

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 Junior Department Sunday school offering will go to MCC from now through the spring quarter.

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+)

Mixed Seniors' Class: Rm 151

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



“THIS IS MY
BELOVED SON,
WITH WHOM
I AM WELL
PLEASED.”

MATTHEW 3:17 ESV

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Worship at Pine Village

Prelude

Karen Kaufman

Welcome

Pastor Dianne

***Call to Worship (from Psalm 148)**

Leader: We come together as the family of faith.

People: We assemble to honor the living God.

Leader: Through Christ we become God's holy household.

People: In Christ we are bound together to be God's people.

Leader: Our worship is united into oneness by the Holy Spirit.

People: In communion with the Holy Spirit, let us celebrate our unity.

Opening Hymn HWB 12

Come, let us all unite to sing

Worship Music

Holy Lord of All, by Frances Williams

Men's Chorus

Becky Setser, director; Bonita Howard, accompanist

Old Testament Scripture

Isaiah 42:1-9

Time with Children

Kathy Neufeld

New Testament Scripture

Matthew 3:13-17

Worship Music

In The Rifted Rock, arranged by J Harold Moyer

Men's Chorus

Message

"What's in a Name?"

Pastor Derek

Song of Response STS 49

I will come to you in the silence

Prayers of the People

Offering/ Offertory

Karen Kaufman, organ; Kristin Kaufman, flute

O For a Thousand Tongues/We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer
arranged by Richard Nichols

Opportunities for Discipleship

Sending Song HWB 421 (vs. 1-3)

Blessed be the tie that binds

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 to worship! In Jesus, the beloved Son of God, we are all children of the Most High.

Wednesday night meals will begin on January 22. 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. Remember to let the church office know the week before your meal what you will be serving. Becky can then get it in the bulletin. If you have questions, contact Marcia.

The directory pages are on a table in the fellowship hall. **Please update your information and the information of family not in the area or attending. If you are a regular attendee of Eden and would like your contact information to be included in the Eden Directory** please call the church office at 345-8320 or email us at edenoffice@edenmennonite.org or write in on the information sheets in the fellowship hall.

If you would like a printed copy of the Annual Report Book please contact the church office at edenoffice@edenmennonite.org or call 345-8320. Only those requesting books will receive a printed copy. It will be available on the website once it is completed.

Angel Tree Ornaments/Bookmarks: You may pick up angels purchased to honor the memory of loved ones on the church library desk.

Commissions and Committees please meet, (even if briefly) to determine who will be your chairperson, secretary, etc. as soon as possible and get those names to the church office. The sooner this is done, the sooner the 2020 Directory can be printed.

Everyone is invited for food and fellowship for the new year on Wednesday, January 22. Chili and cinnamon rolls will be served with all the fixings. Followed by games planned for all ages. Starting January 29 classes will begin for 3 year olds through adults. Nursery is provided for ages 2 and younger. Please join us.

Eden

Sunday 10:00 a.m. Worship at Pine Village
Monday: 7:00 p.m. ELT mtg. at church office
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Looking Ahead

January 22: 6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal served in fellowship hall
6:45 p.m. Game night
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
January 25: 9:00 a.m. Leadership Retreat
January 26: Noon – Potluck meal followed by year in review
January 29: 6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal served in fellowship hall
6:45 p.m. Bible study for all ages
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men’s Chorus
February 4: 7:00 p.m. Edu/Disc Commission mtg.
February 5 & 12: 6:00 p.m. Fellowship meal served in fellowship hall
6:45 p.m. Bible study for all ages
7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:45 p.m. Men’s Chorus
February 13: 7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg.

Last Sunday, January 5, 2020

Worship Attendance: 166
Sunday School: 126
Offering: \$5,290.00

Next Sunday, January 19, 2020

Music: Chancel Choir
Children’s Story: Amy Krehbiel
Nursery: Britney & DaWayne Stos

Remember in Prayer

WDC: Pray for the WDC commissions in their ministries of equipping leaders, resourcing congregations, nurturing church planting, and encouraging generosity and stewardship.

Valeria Graber passed away on Saturday, January 4. Services were held at Eden on Wednesday, January 8. We extend our sympathy to her daughters Terri (Mike) Gehring and Melanie Stucky and all of her extended family and friends.

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).

Great Winter Warmup event will be held January 18, 2020 at Pine Village Wellness Center from 9-3. Come and go as you are able. We are planning soup for those that stay for lunch. Come and help us complete comforters for MCC. If you have never tied a comforter, we will be happy to teach you. Contact Sharon Gehring, Lu Goering or Marna Goering if questions.

Extended Church Family

Please join us for our annual Kansas MDS meeting to hear about recent activity and find out ways to get involved on Sunday, January 19 at Whitestone Mennonite Church, 629 Crescent Drive, Hesston. The meeting begins at 2:00 pm with refreshments to follow.

2020 is the 100 year anniversary of the Mennonite Central Committee. The Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale would like to celebrate this milestone by gifting MCC ONE MILLION DOLLARS. The Kansas Sale was founded to support the ministry of Relief, Development, and Peace in the name of Christ. This would require 1,000 people to each give \$1,000 to get to one million dollars by April 17, the first day of the 2020 Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale.

Western District Women in Mission in cooperation with Everence Financial will host a two-day conference "Let's Talk...Women, Money & Faith" on January 24 and 25 at Tabor Mennonite Church, Newton, KS. Featured speakers, Teresa Boshart Yoder and Rhoda Blough, from Everence Financial will address money and faith topics for women of all ages and stages of life. More information and **registration forms on information stand in fellowship hall or on Facebook** at https://www.facebook.com/WesternDistrictWomen/?modal=admin_todo_tour or at our web page <https://communicationswdwm.wixsite.com/wdwm>.

Ted & Co. TheaterWorks, Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) and Hesston College are partnering for a unique fundraising opportunity on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. In an event called Boots, Buckets and Barrows that is part theater show/part auction to support the ongoing work of MDS, Ted & Co. will present the original play *The Jesus Stories: Faith, Forks & Fetuccine*, which is interrupted two times to auction off buckets of home-related items. The event will be at **7 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 31** at Hesston Mennonite Church (309 S. Main St, Hesston). Proceeds from this event will benefit both MDS and scholarships for Hesston College students in the Disaster Management Program. A second south central Kansas show will be at **7 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 1** at Journey Mennonite Church (808 S. Poplar St., South Hutchinson).

Offender/Victim Ministries will hold its Annual Meeting on Sunday, Jan. 12, 2:00-5:00 PM, at the MCC Center, 121 E. 30th St., North Newton. The public is invited. In addition to a brief program and business meeting at 3:00 PM, Valentine letter/card writing materials will be available. For more information, contact OVM, 316-283-2038 or info@offendervictimministries.org.

Before Rosa Parks. Before Martin Luther King Jr. Before Nelson Mandela. There was Paul Robeson. **Hesston College artist in residence and peace ambassador Tony Brown will present his tribute to 20th century civil rights activist Paul Robeson at 7 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 19, at Hesston Mennonite Church.** *I Go On Singing: Paul Robeson's Life in Word and Song* is part of Hesston's MLK Day celebration. The narrator for the show will be Victor Hogstrom of KPTS TV Wichita (PBS). Tickets are \$12 for adults and can be purchased at the Hesston College Bookstore in Erb Hall or at 620-327-8104. Students college-age and younger are free. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Newton Et Cetera Shop thanks you for your generous support in 2019! We invited you to SHOP, DONATE and VOLUNTEER, and YOU DID! With the help of 260 volunteers, we've sold over 500,000 items this year! If you'd like to join our volunteers, please attend an upcoming **new volunteer orientation on Tues., Feb. 11, 6-7p.m.** We're currently seeking volunteers to help with costumes, greeting cards, holiday items and clerking. Blessings for the new year to you from Newton Et Cetera Shop board of directors, volunteers and employees!

Mennonite Church USA has announced several staff transitions, welcoming Caleb Allen of Kansas and Camille Dager of Pennsylvania to its Communications team and Roberta Yoder of Indiana to the Archives. For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/36eK3Ns>.

All are invited to a farewell reception for WDC Associate Conference Minister Byron Pellecer on Wednesday, January 22, at 10-11 am (come-and-go, with remarks at 10:30 am) at the WDC conference room, 2517 North Main Street, North Newton, KS. Come and enjoy some refreshments, and join in as we offer our prayers and best wishes for Byron as he concludes his ministry with WDC at the end of January.

Interested in learning more about creation care? WDC will host a gathering at the WDC conference room (2517 North Main in North Newton) for anyone interested in joining to watch an upcoming webinar, Thu, Feb 27 at 6:30 p.m. sponsored by Mennonite Creation Care Network, followed by conversation together. For more information, see [Caring for climate: Beyond denial and despair](#). Since this webinar is around mealtime, you are invited to bring some "creation-friendly" finger-foods to share! Drinks will be provided. (You can also watch this webinar on your own, or sign up to receive a link to a recording afterwards).

Mon., Jan. 20 -- Bethel College's annual Martin Luther King Jr. Day celebration takes place at a different place and time than previous years (*also different from some previously printed calendars*); **starting at 2 p.m.** (or come and go as your schedule allows), informal time of snacks and mingling, followed by special music by the Bethel Worship Center band, and a performance by the Junior People of Color (POC) Step Team from Leavenworth; **3 p.m.**, Michelle Vann, Ph.D., Wichita, author, teacher, speaker, radio show host, blogger and active church and community member; concluding reception, *all in Memorial Hall*.

Sat., Jan. 25 -- Celebrate Kansas Day! **11:30 a.m.**, program in *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*; **1-4 p.m.**, activities, performances and demonstrations for all ages *in and around Kauffman Museum, corner of Main and 27th Streets, North Newton*

STEPMC is coming to Moundridge and looking for candidates for the following positions: -**Coach position:** the coach is responsible for recruiting and mentoring program candidates for the Steps Out Of Poverty Program, as well as for overseeing Moundridge weekly classes and programming. -**Youth Development Program Coordinator Position:** the youth coordinator is responsible for planning and coordinating staff/volunteers for the children's activities associated with the weekly STEPMC classes. **For more information, and to apply, follow these links:**

-Coach position: <https://www.indeed.com/job/stepmc-moundridge-coach-59424305535f9c07>

-Youth Development Program Coordinator Position:

<https://www.indeed.com/job/moundridge-youth-development-program-coordinator-d26b64c223ff1b13>