

Eden Mennonite Church  
Moundridge, Kansas

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No. 3

Prelude Candy Unrau

Welcome Pastor Kenzie Intemann

Call to Worship

Leader: We gather in preparation,

**People: for good news is about to be proclaimed.**

Leader: We gather in expectation,

**People: for joy is about to break forth in our midst.**

Leader: We gather in celebration,

**People: for we are people who say**

**yes to the manger,**

**yes to the One incarnate for others,**

**yes to the wholeness of God.**

*All: In preparation and expectation, let us celebrate!*

Opening Song "Mountain of God" #11

Commissioning Leaders #965

Time with Children Morgan Kaufman

Worship Music "And There Is Peace" by York/Danner  
Chancel Choir, Jenny Schrag, director; Robin Schrag piano

Scripture Reading Luke 4:14-30 Vance Unrau

Message "Hold on Tight; This Might Get Bumpy" Pastor Derek King

Song of Response "Arise, Your Light is Come!" #273

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song "Beauty for Brokenness" #712

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 10 minutes after the end of the worship service.

### Key

**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

**The family of Kurt Graber** who died Monday, Jan. 13 at St. Francis Hospital.

**Eugene Goering** at Wesley recovering from a stroke.

**Mark Rupp** receiving hospice care at Pine Village.

**WDC:** Give thanks for WDC congregations observing *Anabaptism at 500* (the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the beginning of the Anabaptist movement in 1525) through special events and celebrations during the coming year. Pray for faithfulness in our commitments to follow Jesus as Anabaptist/Mennonite Christians now and in the future.

**Nursery: Jan. 19:** Shayna and Ian Smith

**Jan. 26:** Kathy and Al Neufeld

**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.

**Kurt Graber** (86) died Jan. 13 at St Francis. The funeral will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 25 at Eden, burial following. Visitation from 6–8 p.m. on Jan. 24 at Wiggins Funeral Home. We extend our sympathy to the family.

The Jr. FEWZ will be serving a meal at the **Christian Soup Ministry** Saturday, Feb. 1 and you can help. Assistance is appreciated with food purchasing, preparation and delivery. A sign-up sheet is located in the fellowship hall. Thank you for your help.

**The Food Pantry needs you!** We are looking for volunteers on Thursdays and Saturdays. It is easy, rewarding and you can work as little as 1 hour a month. Contact Emily Regier if you are interested or have any questions! (785)341-3627

**Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) is calling for volunteers** to help host the 2025 MDS Annual Celebration Feb. 14 – 15, 2025. MDS is celebrating 75 years of disaster recovery work, which began right here in Kansas. Volunteers are needed to help with meals, welcome and hospitality, driving shuttle vans between hotels and church, and helping with meeting room preparation. Please contact Jeff Koller, Tim Schrag or Wanda Kight if you can help!

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## BEYOND OUR1` COMMUNITY

Donating to **those impacted by the fires** in the greater Los Angeles area. Please consider how you, your family and congregation might help in this time of great loss and need. You can contribute through MC USA through the following options. Click here to help [Pacific Southwest Mennonite Conference](#) congregations and families, you can contribute to their wildfire fund (no PayPal account required): <https://bit.ly/3Puimbs>. Support long-term recovery efforts in Southern California by donating to [Mennonite Disaster Service](#) (select “California Wildfires” from the dropdown menu): <https://mds.org/donate-usa/>

**Camp Mennoscah Hoodies available for ordering!** The camp sign logo will be on the chest. Youth sizes are \$40. Adult sizes S - XL are \$40 and sizes 2XL - 4XL are \$45. Colors can be found in the ordering form. Contact Camp Mennoscah at 620-297-3290 with questions. **Ordering closes January 20.** We need a minimum of 15 hoodies ordered to proceed. Available ONLY through this online order. Click here to order online (<https://forms.gle/QmPwMxrxD8ii9tRH6>) .

**Anabaptism at 500 Anniversary Celebration** at 6 p.m. on Jan. 21 in person at College Mennonite Church, Goshen, Indiana, or **virtually via [livestream](#)**. Follow the Anabaptism at 500 **Facebook page** for more updates. Simply visit the Facebook page and you will be able to access the live event.

**WANTED:** Cars, Trucks, Motorcycles, Campers, Tractors, Farm Machinery and anything of value to be sold at this year's **Kansas Mennonite Relief Sale**. Your donations can be used as a Charitable Tax Donation. Call Jerry Toews, 620 367 8257, for more information.

**Hesston College Melva Kauffman Lecture Series** will feature Greg Boyd, senior pastor at Woodland Hills Church. The three-part series entitled “What’s So Bad About Being a Christian Nation?” is 7 p.m. Jan. 26 and 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Jan. 27 at Hesston Mennonite Church. The community is invited to attend and explore critical questions about faith, politics and the role of Christianity in governance.

## This week

- Jan. 20: 6:30 p.m. Deacon Commission
- Jan. 20: 6:30 p.m. Worship Commission
- Jan. 22: 6 p.m. FEWZ meets at West Zion
- 6 p.m. Meal at church
- 6:45 p.m. Jr FEWZ meets in the youth room
- Children's activities and Adult classes
- 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus
- 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
- Jan. 24-26: Jr. FEWZ to Snow Camp at Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp

## Looking Ahead

- Jan. 26: 9:30 a.m. Worship (Scripture: Lk. 4:14-30) / 10:40 a.m. Sunday School
- Jan. 28: 7 p.m. ELT at office
- Jan. 30: 7 p.m. Gifts Discernment Committee at office
- Feb. 1: Jr FEWZ to serve the evening meal at Christian Soup Ministries in Hutchinson. Have your meal donations at the church by noon.
- Feb. 2: 9:30 a.m. Worship (Scripture: Lk. 4:14-30)
- 10:40 a.m. Sunday School for children
- 10:40 a.m. WDC Listening Process for adults
- 11:30 Potluck meal and WDC Listening Process: Part 2
- Feb. 3: 6 p.m. Peace/Witness Commission at office
- Feb. 4: 6:30 Deacon Commission at office
- Feb. 6: 4:30 Gifts Discernment at office
- Feb. 9: 9:30 a.m. Worship at Pine Village (Scripture: Lk. 6:1-16) / no SS

Last Week: Attendance: 157, Zoom: 12, Sunday School: 118

Offering: Budget: \$34,463.13 SS: (Christian Soup Ministries/Hutchinson) \$4.00

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