West Zion Mennonite Church

9:30 am: Sunday School 10:30 am: Morning Worship
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Words for silent meditation: Rescue the weak and needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked (Psalm 82:4).

Prelude Donna Stucky

Lighting of the Christ Candle Kaleigh Guhr

Welcome The Lord be with you / and also with you.

Announcements

Call to Worship Psalm 82 read responsively Karen Loganbill

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Greeting in Christ's peace

**Celebrating in Song

Blessed Jesus, at your word HWB 13 I sing the mighty power of God HWB 46

Scripture Acts 16:9-15 Connie Kaufman

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Children dismissed to Little Flock (for ages toddler - 1st grade)

Gentle Shepherd, come and lead us HWB 352

Message Open eyes, ears, hearts and homes Heidi Regier Kreider

Song of Response Open my eyes that I may see HWB 517

Offering

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

**Sending Song He leadeth me HWB 599

**Benediction

**Postlude

Greeters: Dan & Becky Pohl

Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, Vicky Kessler

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

Give a warm welcome to Pastor Heidi Regier Kreider, our Western District Conference Minister, as she shares the word today.

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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Website: www.westzionmc.org

West Zion Announcements

<u>Please have all bulletin announcements to the office by Thur. noon.</u> Check the bulletin board for more announcements.

- 1. Here is Luke's new address. Please include this in your yearbook. Luke Loganbill, 209 NW 11th St., Guymon, OK 73942
- 2. Pastor Brad and family are out this Sunday and next (Aug.14 and 21). For pastoral concerns, please contact Karen Loganbill, Head Deacon 620-386-4779
- 3. Join us on August 28, 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall for an Evangelism Workshop led by the Mission Team. We'll explore the "Three Story" method of evangelism, which is based on listening to the stories of others and sharing how our story has connected to Jesus' story. Snacks will be provided.
- 4. A Children's Choir is being formed to sing on September 11 and all Kindergarten through 6th grade kids are invited to check it out! We will practice from 7:00-7:30 pm on Wednesdays, August 31 and September 7 and will sing during morning worship on September 11. If you have questions, call Pastor Brad or Carla Stucky.
- 5. We're calling September 11 "Come and See Sunday!" It's day to invite family, friends, and neighbors to join you at West Zion and *come* and see all that God's doing among us! Mission Team is planning a free community BBQ for that day. Mark your calendar! Leftover meat will be available by donation to help the Larsons' mission in the Arabian Peninsula.
- 6. Anthony Toro and Krystal Sako will be married at West Zion on September 4 during the regular morning worship service.

General Announcements

- 7. Pine Village is hosting their annual Benefit Day Bierock Meal, Friday, August 19th, 5:30-7 at the Pine Village Wellness Center. Meals are \$6.50 or you can purchase ½ Dozen frozen bierocks for \$20 or 1 Dozen for \$35! Hope to see everybody there!
- 8. The annual MCC Flatlander Bike Ride is Sat., Sept. 17, beginning at the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) offices, 121 E. 30th St. N. Newton. This year the funds raised will go towards an MCC water development project in Mozambique. Rides of approximately 35, 45, and 65 miles, as well as a shorter family ride are planned. You can register by using the brochure on the bulletin board or go to the MCC

- website, mcc.org/get-involved/events/mcc-flatlander-bicycle-ride. Make your contributions payable to MCC; "Flatlander Bike Ride" written on the memo line and sent to: MCC, PO Box 235 Box 235, N. Newton, KS 67117.
- 9. Michael Unruh is the new executive director at Camp Mennoscah. More information is on the bulletin board.
- 10. Bethel College is offering many of its classes for community audit. It is only \$50 per credit hour (compared to the normal audit rate of \$85 per hour) OR, if you're age 62 or older, a flat rate of \$30. More information is at the website www.bethelks.edu/audit, there is also a "fall course schedule" there . Enrollment deadline is Aug. 30.
- 11. Would you (or someone you know) be interested in a position that combines your professional skills and your faith values? If so, Everence Financial has an immediate opening for a Client Services Representative in Hesston. This position requires strong customer service skills along with superb attention to detail. For more information or to apply, visit everence.com/kansas.
- 12. "Laughter is Sacred Space" presented by Ted & Co. is on tour and coming to Buhler, KS during Suicide Prevention Awareness Month Sunday, Sept. 4, 7PM at Buhler High School, 611 N Main St, Buhler, KS 67522. \$2 admission, open to the public. Sponsored by Buhler Mennonite Church and NAMI-Reno County. Call 620.543.2733 or email bmcpastor@gmail.com for more information.

~ Wish "Happy Birthday" this week

August 16: Ruth Schmidt August 18: Jay Kessler

August 19: Bruce Dyck & Mel Becker

~Wish "Happy Anniversary" this week August 17: Kevin & Shelly Loganbill

Joys and Concerns

Gerry Major's neighbors Rose and Donna who are dealing with health concerns.

Carl Duffman, dealing with health concerns.

Prayer Requests from Mennonite Mission Network

MMN partners in Mongolia request prayer for a smooth government transition as the main opposition party, Mongolian People's Party, won the parliamentary elections on June 30.

Prayer Requests from Western District Conference

Give thanks for Robert Yutzy, whose ordination service is this afternoon at First Mennonite Church (Halstead, KS) where he is interim pastor.

Mission Mosaic

A lady serving in Bayankhongor Aimag, Mongolia, Pg 22: Service Adventure, Leah Rittenhouse, Jordan Hodges, Aaron Zimmerman, Shannon Young, Dorothee Haase, Krista Rittenhouse, & Austen Saffell, Johnstown Pennsylvania Pg 61

Attendance: Worship: 54

Sunday, August 21, 2016

9:30 am: No Sunday School
Candle Lighter: Quinn Hill
10:30 am: Worship Service
Worship Leader: Vicky Kessler

Accompanist: Carla Stucky

Message: Sharing faith journeys - Gerry Major, Ken Stucky,

Melvin Graber

Greeter: Ken Stucky

Ushers: Clark Graber, Dave Wedel, Carl Duffman

Coming Events

August 21: NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

August 21: Pastor Brad out, church members share from their

spiritual journeys

August 28: 9:00 AM CDT breakfast

August 28: Evangelism Workshop--6:30 PM (snacks provided)

August 31: Children's Choir practice, K-6th, 7:00-7:30 pm

Sept. 4: Anthony Toro and Krystal Sako married at West Zion

Sept. 7: Children's Choir practice, K-6th, 7:00-7:30 pm Sept.11: Come and See Sunday - an opportunity to invite

friends, neighbors, and family for worship service-

followed by a free community BBQ meal.

Oct: 2: Congregational Photo after church

Nov. 13: Budget Meeting