

15. **Thurs., June 5** – Bethel College Women’s Association annual public faculty lecture with Geri Tyrell, Bethel assistant professor of nursing and newly appointed director of nursing. Her presentation illustrates the experiences that Bethel students have had in Haiti over the last three years, and focuses on the opportunities for student to develop critical thinking skills, resource management and an appreciation for Haitian culture; 7 PM., Krehbiel Auditorium in the Fine Arts Center, reception following.

16. **Bethel College Alumni Weekend is June 6-8 on campus**, See www.bethelks.edu/alumni/events-for-alumni-and-friends/alumni-weekend/ for a complete schedule, or call [316-284-5251](tel:316-284-5251).

17. Sat., June 7 – **First-Saturday bird walk** on Sand Creek Trail. Walks begin at sunrise (according to the local paper or online listing), in the Kauffman Museum parking lot, 27th and Main Streets in North Newton, and last about an hour.

18. The **AMBS-Great Plains Extension Celebration** is Sun., June 1, at 4 PM at Bethel College Mennonite Church, N. Newton. Join us in this program of thanksgiving and hear about the new "AMBS-Kansas Center" ongoing course offering site. More information is posted on the south bulletin board.

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

<p>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 Sec. hours: Tues. 8:00 am-10:00 pm, Thurs. 12:30-5:30 pm Church: 620-345-8143 Becky's cell: 345-6696 Church's email: secretary@westzionmc.org Website: www.westzionmc.org</p>
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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 ladies are invited to **Sisters Praying and Casting Encouragement** (SPACE). We will meet monthly in the fellowship hall beginning June 21 from 9-10 AM for a time of prayer, scripture, and encouragement. Coffee, juice, rolls and/or coffee cake will also be available.
2. You're invited to contribute to a **Love Offering** to help Lici and the boys fly to Peru to see family this summer. If writing a check, write "Love Offering" in the memo line. You may also use a small envelope and write "Love Offering" on it. Any extra given beyond the cost of the plane tickets will go towards the general fund.
3. Christian Discipleship Team (CDT) is working on a Children's Church program that would engage kids with the gospel during part of our worship service. Luke Loganbill and Jennifer Kaufman will be giving leadership to this new program. Questions?--talk to Pastor Brad, Connie Kaufman, or a member of the CDT.
4. Mission Team invites you to a sandwich and salad/dessert carry-in meal and congregational meeting on June 29, after church, to explore our potential new WZ logo. We will have time to receive feedback. Our hope is to take a vote of approbation for the logo on that date. Watch for an informational note in your mailboxes before the meeting.
- 5 A joint concert of the **Kansas Mennonite Men's Chorus and the Kansas City Metro Men's Chorus** is Sun., June 8 at 4:30 PM in Presser Hall on the campus of Bethany College in Lindsborg.
6. The current **mower shed** and concrete is removed. We are in the process of having the new 12' by 14' shed built on site by a local contractor, moneys will come from a portion of the parsonage sale.
7. A **9" round glass lid** was left in the kitchen at First Mennonite after the pot luck meal last Sunday. If it is yours please pick it up.
8. **Moundridge Senior Center** will have a bake sale on Friday, June 13 beginning at 9:30 AM. Our church has been asked to have at least six items for the bake sale. Delivered items to the Senior Center by 8:00 AM. Please let me know if you plan to donate. I will be in the foyer after church to take your name.

9. You are invited to a Women's Bible Study this summer entitled "One Thousand Gifts: A Dare to Live Fully Right Where You Are" led by Carla Stucky. The study meets at West Zion for 5 weeks on Tuesdays from 9-10:30 AM beginning June 10. Author Ann Voskamp will challenge us through video and Bible study to take on the life-changing discipline of journaling God's gifts and finding joy right where you are at in life. The "One Thousand Gifts Study Guide" book costs around \$8-9 and can be ordered online through various websites. I can also order a book for you if that is needed You may also order a copy of the book "One Thousand Gifts" to accompany this study, but it is not necessary. If you need child care, let me know and arrangements can be made. If you are interested in attending or have any questions, please call Carla at 345-6471 or e-mail stuckyca@gmail.com.

General Announcements

10. **Retirement Party for Jim Gehring**, June 3, 6-8 PM at the Northridge Community Center. Come join us as we celebrate his 42 years as administrator
11. MCC **Song on the Lawn** is Sun., June 8, 5-8 PM at WillowSpring Downs (Carol Duerksen and Maynard Knepp's farm). The festival features: Book of JEBB, The Bethesda Band, Five Times Harder, Country Jamboree, and the Cottonwood River Band! Burgers, hot dogs, and Kettle Corn is available for a donation all evening long. The Salted Creamery will sell their homemade ice cream for dessert! Bring table service, lawn chairs, blankets, friends and family for a great evening of music to support the work of MCC.
12. **Getting ready to retire?** Everence Financial will present an informational seminar, *Retiring soon? Make sense of your Medicare choices* at 4 PM. and 7 PM. on three upcoming Mondays – June 9, July 7 and Aug. 4. Everence Financial Advisor Robert Wall will speak on Medicare, provide instructions on how to enroll, explain your options if you continue to work and answer related questions. The seminars take place at Everence Financial, 371 N. Old Highway 81, Hesston. To reserve your spot, contact Darlene Buller at [\(877\) 467-7294](tel:877467294), [\(620\) 327-4043](tel:6203274043) or darlene.buller@everence.com.
13. **Budget Counseling:** Lutheran Social Services Financial Counseling (in partnership with Everence) offers confidential, non-judgmental financial counseling to anyone in the community that faces financial struggle, or would like to know a little more about financial

wellness. At no cost, LSSFC will take a comprehensive look at a person's budget, debts, and income and then provide personalized recommendations and options to help individuals and families move toward their financial goals. Call [877-809-0039](tel:877-809-0039) for more information. For Spanish language counselors call [800-388-2227](tel:800-388-2227).

14. There is an MCC Volunteer Appreciation , June 12, 4-6. More information is posted on the bulletin board.

~ Wish “ **Happy Birthday**” this week
June 6: Doug Huxman

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

June 3: Jr. & Shirley Loganbill

June 4: Duane & Angie Toews

June 5: Neal & Clare Galle

June 6: AJ & Heather Kessler

June 7: Joe & Susan Leonard and Aaron & Jamie Dibbens

Joys and Concerns

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

Doris Loganbill is in Nursing Care at Pine Village

Ruth Galle in back in Nursing Care at Pine Village

Ruth Schmidt returning home after knee surgery.

Mission Partners

Praise God for the Light they bring into the dark world.

Praise God for Jeannie's involvement in lives through classical music.

Pray for the impact of the film workshop on participants.

Pray for Wayne as he meets w/ people from neighboring country in Egypt.

Pray for Wayne a Jeannie to find a place to live.

Pray for their summer plans.

Dana Loganbill, recovering after surgery to relieve headaches.

Dee and Daryl Riesen (friends of Will and Ellen Kaufman), after Daryl was recently diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's Disease

Prayer Requests from Mennonite Mission Network

Praise God for the 107 people who made a decision to follow Jesus and be baptized into the Evangelical Mennonite Church of Burkina Faso, a Mennonite Mission Network partner. Pray for courage and faithfulness for these new believers who may face derision and persecution by a Muslim majority.

Prayer Requests from Western District Conference

Pray for Camp Mennoscah staff and campers as they begin a new summer season with the theme – *Get Real: Finding Your True Self in Jesus*.

Attendance: Sunday School: 20 Worship: 75

Sunday-June 8

9:30 am: Sunday School

10:30 am: Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Brad

Scripture: Ellen Kaufman

Message: Pastor Brad

Accompanist: Donna Stucky

Candle Lighter: Zechariah James

Greeter: Becky & Dan Pohl

Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, & Vicky Kessler

Jr. Usher: Dan Kaufman

Coming Events

Today: Ascension Sunday

June 7: Chalupa meal

June 8: Pentecost Sunday

June 10: Women's Bible Study 9-10:30 AM

June 17: Women's Bible Study 9-10:30 AM

June 20: Scrapbook/Craft night 5 PM-12AM

June 21: Sisters Praying & Casting Encouragement (SPACE)
9-10 AM

June 24: Women's Bible Study 9-10:30 AM

June 29: Sandwich and Salad/Dessert carry-in meal and congregational meeting to explore our potential new WZ logo.

July 1: Women's Bible Study 9-10:30 AM

July 8: Women's Bible Study 9-10:30 AM

