



### 17. Bethel College Events

**Sun., March 29**, is Bethel College Concert Choir Home Concert, 7 PM in *Memorial Hall*.

**Mon., March 30** – Bethel College forensics team nationals preview, at 11 AM., *Krehbiel Auditorium*. Team members are Shaelyn Atwood, Kendra Gonzalez, Jacob Miller, Cameron Ponce, and Clinton Unruh. Head Coach Mallory Marsh and Assistant Coach Gail Niles Stucky.

**Sat., April 11** – Riley King senior voice recital, 4 PM., Administration Building chapel at Bethel College

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

Pastor Brad Roth

**Pastor's Office hours:** Tues. and Wed. 10 am -12:30 pm

Thurs. 1-4 pm

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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. **All the antiphons used during Lent, Palm Sunday, and Easter were written by Donna Stucky.**
2. Thur., April 2 is a Maundy Thursday worship service at the church. We will serve a simple supper at 6 PM followed by a worship service including communion. We will again invite people to participate in a footwashing ceremony if they choose. We invite all to join us in remembering The Last Supper
3. Do you enjoy the beauty of Spring Flowers? The Flower Committee is asking you to bring your Easter Lilies and any other spring flowers to church on Easter morning to help fill the sanctuary with color. Leave them in the foyer by 9:45 AM and the committee will place them.
4. Invite a friend to our Easter celebration! Jesus' resurrection is the high point of the year and the source of our hope. Mission Team has placed a postcard in everyone's boxes--consider using your postcard as an invitation to a friend, neighbor, or family member to join us for Easter (April 5). Talk to Dan Pohl if you need more cards.
5. **Correction to the pictorial directory.** On p.6, Jaden Schmidt is listed incorrectly as "Chase." Please correct your copy.
6. **Pastor Kent Rogers of First UMC in Wichita to be featured speaker for Moundridge Holy Week services.** We invite you to begin praying for how God will work through our community, our churches, Pastor Kent, and the message of challenge and hope we will receive on these two evenings. Pastor Kent will speak on the theme of "Watch and Pray" from the perspective of one who has spent much of his life in rural ministry. Moundridge Community Holy Week services will be held March 29 and 30 at First Mennonite Church of Christian at 7:00 PM. May God use Pastor Kent Rogers to ignite a Kingdom work in our community!
7. April 5, 7:00 AM **Easter Sunrise Service @** Russ Stucky's pasture.

## General Announcements

8. MDS will have a bus leaving Hesston at 6 AM on Sat. April 11, to go to Ingalls, KS. to help a family with moving, painting, and cleaning up brush. This is a mid morning coffee break and lunch is provided. We will return to Hesston early in the evening. For more information contact Jordan Miller [316-212-3255](tel:316-212-3255), or Gordon Unruh [620-747-0835](tel:620-747-0835).
9. The 2nd Annual **Pulled Pork & Baby Back Rib Dinner** is April 25 at Pine Village. Flyers for the event are in your boxes.
10. Life Enrichment at Bethel April 1  
**9:30 AM-Introduction to the National Archives in Washington, D.C.,**  
Chris Naylor  
**10:35-My Peace Pilgrimage,** Robert Epp  
**11:30-C. Henry Smith Peace Orations,** BC students
11. Come to the main entrance at Pine Village on Saturday, April 4, for an Easter Egg Hunt for ages 0-12. Times are as follows: 9:30 AM-Ages 0-4, 10 AM-Ages 5-9, and at 10:30 AM ages 10-12. Prizes, hot dogs, popcorn, and drinks will follow.
12. **Bohne berrogie** bake day for the MCC sale is April 11 at Moundridge High School. First shift starts at 6:45 am and the second shift at 10:00. Please wear a hat or head covering. The second shift should bring a sack lunch. If you can help, contact, Marla Gillmore at [bmg@lrmutual.com](mailto:bmg@lrmutual.com) or call [620-921-0428](tel:620-921-0428). Thanks for your help.
13. Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association is planning a Local **Sites Tour** for Sat. August 29, 2015 through parts of Marion, Harvey and McPherson Counties. Brian Stucky is the tour guide. The cost of the all-day tour including lunch, snacks, and transportation is \$50 per individual. To reserve a seat on the bus call LaVern Stucky at [620-983-2348](tel:620-983-2348) or email [lavern@powwwer.net](mailto:lavern@powwwer.net)
14. The Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association (SMCHA), is hosting a Storytelling – Writing Stories, at the Wellness Center at Pine Village, Moundridge, on Thur., April 9, 9-12. More information on the bulletin board.
15. Mon., March 30 at 6:30 PM. Dyck Arboretum in Hesston concludes its Winter Lecture Series with Michael Pearce speaking about his book, "From the Prairie to the Plate". The lecture is in the

Prairie Pavilion. A soup supper is at 6 PM in the Visitor's Center. Cost of the lecture is \$2 per person, or supper and the lecture is \$7. Call 620-327-8127 for supper reservations by 5 PM on Friday, March 28.

16. ReUse It Center is planning a move to a new location at the west end of McPherson. Donations are always welcome as well as shoppers and volunteers. Call Kathy at 620-345-8532 for more information or if you could help us in this ministry. The Board is seeking a store manager to begin very soon. Contact LeRoy Schmidt 620-755- 2659 or LaVon Ediger 620-242-7008 to check out the details of this position. Hours are Tues 12-4, Thurs 4-8, Sat.9-4.

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

March 29: Kyle Becker

March 30: Jaden Schmidt , Jacob Klassen , & Amy Jantzen

April 4: Clark Graber , Duane Toews , & Ron Galle

### **Joys and Concerns**

Vicky Kessler, recovering after knee surgery.

### **Prayer Requests from Mennonite Mission Network**

Janet Stucky of MMN serves as a nutritional consultant at Bethesda Hospital in Benin. Pray for funding to implement a program to improve the diets of pregnant women, children under 5 years old, and people living with HIV/AIDS.

### **Prayer Requests from Western District Conference**

Pray for Howard Garver, the new Associate Conference Minister for Texas and Director of Church Planting, as he gets acquainted, develops relationships, and enters into the Conference Minister work of Western District Conference

Attendance: Sunday School: 20 Worship: 71

## **Sunday-April 5, 2015** ***Easter Sunday***

**7am:** Easter Sunrise Service

**9:30 am:** Sunday School

**Worship Leader:** Brad Roth

**Message:** Brad Roth

**Candle Lighter:**

**Greeters:** Harvey & Lois Thiessen

**Ushers:** Clark Graber, Dave Wedel

**Jr. Usher:** Samson Petersen

**7:30 am:** Easter Sunrise Breakfast

**10:30 am:** Worship Service

**Scripture:** Curtis Guhr

**Accompanist:** Donna Stucky

**Music:** Chancel Choir

### **Coming Events**

March 29-30: Holy Week services at First Mennonite @ 7 PM

April 1: 4:30 PM Deacons, Choir 7 PM, Oasis (final one)

April 2: 6 PM Maundy Thursday service with meal, communion celebration and foot washing

April 5: 7 AM Easter Sunrise Service, Easter Breakfast following at WZ, Easter Sunday!

April 8: 4 PM CDT

April 11: WDC Reference Council @ Hope Mennonite Wichita

April 11-12: Men's and Boys' Retreat @ Camp Mennoscah

April 16: MCC Bake Night for Christian Homemakers

April 17 & 18: MCC Sale

April 22: Church Council 8 PM

April 26: 7 PM Mennonite Men's Choir performing in Memorial Hall at Bethel College N. Newton Bethel

April 30: 9 AM Worship Team

May 3: 7 PM Mennonite Men's Choir performing in Presser Hall at Bethany College in Lindsborg.

