

Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas

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No. 1

Epiphany: Be Amazed

Prelude

Robin Schrag

Welcome

June Krehbiel

Call to Worship (Based on John 1:35-51)

One: The invitation has been spoken: "Come and see."
The door to a stable stand open. The way is before us.

**Many: We heard the call. Now we step forward in wonder;
ready to follow, open to the unexpected.**

One: "You will see greater things than these," Jesus says.

Many: We stand in amazement, waiting to be changed.

One: Come, let us worship the One who calls us by name,
who sees us as we are and leads us into new life.

All: We come, ready to follow, ready to see, ready to be amazed!

Opening Song "As With Gladness"

#277

Song leader: Cindy Bartell

Candle Lighting

One: We celebrate as we reflect in amazement at what you have done
You muted the flames of our fears with hope.

Many: Glory to God in the highest! You amaze us!

One: You resurrected the dry bones of our spirits with peace.

Many: Glory to God in the highest! You amaze us!

One: You quenched our thirsty souls with living water of joy.

Many: Glory to God in the highest! You amaze us!

One: You came to be among us, to show us the way in love.

Many: Glory to God in the highest! You amaze us!

One: You have called us to follow you and walk the path of mercy and grace.

Many: Glory to God in the highest! You amaze us!

All: Lead us forward so that we too may carry your Christ-light

into the world!

Song

"See Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

#274

Time with Children

Britney Stos

Scripture Reading John 1:35-51

Laura Law

Message "Come and See" Pastor Kenzie Intemann

Song of Response "Solemn Stillness, Weary Streets" #276

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Commissioning of Leaders

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song "O Beautiful Star of Bethlehem" #275

Postlude



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

Sunday School begins 10 minutes after the end of the worship service. Children's Classes are labeled on the classroom doors at the north end of the building. An Adult Sunday School information and location poster is on the information cart in the Fellowship Hall.

Announcements Key

MC USA: Mennonite Church USA (denominational conference)

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

Remember In Prayer

Tillie Zerger has moved Health Care at Pine Village.

WDC: Pray for all WDC congregations during this coming year as they live into the calling to be communities of healing and hope, through the grace of God "who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to God's power that is at work within us." (Ephesians 3:20)

Nursery: Jan. 4: Sami and Heath Doane

Jan. 11: Katie and Dave Stucky

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.

The Sunday School offering for this quarter is for the Moundridge Food Pantry.

Thank you for donations toward the Infant Care Kits through the Angel Tree this Advent Season. Eden was able to give MCC the following: 12 sleepers, 31 short-sleeved onesies, 48 long-sleeved onesies and \$1,027.20 (for the completion of Infant Care Kits). Sleepers, onesies and money will be collected through TODAY on the table by the Angel Memory Tree for anyone wishing to contribute.

Chancel Choir invites you to come join your voice in song! Practice begins at 8 p.m., Wed., Jan. 7 through May. We sing once a month. Even if you can't practice every week, we'd love to add you to our ensemble.

It's time to renew our group subscription to Anabaptist World. The cost for a group subscription is \$49, and you receive the magazine at your home address. (An individual subscription is \$64.) Contact the church office if you would like to join the group subscription plan.

Camp Mennoscah has been so gratified by the response to congregation-specific matches over the last few weeks! This moves us closer our goal of raising \$300,000 by the end of March to rebuild their capital reserves and complete the retreat center. Sadly, our congregation does not yet have a match being offered, so if you can help, please consider reaching out to Camp Mennoscah's Director of Development at 620.755.2583 to get one started to double your impact toward the mission of camp!

Summer staff applications for the 2026 Summer Camps are open. [The application and further information can be found here](#). Summer staff need to be 18 or older, preferably with one year of college, work or volunteering. Contact Olivia at 316-293-7313 or olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org with questions.

Community commemoration and celebration of Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Jan. 18 and 19. Bethel College and Hesston College, with Newton Community for Racial Justice and the Newton Public Library, will collaborate to celebrate the annual Martin Luther King Jr. holiday.

3 p.m. Jan. 18, Hesston Mennonite Church: concert featuring Bethel College Concert Choir, Hesston College Bel Canto Singers, Central Kansas Master Chorale, and Roz McCommon and her band

8 a.m., Jan. 19, Bontrager Student Center, Hesston College, prayer breakfast with local clergy. **10 a.m.-3 p.m.**

Jan. 19, Newton Public Library: escape room with clues based on Dr. King's life and work. **6 p.m.**

Jan. 19, 6 pm., Memorial Hall, Bethel College, listening event for Dr. King's 1960 speech at Bethel

7 p.m., Jan. 19, Memorial Hall, Bethel College program with Roz McCommon, Bethel choirs, Hesston College Bel Canto Singers and Bethel orchestra.

This week

Jan. 6: 7 p.m. Accessibility Task Force at office

Jan. 7: 1:15 p.m. Pastors provide chapel at Pine Village

6:30 p.m. Stewardship Commission at office

6:45 p.m. Worship Band practice

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus practice

8 p.m. Chancel Choir practice

Jan. 10: 9 a.m. Leadership Retreat

Jan. 11: 9:30 a.m. Worship (John 2:1-11) / 10:40 a.m. Sunday School

Looking Ahead

Jan. 14: 6 p.m. Meal at church

6:30 p.m. Bible Study for kids

6:45 p.m. Bible Study for adults

6:45 p.m. Worship Band practice

7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus practice

8 p.m. Chancel Choir practice

Last Week: Attendance: 132; Zoom: 11; Sunday School: 104

Offering: Budget: \$54.623.64; Sunday School: (Food Pantry) \$16.00

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