topics for women of all ages and stages of life.. Look for more information soon on Facebook at [https://www.facebook.com/WesternDistrictWomen/?modal=admin\\_todo\\_tour](https://www.facebook.com/WesternDistrictWomen/?modal=admin_todo_tour) or at our web page <https://communicationswdwm.wixsite.com/wdwm>.

Hesston College Music presents its annual masterworks concert on **Saturday, Nov. 16 at Hesston Mennonite Church. Featuring Hesston College choirs, community members and orchestra in “Song of Wisdom” from *Old Turtle*.** Narrated by faculty emeritus Jim Yoder. Family program from 4:15 to 5 p.m., and full program at 7 p.m. Admission is free. A free-will offering will be collected to help offset program costs.

Come out to Hesston College’s Yost Center Friday, Nov. 15 for **an evening of basketball, games, fun, prizes and entertainment at Alumni/Community Basketball Night. Women’s game at 6 p.m., men’s game at 8 p.m. Free admission for all!** High school-age youth are invited to a devotional time led by men’s basketball coach Dustin Galyon in the Yost Center Team Room during halftime of the women’s game.

**RSVP now for the next MCC Lunch & Learn!** Please join us on Thursday, November 14 from noon-1 p.m. at Mennonite Central Committee in North Newton as we enjoy lunch and **hear from Rosie Epp about her recent trip to Ukraine.** Epp traveled with the boards from MCC U.S. and MCC Canada to see where MCC's work began nearly 100 years ago and to visit the work currently happening in Ukraine. Please RSVP by November 11 by calling 316.283.2720, [patsydirksen@mcc.org](mailto:patsydirksen@mcc.org), suggested donation for lunch is \$10 and please let us know if you have a food allergy. Find out more at [mcc.org/lunchandlearn](http://mcc.org/lunchandlearn).

**All are invited to the annual Mission Supper at First Mennonite Church in Halstead,** on Saturday, Nov 16, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Menu includes Smoked German Sausage, Chicken Borscht, Sauerkraut, Fried Potatoes, Green Beans, Zwieback, homemade Pie or Cake. Cost is by donation. Part of the proceeds will go to **Safehope.** Other proceeds will be used to support Mennonite Mission Network workers **Dan & Kathryn Smith Derksen family and Dave and Rebekka Stutzman Family.**

**Camp Mennoscah is recruiting at Hesston, Tabor, Bethel, and McPherson Colleges on Nov. 11-14 respectively.** Stop by, pick up information, and say hi! A pizza gathering for all interested in summer staff positions will be Nov. 13 at 6:15pm at Papa John's in Newton. Response needed! Please let us know you plan to come at [olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org](mailto:olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org) or 620-297-3290. **(No responses = no pizza gathering.)**

*The Mennonite, Inc., invites your original submissions* for our January 2020 print magazine issue and corresponding online content focusing on Education: Restorative justice. See: <https://themennonite.org/january-2020-call-submissions-education-restorative-justice/>

**Please pray for the MCC Mobile Cannery** as it travels through Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, Minnesota, Oklahoma and Iowa this fall. Please pray for the four MCC canners, the volunteers who donate money and time at each canning site and the recipients of canned meat. Find out more at [mcc.org/canning](http://mcc.org/canning).

**TODAY (Sun., Nov. 10) – Bible Lecture with Melissa Archer,** associate professor of biblical studies, Southeastern University, 7 p.m., "Liturgy and the Apocalypse," 2nd lecture Mon., Nov. 11, 11 a.m., "Worship Marks Us" (on Revelation 13:11-17), *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*

**Final chance to register for reduced fee for the 5th biennial Worship & the Arts Symposium at Bethel College**, “Many Cultures, One Worship: A Foretaste of a Reconciled Heaven in a Broken World,” Nov. 22-23, with David M. Bailey and Urban Doxology of Richmond, Va. See [www.bethelks.edu/worshiparts](http://www.bethelks.edu/worshiparts) for more information and online registration; *fee reduction when 3 or more members of one congregation register as a group*. Registration deadline: Nov. 11.

**Fri., Nov. 15 – Bethel College Wind Ensemble concert, “Star Wars,”** 7:30 p.m., *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center*

**Sun., Nov. 17 – KIPCOR Film Series: *Dawnland*, 3 p.m.,** *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*; talkback follows with Dan Wildcat of Haskell Indian Nations University, Lawrence

**Sunday, Nov. 24 – Friends of the MLA program, 3 p.m., “Remembering the Vietnam War”** with Rachel Pannabecker (50-year anniversary of Bethel’s participation in the Moratorium to End the War in Vietnam), *Kauffman Museum*

**Now in the Regier Art Gallery in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College:** “BRAID/WORK” by Sarah Beth Woods, through Nov. 23. Gallery hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon.-Fri., 2-4 p.m. Sunday.



## **Detainee Care Kits**

### **CLOTHING**

- ~ 1 jogging suit (new, sweatpants and sweatshirt; can be purchased as separate items)
- ~ 1 t-shirt (new, crew or v-neck)
- ~ 1 pair of socks (new)
- ~ 1 pair of underwear (new)

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

- ~ 1 pair of shoelaces (outdoor or sport style; any color)
- ~ 1 pen (black)
- ~ 1 small notebook

### **HYGIENE PRODUCTS**

- ~ 1 washcloth
- ~ 1 bath towel
- ~ 1 adult-sized toothbrush (new; in package)
- ~ 1 small toothpaste (2.7-3.5 oz.)
- ~ 1 package bath wipes (pre-moistened soft wipes)
- ~ 1 razor (disposable)
- ~ 1 small shaving cream (2-3 oz.)
- ~ 1 comb (wide-tooth)
- ~ 1 small deodorant (2-3 oz.)
- ~ 1 small body lotion (2-3 oz.)

For female packs only

- ~ sanitary napkins (18-24 count; ultra-Thin)

[https://mcc.org/sites/mcc.org/files/media/common/documents/immigrationdetaineekitsfinal\\_2.pdf](https://mcc.org/sites/mcc.org/files/media/common/documents/immigrationdetaineekitsfinal_2.pdf)

Please limit donations to these NEW items. Items for kits will be taken to MCC in North Newton and assembled there. If you have any questions, please see a member of the Peace and Witness Commission. Thanks!