

## West Zion Mennonite Church

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

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Words for silent meditation: *May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in his works (Psalm 104:31).*

Prelude    Carla Stucky  
Lighting of the Christ candle                      Lexi Heslop

\*\*Entrance hymn                      *Holy Spirit, come with power*                      HWB # 26

Welcome  
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

Confession and Assurance of Pardon  
Call to Worship, Psalm 104:24-34

Lord, send out your Spirit / **and renew the face of the earth.**

Greeting in Christ's Peace

**\*\*Celebrating in song** *All creatures of our God and King* HWB # 48  
(vss.1-3, 7)

Scripture                      Romans 8:22-27                      Pastor Brad

STS # 17 Alleluia!

Scripture                      Acts 2:1-21                      Pastor Brad

Special Music "He Leadeth Me" Lorene Lohrenz, Carolyn Schmidt, Marlene Wiens

Message                      "Fan the Flame"                      Pastor Brad

**Response:** HWB # 712 Apostles Creed

Offering

Sharing of Joys and Concerns  
Prayers of the People

Recognition of Graduates  
Time of Anointing

Celebrating at the Lord's Table  
*The Lord be with you* (on screen)

STJ # 15 *Santo (Holy)* (on screen)

Lord's Prayer  
**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.**

**\*\*Sending Song**                      *Joys are flowing like a river*                      HWB # 301  
(vss.1,3,5)

**\*\*Benediction**

**\*\*Postlude**

**\*\*please stand if able**  
*Songbooks in pews: HWB-blue, STS-purple spiral, STJ-green spiral, S&R-green hardbound*

Greeter: Ken Stucky  
Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, Vicky Kessler

## **Sunday, May 27, 2018**

**9:30 AM:** Sunday School  
**Message:** Pastor Brad Roth  
**Worship Leader:** Geneva Wedel  
**Greeters:** Kirk & Carla Stucky  
**Ushers:** Clark Graber, Dave Wedel, Carl Duffman

**10:30 AM:** Worship Service

**Scripture:** Leon Guhr

**Candle Lighter:** Mateo Roth

**Accompanist:** Donna Stucky

## **Coming Events**

May 20: SS at 9:30: Discussion on sharing our faith led by Pastor Brad, Worship at 10:30: Anointing & communion  
Preschool graduation at WZ 2:00 PM

May 23: Faith Talk Class 7-8 PM in Conference Room

May 24: Cemetery touch-up 6 PM

May 30: Faith Talk Class 7-8 PM in Conf. Rm

**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

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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. Today we honor our graduates! Kaleigh Guhr is graduating from 8th grade and Jerod Kaufman and Mason Dyck, Jan Dyck's grandson, are graduating from high school.
2. Every three years, the Deacons conduct a congregational review of our pastor, as required by the church constitution. This year, we'll be using the Appreciative Inquiry method that involves round-table discussion. We need your help! We've placed a form in your mailbox for you to sign up for one of two Sunday morning discussion times. Please complete the form and return it to the Deacon box by May 27. Thanks! - The Deacons
3. Brett and Holly invite you to share in their wedding day, June 2 at 5:00 PM at the Historic Church on D Street, Hillsboro (across the street from Tabor College).
4. Moundridge Farmers Market has opened for the season and is held each Saturday from 8-11 AM at the Agricultural Museum (402 W. Cole). The first Tuesday market will be June 2 from 5-7 PM at the same location. Our goal is to provide locally grown produce and homemade crafts to the community all summer long. New vendors and buyers are welcome all summer. For any questions, call Linda Goering at 620-345-2899.
5. You are invited to attend the MCC Sale Annual Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, May 30, 6:30 PM, at Tabor Mennonite Church. The cost for the meal is \$15/person and you pay at the door. Please RSVP to Royce and Sandy Jantz by May 23.

## General Announcements

6. Everence will host an all-inclusive retirement planning workshop on Saturday, June 2, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Topics will include Medicare, Social Security and retirement income planning. The workshop will be presented by Everence staff and will take place 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 [ormichelle.ramer@everence.com](mailto:ormichelle.ramer@everence.com).

7. Construction of the Whale playground at Camp Mennoscah begins on May 18! Volunteers are needed to make this possible. If you'd like to help, contact us at [office@campmennoscah.org](mailto:office@campmennoscah.org) or 620-297-3290. Work days are May 18-19, May 25-26, June 1-2, and during the week of June 3. Let us know which days you can be there, and we'll get back to you with more details. We're really excited to get this project started and hope you are, too!
8. MCC is looking for new canner operators! This two year service term is unique and offers the opportunity to travel around the U.S. and Canada, working as a team while meeting new people! Check out [mcc.org/canning](http://mcc.org/canning) for details, or contact [heidihuber@mcc.org](mailto:heidihuber@mcc.org).
9. All are invited to the installation service for Glen Guyton, which will take place August 1 at College Mennonite Church in Goshen, Indiana. More information: <http://mennoniteusa.org/news/glen-guytons-installation-as-mc-usa-executive-director-to-take-place-in-august/>
10. Congregations and individuals are invited to engage in a church-wide day of prayer for North and South Korea on Sunday, May 20, 2018, using MCC's "A prayer for peace in North Korea." Learn more about this "Learn, Pray, Join" initiative at <http://mennoniteusa.org/korea/>.

## Sermon Notes

Fan the Flame

Acts 2:1-21; Romans 8:22-27

### Theme

God's Spirit empowers us for discipleship and mission.

### Key Verse

Romans 8:26 Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words.

### Notes

### A Prayer

Holy God, ignite in us a passion for your kingdom.

*Sermons are online @ westzionmc.org*

Find us on Facebook!

## **Prayer Concerns**

Elda Jantzen, preparing to go in for surgery.

Edna Anderson, going in for another toe surgery.

Mark and Donna Stucky, traveling to Mayo Clinic next week to seek answers for some health concerns Mark has.

Corey and Kelsey Lohrenz as Corey is traveling in Italy.

Stan Wooley, Malikai's grandfather

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

This week, JCS, the consortium of mission agencies through which Mennonite Mission Network serves in Mongolia, will celebrate its 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary following the close of their annual board meetings. Pray for JCS as they remember God's faithfulness over the years and follow Jesus into the future.

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

As WDC's Year of Evangelism continues, pray that WDC congregations and members will find practical ways to share the gospel in their everyday lives and communities.

### **Mission Mosaic in the pew**

Austin Roberts in N. Ireland; Naomi Tice in England, pg 26



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

May 24: Banky Hayes

May 26: Jeff Wedel

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

May 20: Craig & Louise Becker, Kent & Amy Jantzen

May 21: Terry & Shery Kessler

May 22: Royce & Sandy Jantz

May 25: Diane & Neal Hook