

**Eden Mennonite Church  
Moundridge, Kansas**

**Website: [www.edenmennonite.org](http://www.edenmennonite.org)**

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**Hospitality**

*Be hospitable to one another without complaining.* -1 Peter 4:9

**Prelude**

Jill Zerger

**Welcome**

Pastor Dianne

**Call to Worship** - VT 856

**Opening Song** - VT 25, *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship*

**Scripture Reading** - Exodus 3:1-10

**Worship Music** *God Be In My Head*

by Andrea Ramsey

Ladies Chorus, accompanied by Brenda Dalke

**Time with Children**

Kristen Stucky

**Hospitality Scripture** - Romans 12:13-16

Pastor Derek

**Message**

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**Song of Response** - VT 527, *Bless the Arms that Comfort*

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**Prayers of the People**

**Worship Music** *Then Sings My Soul: How Great Thou Art*

by Mary McDonald

Ladies Chorus, accompanied by Brenda Dalke

**Announcements**

**Benediction**

**Sending Song** – VT 811, *Use Us, God*

**Postlude**

## Eden Remember In Prayer

**Marna Goering** is now at Pine Village healthcare.

**WDC:** Give thanks for boards, councils, elders and other church leadership teams in WDC congregations, and pray for God's guidance as they care for their communities of faith.

**ELT is looking for a representative from Eden to serve a 3 year term on the Associated Churches Board.** Anybody interested please contact Josh Regier at (620)215-3191.

### **Mark your calendars for Mission Sunday at Eden, November 20 at 9:30 AM**

Tim Amor of Summit Street Church (formerly Beatrice Mennonite Church) will speak on neighboring in small town and rural settings. For Sunday School, we're working on putting together a panel with reps from area churches who are trying innovative neighboring experiments. Stick around after church for a fundraiser meal hosted by the FEWZ youth group!

**"Wednesday Nights at Eden"** has started and will continue for through November. It will be a fun and busy time with something for everyone.

\*\*\* Please consider providing a meal on Wednesday nights, there is a sign-up sheet in fellowship hall.

**Adult Bible Study has begun, Wednesday Nights at Eden, 6:45 pm** in room 127. We are studying the book of Galatians. This week we will focus on Galatians 2. Join me as we explore what it means to be a Jesus centered church.  
- Pastor Dianne

**Pastor Dianne will be offering a Membership Exploration class** for those among us who are interested in considering becoming members of Eden. This will be a four-session class meeting during the Sunday School time on **Oct. 16 & 23** and **Nov. 6 & 13**. If interested, please contact either Dianne or Derek.

**Come for fun, food, and fellowship to the church picnic on October 23** at the home of Ian and Shayna Smith at 143 16th Ave, Moundridge. Bring your fishing equipment for fishing or come for a ride on the horse drawn hay rack. Table service, drinks, hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. Please bring a side dish, lawn chairs, and lawn games. The fun begins at 4:00, scavenger hunt at 4:30, horse drawn hay rack ride at 5:00 and eat at 6:00. For questions, contact Marla Gillmore or Jerri Kaufman.

**MCC Meat Canning is October 24.** Please sign up for a shift in the fellowship hall, 6 am to noon and noon to cleanup at 5. Expenses are much higher this year. Donation by check may be made to MCC Meat Canning and taken to the church office.

Not able to participate in the ***Peaceful Practices*** summer elective class? There are extra copies of the booklet that are available on the information stand. Feel free to pick up a copy and discover the many practices and tools to help you engage in conversations where differences of opinion are hard to talk about.

All are invited to join in ***Together in Unity Worship Service at Pine Village on October 16 at 6:00 pm.*** The pastors from the sponsoring churches of Pine Village are leading this time of worship. If weather permits, this will be an outdoor event otherwise it will be in the Wellness Center. Donations welcome for Pine Village in lieu of this year's Anchor Banquet.

**The Moundridge Community Blood Drive is scheduled for October 21 at 12:00 noon until 6:00 p.m. at the Pine Village Wellness Center.**

For an appointment call 1-800-733-2767 or visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and use "Moundridge" for the sponsor code. Thanks for your support and if you have any questions, call Jerry at 501-388-0177 or email [jerryschrag@gmail.com](mailto:jerryschrag@gmail.com).

**Hoffnungsaue Mennonite Church, 43 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Inman,** will hold its annual **Sausage Mission Supper on Saturday, October 22, 5:00 – 6:30.** This will be a curbside pick up meal featuring our traditional menu of German sausage, mashed potatoes with gravy, creamed peas, zwiabach, applesauce and pie. Cost will be a free will offering with all proceeds going to support The Mary Magdalene House, Hutchinson. This is a ministry to taste the goodness of God and specializes in pastoral counseling with families dealing with mental illness, working through addiction, adoption issues, marital problems, etc. Check out their website at [www.marymagdalenehouse.com](http://www.marymagdalenehouse.com) Call or text Barb (620-543-6863) or Teresa (620-242-2357) NOW to order meals.

**After two years of not meeting, we are excited to announce plans for the Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association Fall banquet. It will be held at the Eden Mennonite Church near Moundridge on Thursday, October 27, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.** The keynote speaker will be Brian Stucky, a 1971 graduate of Moundridge High School and currently living in Goessel. As a descendant of the family who operated the Alta Mill near Moundridge, he will give a program about "Mennonite Mills in Central Kansas". Knackie's will cater the meal. The cost to attend is \$25 per person payable at the door. RSVP by texting or calling Nancy Stucky, 620-532-5693 by October 24.

**Romans 12:13-18 (NIV)**

- 13 Share with the \_\_\_\_\_ people who are in \_\_\_\_\_. Practice \_\_\_\_\_.
- 14 Bless those who \_\_\_\_\_ you; bless and do not \_\_\_\_\_.
- 15 Rejoice with those who \_\_\_\_\_; mourn with those who \_\_\_\_\_.
- 16 **Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.**
- 17 Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everyone.
- 18 If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.

**Sun., Oct. 16 & Mon., Oct. 17 – Annual Menno Simons Lectures with Brad Gregory, Reformation scholar from the University of Notre Dame, 7 p.m. both evenings, Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College;** overall topic is “The Radical Reformation and Religious Freedom: A Historical Retrospective.”

**Everence to hold Social Security and retirement income workshop.** The popular Social Security and retirement income workshop is at the office in **North Newton**, 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B on **Tuesday, Oct. 18 at 6:30 p.m.** Those interested in attending should contact the Everence office at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or [central.kansas@everence.com](mailto:central.kansas@everence.com).

**Looking Ahead**

- Oct 11:** Worship Commission meeting, Eden office, 7PM
- Oct 16:** Together in Unity Worship Service, Pine Village, 6PM
- Oct 23:** Church Picnic, come after 4, eat at 5:30PM, lots of fun activities
- Oct 24:** MCC Meat Canning
- Nov 20:** Mission Sunday at Eden

Attendance Last Week: Worship-152; Zoom-0; SS-125, Offering \$6,050.00

**Eden Church Office Hours**

**8:00 a.m. to Noon Monday thru Friday**

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