

**Eden Mennonite Church
Moundridge, Kansas**

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Peace Sunday

Prelude		Robin Schrag
Welcome		Pastor Kenzie Intemann
Call to Worship		#991
Opening Song	"In Christ There Is No East or West"	#390
		Song leader: Cindy Bartell
Time with Children		Amy Krehbiel
Worship Music		Nikki Modellmog
Scripture Reading	Matthew 17:20	Nan Bergen
Message	"Planting Peace"	Abraham Díaz Alanso
Offering Blessing	"Praise God (Doxology)"	#71
Greeting One Another		
Sharing Joys and Concerns		Pastor Derek King
Prayers of the People		
Announcements		
Benediction		
Sending Song	"We Are People of God's Peace"	#797
Postlude		



Enjoy a **time of fellowship** before Sunday School

Sunday School begins 10 minutes after worship. Children's classes are labeled on the classroom doors at the north end of the building. Adults are invited to gather in the sanctuary during Sunday School. Abraham will engage in a Q & A during Sunday School. A potluck meal will follow.

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



Announcements Key

MCC: Mennonite Central Committee (relief, development, and peace mission) mcc.org/

MDS: Mennonite Disaster Service (repair/rebuild homes impacted by disaster) mds.org

MMN: Mennonite Mission Network (mission agency of MC USA) mennonitemission.net/

WDC: Western District Conference (regional conference of MC USA) mennowdc.org/

Remember In Prayer

WDC: Give thanks for persons elected to new WDC leadership roles at Annual Assembly and pray for God's guidance and wisdom for them as they begin a new year of service.

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.

Nursery: Aug. 23: Katie and Dave Stucky **Aug. 30:** Sarah and Kyle Neufeld

Welcome to Abraham Díaz Alonso, our speaker this morning. Abraham is a Christian immigrant originally from Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico, currently residing in Rio Grande Valley in South Texas, where the United States-Mexico border meets with the Gulf. Growing up undocumented in the US, Abraham has successfully navigated the complicated immigration system to become a United States citizen. Abraham is the Immigration Program Coordinator with MCC-Central States Region with a primary focus of supporting Anabaptist churches dedicated to serving and learning about migrating and displaced individuals.

Eden choir season begins Sept. 9. All adults are invited to join the Chancel Choir and/or Ladies Chorus this year through early May. The music groups practice in the choir room Wednesday nights—7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus and Chancel Choir at 8 p.m. Can't make it to Wednesday evening practices? You are welcome to join us on Sunday morning. All are welcome to join. The first Kids Sing practice is Sept. 27.

Tractor Drivers Needed from the Moundridge community to drive the tractor shuttles at the Kansas State Fair on Friday, Sept. 18. The shifts are from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., 2 to 5 p.m., and 5 to 8 p.m.. If you're willing to drive, please contact Rene Kaufman (620-386-0110) or Kristin (620-381-3341) Kaufman. Thank you!

New Chancel Choir director: Jacob Schrag, Goessel, is a fifth-year Bethel College student majoring in music choir conducting. Welcome, Jacob. We appreciate the talent you offer to our music ministry.

Responding to Jesus' call to serve. The Peace/Witness Commission has scheduled Sept. 20 as Service Sunday. There will be no worship service in the building, rather we will be serving our community. If you know of someone who needs a hand, contact someone from the Peace/Witness Commission. Marla Gillmore, Nan Bergen, Peter Preheim, Bob Schrag, Wanda Knight

Peace/Witness Commission would like to thank the congregation for your generous support in supplying **funds and specific school supplies to assemble 100 MCC School Kits**. See the additional announcements for items still needed. Financial support is accepted by check made out to Eden with "School Kits" in the memo line.

This week Lectio Divina for August: John 18:33-36

- Aug. 24: 10:30 a.m. Staff meeting at office
- Aug. 24: 4:30 p.m. Peace/Witness meets at office
- Aug. 24: 6 p.m. Worship Commission meets at office
- Aug. 25: 7 p.m. ELT meets at office
- Aug. 26: 9:30 a.m. Book study at office (final meeting)
- Aug. 30: 9:30 a.m. Worship (Theme: Study)/ 10:40 Sunday School

Looking Ahead Lectio Devina for September: John 17:20-24

- Aug. 31: 10:30 a.m. Staff meeting at office
- Sept. 6: 9:30 a.m. Worship / 10:40 Sunday School
- Sept. 7: OFFICE CLOSE FOR LABOR DAY

Last Week: Attendance: 184; Zoom: 10; Sunday School: 137

Offering: Budget: \$14,005.00; Sunday School: (Camp Mennoscah) \$1.00

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Date: August 23, 2026
Series/Theme: Peace
Scripture: Matthew 17:20

Where did you notice the theme showing up in different parts of the service?

Where/How did you notice God's presence in worship?

Message: "Planting Peace"

Prayer Requests