

Our Mission : God calls us into community to worship God and follow Jesus through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit.

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West Zion Announcements

Please have all bulletin announcements to the office by Thur. noon.

Check the bulletin board for more announcements.

1. **Sunday, August 24**, is Christian Discipleship Sunday. There is no Sunday School.
2. **All women are invited to join us and make SPACE for God** on Sat., July 19 from 9 -10 am at West Zion. We are Sisters Praying and Casting Encouragement and together we seek God's face, fellowship, and feast on breakfast fare! We hope to see you there.

General Announcements

3. **Hoffnungsaue Mennonite Church** continues to celebrate 140 years together. Special events planned in July are posted on the bulletin board.

4. **HELP IRAQIS THROUGH MCC**: As armed conflict forces Iraqis from their homes, Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is providing vital items for daily life and is planning an ongoing response. MCC also is calling on U.S. lawmakers to oppose military intervention in Iraq and instead to send humanitarian aid. Please help us reach a goal of 12,000 hygiene kits and 3,000 relief kits for uprooted Iraqis and others in the region. Gifts of money support MCC's efforts with partners in Iraq to both respond quickly and continue long-term efforts that build peace. More information is available online at mcc.org/get-involved/kits and donate.mcc.org/iraq or by calling 1-888-563-4676. The Action Alert at mcc.org/advocate-iraq provides a simple way to contact your representatives and the president.

~ Wish “ **Happy Birthday**” this week

July 14: Carla Rupp

July 17: Dave Wedel

July 18: Connie Graber

July 19: Brad Hagen

~Wish “**Happy Anniversary**” this week

July 16: Kenneth (II) & Kathryn Krehbiel

Mike & Connie Kaufman

Joys and Concerns

We give thanks that Taylor Esau returned from Botswana.

Prayer Requests from Mennonite Mission Network

The South Africa and Paraguay Radical Journey teams arrive in Chicago tomorrow for four days of re-entry sessions. Pray for discernment during this time of debriefing and preparation for returning to home communities and what comes next in their lives.

Prayer Requests from Western District Conference

Pray for the newly formed Church Planting Commission of WDC as they network Anabaptist church planting partnerships. Our own Lici Roth will be serving on the commission.

Attendance: Sunday School: 17 Worship: 58

Sunday-July 20

9:30 am: Sunday School

10:30 am: Worship Service

Worship Leader: Karen Loganbill

Scripture: Harvey Thiessen

Message: Pastor Brad

Accompanist: Gerry Major

Candle Lighter: Dan Kaufman

Greeter: Earl & Frances Neufeld

Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, & Vicky Kessler

Jr. Usher: Mateo Roth

Coming Events

July 15: Mission Team 9 AM

July 16: Church Council 7:30 PM

July 17: Worship Team 10 AM

July 18: Scrapbook/Craft Night 5 PM-12 AM

July 19: Sisters Praying & Casting Encouragement 9-10 AM

July 26: Pine Village Variety Show

August 5: CDT 9 AM

August 23: Kids Worship Event 10 AM, (more details to come)

August 24: Christian Disciple Sunday (No SS)

