

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas

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Prelude

Bonita Howard

Welcome

Pastor Derek King

Call to Worship

One: Seekers of God, you are here and God is here.

Many: Open our eyes to see anew.

One: Lovers of God, you are here and God is here.

Many: Open our hearts to be touched anew.

One: Followers of God, you are here and God is here.

Many: Open our minds to learn anew.

One: People of God, you are here and God is here.

Many: Open us to be filled anew.

Opening Song

“Christ Is Our Cornerstone”

#4

Time with Children

Kristin Kaufman

Scripture Reading

John 4:7-30

Jenny Schrag

Message

“The Bucket” Pastor Candidate Kenzie Intemann

Song of Response

“All Who Are Thirsty”

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Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

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Postlude

To share a financial offering, please leave your donation in the vessel on the table in the Fellowship Hall. To give online, scan the QR code on the back page.

Sunday School begins five minutes after the end of the worship service.



Key

ELT: Eden Leadership Team

MCC: Mennonite Central Committee (relief, development, and peace mission)

MCUSA: Mennonite Church USA (denominational conference)

MDS: Mennonite Disaster Service (repair/rebuild homes damaged by disasters)

WDC: Western District Conference (Eden's regional conference of MC USA)

OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

Remember In Prayer

Elise Neufeld and friend, Adaleigh, Nile Burge and Coy Kaufman who will be attending Camp Mennoscah this week.

Courtney and Austin Goering as Courtney is in the hospital receiving monitoring and care through the upcoming birth of their child.

WDC: We are in the middle of the year 2024. We pray that God's presence continues to shine upon us throughout the year. We pray that God opens doors for us to witness the moving of the Holy Spirit, whispering the desires of God to our inner being empowering us to rise and move. "Revive your work in the midst of the ages," said Habakkuk. —WDC Church Planting Commission

Nursery: June 30: Marla and Bret Gillmore **July 7:** Cindy Bartel and Alan Thomas

The peace lamp is lit as a reminder to pray 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.

Welcome to Kenzie and Mallory Intemann and their sons Silas and Taves. Kenzie is candidating this weekend at Eden for the position of Associate Pastor. Besides offering the sermon during worship, he will share his personal story and respond to questions during the Sunday School hour. Following Sunday School, please find a seat at one of the tables for the potluck. After the meal, the following leadership groups will meet in Room 151 with Kenzie at these times: 1:30 ELT; 2:00 Worship Commission; 2:20 SCRT; 2:40 Trustees.

On the recommendation of the Search Committee, Eden Leadership Team presents Kenzie Intemann as the candidate for the position of Associate Pastor. Therefore, ELT is setting a **congregational meeting for Sunday, July 7**, following the morning worship service, to call for a vote on the candidate. This will be a paper ballot vote for Active Members. Absentee ballots can be filled out by Active Members the week before July 7 at the church office. A written introduction of Kenzie and the Associate Pastor Job Description are available through the church office.

Bring your nonperishable items for the **Moundridge Food Pantry** next week.

The church building will regularly be open during the following hours: Sunday and Tuesday through Friday from 8 a.m.–3 p.m. and, of course, when congregational events are scheduled at the church. If you need to get into the building at other times, contact the church office.

Vacation Bible School: “Scuba: Diving into friendship with God!” July 8-11 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. at West Zion, for ages 3 up to kids entering 5th grade in the fall. Want to volunteer? Contact Ashley Stucky. Registration forms are available on the literature cart. Money donations are needed for snacks. Leave your donation in the “fish bowl” in the library. We want to raise \$100. There will be **a decorating party Sunday, July 7 at 3 p.m.** at West Zion with the volunteer meeting and meal to follow. Thank you!

Enjoy God in nature with others during the **Retreat Weekend July 13-14 at Camp Mennoscah**. We will join First Mennonite Church, Moundridge and At the Feet of Christ Mennonite Church, Wichita for the weekend. Registration begins Saturday at 2 p.m. Departure on Sunday after lunch and clean up. **Please bring a side dish to share to go with grilled hamburgers and hot dogs for Saturday supper.** Come for all or part of the weekend. To help in planning, please sign up on the sheet in the fellowship hall by July 7. There will be no worship service at Eden that Sunday. Come join us at Camp!

Save the date. Our Mennonite Mission Network volunteers Joseph and Rachel Givens will speak at 7 p.m., Sunday, July 21 at Eden. This event is for their area supporting congregations and others interested in hearing from the Givens. They are serving at the Maria Skobtsova House in Calais, France, to support migrants/refugees.

Delegates are needed for the WDC Assembly, August 2-4 in Beatrice, NE. Registration will be paid by ELT. It is time to register as reserved hotel rooms are filling fast. Registration includes meals and snacks for Saturday.

BEYOND OUR COMMUNITY

Moundridge Senior Center annual bake sale: Thursday, July 18, 9 a.m.–1 p.m. Donations will go for flooring in the dining room or to replace dining chairs. Donated baked goods may be brought to the Center Friday, July 17 before 2 p.m. or by 7:30 a.m. July 18. Stop in to purchase delicious homemade items and support the Moundridge Senior Center!

STEPMC is in desperate need of partners (middle class) to walk alongside leaders (working out of poverty). The first step is to take our Bridges Out of Poverty class. The next class is July 11, 18, 25, and August 8 at First United Methodist Church of McPherson. For more information, contact the new director, Angela Brunk at 620-245-1852 or email director@stepmc.org.

Camp Mennoscah urgently needs more kitchen staff July 7-12. No special skills needed, just the ability to follow directions and willing hands. Kitchen staff must be at least 18. If you are able to come for part of the week, you are welcome! Contact Olivia olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org, call 620-297-3290 or text 316-293-7313.

August 23-25: 150th Celebration of the Swiss Volhynian Mennonites. Register for [seminars](#). Reserve your plate for an [ethnic meal](#) Saturday at 5 p.m. provided by Breadbasket in Newton. [Sign up](#) to join the mass choir Sunday morning. Rehearsal is 3 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at 8:30 a.m. You can mark your intentions and your part on the website. Bonita Howard asks you to bring a 3-ring black binder to rehearsals. Call Kathy Goering at 316-371-6189 for more information.

Looking Ahead

July 4: Church office closed in observance of the holiday

July 7: Congregational meeting to vote on the pastoral candidate

Attendance Last Week: Worship: 168 Zoom: 2 SS: 115 Offering: \$12,960.00

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