West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Morning Worship 9:30 AM Sunday School Vol. LIII June 17, 2018 No. 23

Words for silent meditation: The righteous...are planted in the house of the LORD; they flourish in the courts of our God. In old age they still produce fruit; they are always green and full of sap, showing that the LORD is upright (Psalm 92:12-14).

Prelude Carla Stucky Lighting of the Christ candle Mateo Roth

Pastor Brad Roth Welcome

The Lord be with you / and also with you.

Announcements

Gayle Graber, Bailey Graber, Choral Call to Worship

Carla Stucky, Sid Graber

Call to Worship, from Psalm 92

Give thanks to the Lord / Praise the name of God!

Greeting in Christ's peace

**Celebrating in song Blessed be the name STS # 75 STS # 124

My soul cries out

Scripture Deuteronomy 5:11 Sharon Gehring

STJ # 41 Alleluia

Scripture Matthew 28:16-20 **Sharon Gehring**

Special Music Sid, Gayle, Bailey Graber

Message "What's in a Name?" Pastor Brad

Song of Response Jesus, name above all names (on screen)

Camp Mennoscah Sharing

Sharing of Joys and Concerns Prayers of the People

HWB # 428 **Sending Song Lord, let us now depart in peace

**Benediction

**Postlude

**please stand if able

Songbooks in pews: HWB-blue, STS-purple spiral, STJ-green spiral,

S&R-green hardbound

Greeters: Dave and Zettie Wedel

Ushers: Mel Becker, Norman Funk, Vicky Kessler

Sermon Notes

What's in a Name?

Deuteronomy 5:11 / Matthew 28:16-20

Theme

By giving us his sacred name, God calls us into loving communion.

Kev Verse

Deuteronomy 5:11 You shall not make wrongful use of the name of

the LORD your God

Notes

A Prayer

God whose holy Name is above all names, receive our offerings of

praise and gratitude.

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

Offering

Sunday, June 24, 2018

9:30 AM: Sunday School **10:30 AM**: Worship Service **Message**: Pastor Amanda Rempel **Scripture**: Curtis Guhr

Worship Leader: Karen Loganbill Greeter: Geneva Wedel Candle Lighter: Kaleigh Guhr Accompanist: Donna Stucky

Ushers: Clark Graber, Dave Wedel, Carl Duffman

Coming Events

June 18: Edna Anderson funeral 11:00 AM

June 20: Faith Talk Class 7-8 PM

June 22-27: Pastor Brad out to Lincoln, NE and IL

June 27: Last Faith Talk class

July 10-13: VBS at West Zion 6:00-8:25

July 13: Community VBS program 7:00 PM at West Zion

July 27-28: Western District Annual Assembly

July 29: No Sunday School, Worship service at Pine Village

August 4: No Sunday School in August

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

 $\boldsymbol{Pastor's\ Office\ hours}:$ Tues. and Wed. 10 am -12:30 pm

Thurs. 1-4 pm Pastor's Cell: 620-386-4838

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West Zion Announcements

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

- 1. Thank you for allowing Jay Wedel's family to have his memorial service in your church. Jay's brothers and I experienced many memories of the years our family attended West Zion Aleta Rempel (for Jay's family)
- 2. The church now has an automatic defibrillator machine courtesy of Dr. Bajaj of Wichita. It's in a bag at the back of the sanctuary. Pastor Brad is working at setting up a time for people to receive training on how to operate the defibrillator.
- 3. Dan Pohl has posted a picture of where Sarah, Jessie, and he sprinkled Becky's ashes in the High Sierras of California. There are also postcards with a picture of the site if you would like to take one.
- 4. Pastor Brad will be out of the office June 22-27. Pastor Amanda Rempel will bring the message on Sunday, June 24. For pastoral needs, contact one of the Deacons.
- 5. The funeral for Edna Anderson will be Monday, June 18 at 11:00 AM at West Zion. A meal will follow in Fellowship Hall.
- 6. West Zion has been invited to join Eden Mennonite at their weekend Camp Mennoscah retreat July 21 and 22. A schedule for the weekend and costs are on the board. If you are interested in joining Eden, contact Tyler Stucky at 620-386-0400 by June 24. West Zion will hold worship as usual on Sunday, July 22.
- 7. The summer sermon and study series "Ten Words to Live by" focused on the 10 Commandments has been launched. We'll pair a passage from the gospels to show how Jesus' life and teaching illuminates these ancient commandments. Starting June 17, the adult Sunday School hour will be a discussion of the commandment and gospel passage of the day.
- 8. Shipwrecked VBS is only a little over a month away and we need YOU to help make it a success! We need kids to come and learn about how we are 'Rescued by Jesus,' and we need teens and adults to make it happen. You can find registration forms for kids and for

volunteers on the foyer table or you can fill out a form online at wbspro.events/p/e48ae5. VBS is July 10-13 at West Zion (6:00-8:25 pm) with a community program at 7:00 PM on Friday, July 13. Completed paper forms can be left in Pastor Brad's box outside of his office door. Please contact Kristen Koller at 785-640-8895 with any questions.

General Announcements

- 9. Mon., June 18 The Bethel College Women's Association invites everyone to "An Evening with the President," 7 p.m., *Kaufman House (KIPCOR office, 2515 College Ave. in North Newton).* Come meet Bethel President Jon Gering and his wife, Deborah. President Gering will speak on his vision for the college, followed by refreshments and conversation.
- 10. How does your church confront racism? Watch "Jesus Wasn't White" https://www.mennonitemission.net/video/Jesus-wasn't-White and use the discussion questions with your Sunday school class or Small Group.
- 11. Thinking about taking a GAP year after high school? Serve, learn, and develop your leadership skills through Service Adventure. For information, visit www.MennoniteMission.net/ServiceAdventure or contact SusanN@MennoniteMission.net.
- 12. Girls ages 13–18 and women of all ages, please join Mennonite Women USA and Dove's Nest July 26-27, 2018, in Omaha for "Empowering Women: Claiming Healthy Personal Boundaries," an intergenerational gathering to provide practical resources and support on healthy boundary management. Find out more at https://dovesnest.net/Claiming-Healthy-Personal-Boundaries or call 402-577-0866.
- 13. Join in the fun at this Mini Comforter Blitz on Friday, June 22 from 9 a.m. 5 p.m. and Saturday, June 23 from 8 a.m. 4 p.m. Come and go as you are able, bring your friends and family! Bring snacks to share if you'd like. Please bring a sack lunch/supper, drinks will be provided. Contact katemast@mcc.orgwith questions and visit mcc.org/comforter-blitz for details! A poster is on the bulletin board.

14. WDC Annual Assembly will be a "back to the future" experience. This yearly gathering of Western District Conference churches is for resourcing, renewal, and reconnecting with each other and God. On July 27-28, we will bring the best practices of hospitality and fellowship forward from the past, as well as look to the future as a people of God who follow the way of Jesus. "Burning Hearts" is our Assembly theme, taken from the account of the conversation on the Emmaus Road (Luke 24:32). On Friday evening, check-in and worship will be hosted at Tabor Mennonite Church and on Saturday, Eden Mennonite Church will host Assembly delegates and friends for delegate work, diverse workshops, a concert and other fun activities for all ages, as well as four sessions of "Reading the Bible with Jesus" with Bryan Moyer Suderman. For information, go to http://mennowdc.org/annual-assembly/#2018annualAssembly, please register by July 13.

Letters written to receive Camp Mennoscah scholarships

Mateo Roth (attended June 10–16): What I love about camp is the amazing meals. I also love the service because of how it's in the open letting a cooling breeze enter. I see God in the beauty of the trees and plants. One of the most enjoyable factors of the camp is all the awesome counselors and nice people. Thank you for your consideration.

<u>Banky Hayes</u> (attended June 10–16): I love fishing and catching turtles, making new friends, learning about God, and campfires and smores.

Prayer Concerns

Elda Jantzen, recovering at home after a stay in the hospital.

Prayer Request from Western District Conference

Pray for Southern Hills Mennonite Church today as they celebrate Roger and Cynthia Neufeld Smith's 30 years of pastoral ministry there.

Prayer Request from Mennonite Mission Network

On this Father's Day, praise God for all fathers who pattern their lives on the One Jesus called "Abba." Pray for fathers who are separated from their children due to work, incarceration, or other circumstances. May God's love bring healing in these families.

Mission Mosaic in the pew

Francisco & Juanita Machado in Spain; Tom & Disa Rutschman in Sweden, Robin Gingerich in Lithuania, pg 30-31

Summer Prayer Focus

Over the summer months, Mission Team invites you to join in prayer for the mission of our church. A special summer prayer focus will be highlighted in the bulletin and on a display in the foyer each week.

Pray for Camp Mennoscah campers and staff, and that kids can be encouraged to follow Jesus Christ and experience God in creation.



We wish a "Happy Birthday" to:

June 17: Harriet DeLay June 18: Kathy Sangwin June 19: Gerry Major

June 22: Darin Schmidt, James Wedel

We wish a "Happy Anniversary" to: June 17: Curtis & Crysta Guhr