

## West Zion Mennonite Church

9:30 AM Sunday School                      10:30 AM: Morning Worship

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*During the prelude we invite you to prepare your heart for worship by meditating on the words for silent meditation which are taken from the psalm for the day.*

Words for silent meditation: *The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness (Psalm 29:8).*

Prelude                      Donna Stucky  
\*\*Entrance hymn:      *Come, we that love the Lord*                      HWB 14

Lighting of the Christ candle

Welcome                      Pastor Brad Roth  
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all / **and also with you.**

Announcements

Call to Worship, Psalm 29  
Give honor to the Lord! / **Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness!**

Confession and Assurance of Christ's Peace

Greeting in Christ's peace

**\*\*Celebrating in song**      *How great Thou art*                      (on screen)

Scripture                      John 21:1-14                      Leon Guhr

Special music                      *Seek only thy perfect way*                      Jan Dyck  
By Dan Whittemore/Arr. Bill Ingram      Donna Stucky

Message                      "Bread by the Seashore"                      Pastor Brad

**Song of Response**      *Break thou the bread of life*                      HWB 360

Offering

Installing Sharon Gehring as our new Deacon  
Sharing of Joys and Concerns  
Prayers of the People

Blessing of children  
Gathering at the Lord's Table  
HWB 660 *The Lord be with you*

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts  
**heaven and earth are full of your glory  
hosanna in highest!  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord  
Hosanna in the highest!**

**Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory, forever.  
Amen.**

HWB 153 *O Christ, the Lamb of God*

\*\*Sending Song      *Let us talents and tongues employ*      STS 123

\*\*Benediction

\*\*Postlude

**\*\*please stand if able**

*Songbooks in pews: HWB-blue, STS-purple spiral, STJ-green spiral, S&R-green hardbound*

*Thank you to Jan Dyck for providing special music this morning.*

Greeter(s): Mike and Connie Kaufman  
Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, Vicky Kessler

## **Sunday, January 20, 2019**

**9:30 AM:** Sunday School      **10:30 AM:** Worship Service  
**Message:** Pastor Brad Roth      **Scripture:** Sharon Gehring  
**Worship Leader:** Pastor Brad      **Accompanist:** Gerry Major  
**Greeter(s):** Larry & Karen Loganbill  
**Ushers:** Clark Graber, Dave Wedel, Carl Duffman

### **Coming Events**

Today: Annual meeting and meal  
Jan. 14: Bible Study 6:30 PM, Conf. Rm  
Jan. 14-16: Pastor Brad out to Eastern Mennonite Seminary  
Jan. 16: First MYM 5:45 PM, Taco meal 6:00 PM  
Jan. 19: SPACE fellowship for women 9:00 AM at Carla's  
Jan. 21: Bible Study 6:30 PM, Conf. Rm  
Jan. 23: MYM 5:45 PM, Pancake meal 6:00 PM,  
Chancel Choir begins 7:00 PM  
Jan. 24: Pastor Brad to Denver for Evangelical Covenant  
Church conference  
Jan. 30: MYM 5:45 PM, Chicken Casserole meal 6:00 PM,  
Chancel Choir 7:00 PM  
Feb. 3: Mennonite Education Sunday at West Zion with First  
Mennonite of Christian, Patty Shelly speaker with  
Hesston College Bel Canto choir  
Feb. 24: Baptismal Sunday

**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

Pastor's Cell: 620-386-4838

Pastor Brad's email: [bradroth@westzionmc.org](mailto:bradroth@westzionmc.org)

**Secretary Carla Stucky's hours:** Thurs. 9-11, 1-4 PM

Church: 620-345-8143

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Website: [www.westzionmc.org](http://www.westzionmc.org)

## West Zion Announcements

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

1. Join us for a **potluck meal** following worship. The church annual meeting is to follow.
2. **We're calling 2019 the "Year outside the Walls."** It's a chance for us as a congregation to focus on loving our communities, look for ways to carry Jesus' love into the world, and share his good news! How can you be the church outside the walls?
3. The **FEWZ youth group** will be serving a meal at the Christian Soup Ministry in Hutchinson on January 19. Thanks to all who signed up, all spots were filled after church! Just a reminder to have all items at the church by noon on January 19.
4. **Schedule for 2019 Scripture Readers and Worship Leaders are in the boxes.** Please make a note of when you're scheduled. If a day won't work for you, please swap with someone and let Pastor Brad or Carla know. Thanks!
5. **February 3 is Mennonite Education Sunday, hosted by our church** with First Mennonite of Christian joining us for worship. Patty Shelly, Bible Professor at Bethel College, will lead adult Sunday School and preach. Russell Adrian will lead the Bel Canto choir from Hesston. We will have a potluck meal after worship. Plan to bring a dish to share!
6. **Mission Team is collecting money in support of "No Kid Hungry"** a program that provides snacks at the Moundridge Junior High/High School. Our goal is \$500, which will fund the program about half way through the rest of this school year. Want to be a part? Write "No Kid Hungry" in the memo of your check.
7. **Chancel Choir** will begin practice again on Wednesday, January 23. The Choir sings twice a month mostly on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays and will sing through Easter. We welcome all voices to come join us!
8. **SPACE (Sisters Praying And Casting Encouragement)** is a time set aside for fellowship and prayer. We meet on 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays. All women are invited to our next gathering at Carla Stucky's house, 413 Park Lane, January 19 at 9:00 AM. Breakfast will be served!

9. The Larsons, our **mission partners** in the Arabian Peninsula, sent us a thank you note and a set of zany salt and pepper shakers. You can check them out in the foyer entrance way.

## General Announcements

10. Join us for an MCC Lunch & Learn with John Sharp on Wednesday, January 30 from 12-1pm at MCC in North Newton (121 E. 30<sup>th</sup> St.). John will share his presentation, *Changing the World One Life at a Time: the MJ Sharp Story*. MJ and his colleague Zaida Catalán, part of a U.N. panel of experts investigating conflicts in the Congo were abducted and killed in March 2017. MJ served with MCC in the Congo prior to his work with the U.N. John is passionate about telling MJ's story and he and his wife Michelle's journey with him. John will also share updates to the investigation that is ongoing in Congo. Please RSVP to this event by January 25 to [patsydirksen@mcc.org](mailto:patsydirksen@mcc.org). Lunch will be catered by Mojo's Coffee Bar, please list food sensitivities when you RSVP.
11. Hesston College's Anabaptist Vision and Discipleship Series (AVDS) conference Feb. 1-3 will do more than just talk about following Jesus, we will practice spiritual disciplines using our bodies and voices for Jesus. Join Christian spirituality experts Mark and Lisa Scandrette for "Growing More Like Jesus from the Outside In: Transforming Heart and Mind." Register by Jan. 28, \$100/person, \$75/each for two or more from your group. Brochures and a poster are on the bulletin board. Call 620-327-8147 for more information.
12. Bethel College Events:  
**Mon., Jan. 21** – Bethel College annual Martin Luther King Jr. Day celebration, with guest speaker Sherdeill H. Breathett Sr., Wichita, 7 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium  
**Thurs., Jan. 24** – Reading by poet Jean Janzen, Fresno, Calif., with an opening by Bethel College graduate Jesse Nathan, 7 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium. Reception follows in the Regier Art Gallery, where there will be a display of artist books inspired by Janzen's writing.  
**Sat., Jan. 26** – Kauffman Museum annual Kansas Day event: 11 a.m. – program featuring middle-school history teacher Keil Hileman, Krehbiel Auditorium; starting at 11:30 a.m. – food trucks and tractor/truck/car show, museum parking lot; 1-4 p.m. – special activities and programs in and around the museum on "Collectors, Collecting, Collections."

13. Everence will continue its popular retirement workshop series in 2019, starting with *Make Medicare an easy step* on Monday, Jan. 14, at 6:30 p.m. Attendees will learn about the various Medicare plans and what they cover; plans that supplement Medicare; and enrollment details and deadlines. The workshop will be presented by Everence staff and will be held at the Everence office at 3179 N. Main St., North Newton. Reserve your spot soon by contacting Michelle Ramer at (316) 283-3800; (877) 467-7294 or michelle.ramer@everence.com.

### **Sermon Notes**

Bread by the Seashore  
John 21:1-14

#### **Theme**

Jesus feeds us.

#### **Key Verse**

John 21:13 Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.

#### **Notes**

#### **A Prayer**

Resurrected Lord, who fed your disciples by the side of the sea, grant us a share in your bread of life.

*Sermons are online @ westzionmc.org  
Find us on Facebook!*

### **Prayer Joys and Concerns**

- Jeremiah Hayes' cousin Melanie and his uncle Steve, as well as his friend Kevin
- Shane Wallace and Emily Wiebe, friends of Carolyn Schmidt, whose infant son Landen is struggling with health issues.
- Norm Funk and family at the passing of Norm's brother Ken
- The Sanchez family, friends of Tracy Duffman, at the passing of Greg.
- Richard and Glenda Golden's daughter Samara

### **Prayer Request from Western District Conference**

Pray for interim and transitional pastors guiding WDC congregations during times of change, visioning, and preparation for future leadership.

### **Prayer Request from Mennonite Mission Network**

This week, the Council of International Anabaptist Ministries will gather at MCC's Welcoming Place in Akron, Pennsylvania. Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for the leaders of North American and global mission agencies as they seek to collaborate in doing God's work in the world.

### **Mission Mosaic**

Door Dwell Hollywood, California - Jordan Bailey, Ahreum Cha, Sara Selg, Rowena Zeurcher, and Marji McCoy, Pg 50



We wish a "**Happy Birthday**" to:

January 13: Corey Lohrenz

January 14: Shery Kessler, Anthony Toro

January 17: Jim Stucky