



**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. I would like to thank everyone for the Prayers, Cards & Sympathy given to me after the passing of my sister Susan Ottley. It has all been greatly appreciated.  
Nancy Ottley
2. **Books** from the Western District Conference are on loan to West Zion for the month of April. These books give insight to the Adult SS Class, "Introduction to the Bible" that Pastor Brad is teaching.
3. Sun. April 27 at 7 PM the **Kansas Mennonite Men's Chorus** is in a concert at Central Community Church, 6100 W. Maple St., Wichita.
4. **Scrapbooking / Craft Night.** Anyone interested in working on personal scrapbooks or craft projects is invited to attend the WZ scraping party on Friday, May 9 from 5-12:00. Come and have some fun and fellowship while you work on that project you just never have time to get to. Bring a snack to share if you want. Drinks provided. See Connie Kaufman if you have questions.
5. The 8th Annual **Kansas MCC Ride for Relief**, is Sun., May 18. Riders leave Faith Mennonite Church, 1403 S. Main, S. Hutchinson. First bike out at 7:45 AM last bike out at 8:45 AM. The bikers will attend Sun. morning service at Greensburg Mennonite Church, 310 West Pennsylvania Ave., Greensburg, Kansas. Services start @ 10:30. Lunch is provided at the church, cost is by donation. There is a \$25.00 donation per motorcycle for the ride. All donations go to MCC. Drive by 4 wheels in case of inclement weather. RSVP by May 11th to Duane Becker
6. Mark your calendars for **Weird Animals VBS, May 27-30**, 6-8:10 PM at West Zion. The community service is Fri. evening during the last portion of the night's activities at West Zion. Help us teach the children of Moundridge about Jesus' One-of-a-Kind Love. **Fill out a volunteer registration form**, located on the table in the foyer and put them in Pastor Brad's box, or contact Kristen Koller at 345-2263, jeepingirl222@hotmail.com.

## **General Announcements**

### **7. Life Enrichment at Bethel College April 23**

**9:30:** *Alzheimer's 101*, Marsha Hills

**10:35:** *New Life, New Sounds*, Eleanor Kaufman

**11:30:** *C. Henry Smith Peace Orations*, BC students

**8. Mennonite Central Committee** is in need of a large quantity of new or used (clean, unstained) T-shirts and neck-ties. Material Resource Center in Ephrata, PA will upcycle them and make them into scarves and tote bags and give them away at Mennonite World Conference and Mennonite Church USA convention in 2015. Bring your T-shirts and neck-ties to the MCC Center in N. Newton (121 E. 30th) by May 9th.

9. Pine Village is adding a new event to their Benefit Day. Season Pulled Pork & Baby Back Ribs Dinner! **The Dinner is May 31** from 5-7 PM at the Wellness Center. It is by free will donation. You can place take-home orders of ribs and pulled pork by the pound early. Pre-Order forms are available on the bulletin board or Pine Village. Pre-Orders must be turned into Pine Village by May 16.

### **News from Bethel**

10. Today **Sun., April 27** – Annual Masterworks concert at Bethel College, 4 PM., Memorial Hall; general admission tickets at the door.

11. **Sun., May 4: 3 PM., Krehbiel Auditorium**, Bethel College Wind Ensemble "Fiesta" concert.

**7 PM, Memorial Hall** – Bethel College Men's Chorus joins the Kansas Mennonite Men's Choir (fundraiser for Mennonite Central Committee)

12. **Sat., May 3**, Aaron Tschetter senior voice recital, 7 PM., Administration Building chapel

13. **Wed., May 7**, Bethel College jazz ensembles present Jazz on the Green, 8 PM (Krehbiel Auditorium if rain)

14. **Fri., May 9**, Concert by Woven, Bethel College a cappella women's ensemble, 7 p.m., Memorial Hall. The concert marks the release of Woven's second CD, *Wander Free*.

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

April 27: Darin & Carolyn Schmidt

April 30: Bruce & Sonyia Dirks

May 3: Dale & Elda Jantzen

### **Joys and Concerns**

Ariane Bergen and her on-going work in Nicaragua.

The Ottley family at the passing of Susan Ottley

Wynona’s niece Judy Pauls, coming to the end of her journey with throat cancer

Danielle Fleming and husband Matt as Danielle struggles with cancer. Danielle is a friend of Jamie Dibbens (Kessler).

Diane Toews--for herself and for her friends and family as she faces liver cancer.

Ruth Schmidt, recovering at Moundridge Mercy Hospital after knee surgery.

The family of Don Miller at his passing.

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

Adam and Jeanette Strode of MMN are beginning full-time language and culture study in preparation for an assignment with a community-based ministry in Bangkok, Thailand. Pray for them in this time of transition and intense learning as they build relationships.

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

Pray for our church planters in KS: Byron Pellecer, Wichita, Moises Romero, Liberal, and Karen and Steve Mascho, Gladewater, TX. Pray for the gathering of Mennonites at the national church planting event Exponential in Orlando, FL, April 28-May 1. Clarence Rempel, Conference Minister, is attending.

## **Next Week – May 4**

### **Mennonite Education Sunday at First Mennonite**

**9:30 AM**-Joint Adult SS Hour - Howard Keim, President Hesston College, from Bethel, Perry White, President of Bethel College

Dale Schrag, Director of Church Relations, Campus Pastor

**10:30 AM**-Worship Service, Music-Bethel College Choir

Potluck following the service

## **Sunday-May 11**

**9:30 am:** Sunday School

**10:30 am:** Worship Service

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Brad

**Scripture:** Zettie Wedel

**Message:** Pastor Brad

**Accompanist:** Donna Stucky

**Greeter:** Karen and Larry Loganbill

**Candle Lighter:** Mateo Roth

**Ushers:** Mel Becker, Norman Funk, & Vicky Kessler

**Jr. Usher:** Elijah Roth

## **Coming Events**

**Today:** VBS Meeting 2 PM, KS Menno.Men concert, Wichita 7 PM

April 30: Supper 5:45-6:15 pm MYM, 6:30-7 PM

May 4: Mennonite Education Sunday at First Mennonite, KS  
Mennonite Men, Bethel College 7 PM

May 7: MYM Staff Potluck 6 PM

May 9: Scrapbooking / Craft Night, 5 -12:00

May 14: Christian Homemakers Salad Supper 6:30 PM

May 20: Mission Team 6:30 PM

May 21: Church Council 7:30 PM

May 29: West Zion has service at Pine Village 4 PM

Attendance: Sunday School: 22 Worship: 85

