

**Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas**

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Peace Sunday

Prelude Candy Unrau

Welcome Pastor Kenzie Intemann

Call to Worship

Opening Song “In Christ There is No East or West” #390

Time with Children Larry Temple

Worship Music “I Am the Light of Nations” arranged by Hopson
Chancel Choir, directed by Bonita Howard, accompanied by Robin Schrag

Scripture Reading Matthew 5:38-48 Lisa Goering

Worship Music “O Day of Peace” by Daw and Parry

Message “Proclaiming the Gospel of Peace” Peter Goerzen

Song of Response “You Are Salt for the Earth” #297

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song “You Shall Go Out With Joy” #847

Postlude



Welcome to Peter Goerzen who is speaking today for Eden’s Annual Peace Sunday. Peter is assistant professor of Bible and religion at Bethel College. Youth and adults are invited to gather in the sanctuary during the Sunday school hour to hear more from Peter. Everyone is welcome at the potluck meal to follow.

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 10 minutes after the end of the worship service.

Key

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

MC USA: 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

Juanita Graber is at Larksfield Rehab Center, Wichita.

Emmett Goering was released from the hospital on Monday, Sept. 2 and all have returned home. The family thanks you all for your thoughts and prayers.

Lynn Kaufman at Pine Village awaiting a new knee.

WDC: Pray for youth sponsors in WDC congregations, and for meaningful conversation and fellowship at this afternoon's youth worker resourcing and appreciation event sponsored by WDC on the theme of Building Community.

Nursery: **Sept. 8:** Carol and Larry Temple **Sept. 15:** Shayna and Ian Smith

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.

Join us after Sunday School for a potluck meal in the fellowship hall.

Take them a meal: Courtney and Austin Goering returned home with Emmett on Monday. Let's welcome them home by providing meals. If you would like to support them in this way, here is the sign-up link. [Meals For Courtney and Austin Goering via Take Them A Meal](#)

Choir practice has begun on Wednesday evenings. Ladies chorus at 7:30 p.m. and Chancel Choir at 8 p.m. Whether you have sung with a group before or are wanting to try it out, all are welcome! Or join us to sing on Sundays.

CPR training: Saturday, Sept. 14 at 9 a.m. at Eden. Cost is dependent on the number registered. Participants will need a laptop, tablet or phone. If interested, please sign up on the form in the fellowship hall.

Sept. 29 is Service Sunday at Eden. The church will go into the community to do service projects. If you have ideas of how we could serve our neighbors, please give your ideas to one of the commission members: Shirley Delk, Marla Gilmore, Bob Schrag, Renae Stucky or Perry Krehbiel.

Homemade Pie and Ice Cream Fundraiser. The Moundridge Senior Center is hosting a fundraiser Monday, Sept. 30, 6-7 p.m. for new flooring in the dining room. Grab your friends and have dessert at the Center, 101 N Schmidt. If you can donate a pie (we'd like at least 5 pies from Eden), contact Ashley Stucky at 620-345-2729.

Wednesday evening meals and activities/study for all ages will begin Oct. 2. We will be tying baby blankets and assembling **MCC School Kits** (see the list of items on the bulletin board). You may put your purchased items in the box labeled "**School Supplies**" in the Fellowship Hall. If you prefer to **donate cash or check**, make checks payable to Eden, with "School supplies" in the memo. It will be used to purchase school supplies.

MCC Meat Canning: Every year MCC's mobile meat canner travels across the U.S., and volunteers prepare cans of turkey, beef, chicken or pork. Those cans are sent to people in need around the world, providing important nutrients when meat is hard to purchase. Eden's days to can meat are Nov. 11 and 12 at MCC Central States building, N. Newton. Save the date and watch for more details.

Stewardship Commission report: Income through July 2024 is \$257,649 and expenses are \$299,303. Net operating income is -\$41,654. In 2023, net operating income was -\$10,368 at the end of July.

BEYOND OUR COMMUNITY

Everence Medicare webinar: Tuesday, Sept. 17 at 6:30 p.m. There will also be time for your questions. To register contact Everence at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.

Join us on Sunday, **Sept. 22, at Camp Mennoscah.** Worship, lunch, fun and games, and the Corporation's Annual Meeting. Details and reservations for lunch can be found on the Camp website – www.campmennoscah.org.

Bethel College Women's Association needs your donations of baked goods and craft items! Homemade pies, poppyseed rolls, zwieback, cinnamon rolls, other baked goods, treats, homemade jams/jellies and craft items are needed for Market-in-the-Round at Fall Festival. Bring items to the **Music Library in Luyken Fine Arts Center Friday, Oct. 4 from 1-5 p.m.** Proceeds will benefit Bethel College.

Questions? Email bcwa@beltheilks.edu. Volunteers are needed as well to staff the booths. Click [here](#) to volunteer.

MCC immigration-focused learning tour in South Texas, Oct. 6-11: The tour will give participants the chance to meet with law enforcement officials from Customs and Border Protection (CBP) and Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), gain insights into the complexity of immigration enforcement. The tour will shed light on the challenges faced by migrants on their journey and raise awareness about the asylum process, and conditions faced by displaced and uprooted individuals. [Find out more and register for the trip by Sept. 20.](#) Contact Becky Teiwes, MCC Central States Borderlands Program Coordinator, for details at beckyteiwes@mcc.org.

Looking Ahead

September 8: Potluck meal following Sunday School

September 11: 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus, 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir at church

September 12: 5:30 p.m. Peace/Witness Commission at office

September 12: 7 p.m. Gifts Discernment Committee at office

Last Week: Attendance: Worship: 147 Zoom: 7 SS: 105
Offering: Budget: \$4,980.00 SS: (Christian Soup Ministry-Hutchinson) \$5.00

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