



Salem Mennonite Church

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Mennonite Church USA

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I. GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

(9:15-9:30) Gathering

- <https://zoom.us/j/278905019>
- Or phone call-in # (312) 626-6799 and Meeting ID: 278 905 019
- One-Tab Mobile (iPhone) +16699009128,,278905019#

Prelude

“Voluntary on Neumark” – arr. Young
If Thou but Suffer God to Guide” – MH #34

Call to Worship

HWB #669

Opening Prayer

Special Music “For the Mountains Shall Depart” – from Mendelssohn’s Elijah

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Opening Hymn

“New Earth, Heavens New” – HWB #299

II. HEARING GOD’S WORD

Hearing Scripture

John 13:33-14:1 & 3; 15-21

Sermon

“Come Holy Spirit”

Response

“The Apostles’ Creed” – HWB #712

Special Music

“If with All Your Hearts” – from Mendelssohn’s Elijah

III. RESPONDING TO JESUS CHRIST

Announcements & Offerings

- Today’s **Worship offering** is for Freeman Academy
- Today’s **Sunday school offering** is for Members in Mission
- **Children’s Offering** is for MCC Hygiene Kits

Congregational Sharing & Prayer

IV. SENT WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

Sending Hymn "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" – HWB #508 (vs. 1, 2, 3 & 6)

Spoken Benediction

Postlude "Lord of Light, Your Name Outshining" – HWB #410

Greeters: David & Cindy Graber; **Musicians:** Sharon Waltner (organist), Stephen Waltner (special music), Sonja Waltner (piano); **Worship Leader:** Brent Mutchelknaus; **Speaker:** Pastor Bob; **Coffee:** Class #14

THE CHURCH AT WORK

TODAY

We welcome all who are worshipping with us this morning! Coffee is available in the fellowship hall following the worship service.

THIS WEEK

Tues. (28th), 7:00 p.m. – Interim Team Meeting

Thurs. (30th), 7:30 p.m. – Deacon Board Meeting

NEXT SUNDAY, July 3

Speaker: Pastor Jack; **Worship Leader:** Barb Tieszen; **Musicians:** Brad Anderson (piano); **Greeters:** Brent & Angie Brockmueller; **Coffee:** South East #18

Worship offering is for MCUSA

Sunday school offering is for Salem Sunday School

Children's Offering is for MCC Hygiene Kits

COMING EVENTS

July 6 – Monthly Day of Prayer & Fasting

July 7 – Church Council Meeting

July 9 – SD MCC Relief Sale

July 17 – Matthew Erdman will be sharing

July 21 – Serving at the Yankton Banquet

SOUTH CHURCH NEWS & NOTES

A special shout out of gratitude to all the South Church volunteers who helped to make CPMC weekend a delight and delicious experience. Thank you. PJ

Your prayers and thoughts have been much appreciated. I do not have COVID or Influenza. Thank you, Jesus. I do have an acute upper respiratory infection and persistent cough, a.k.a. "Super Cold"! for which I am being treated. The interesting part is I have experienced two headaches, one from the shingles and on the other side of my head the cold. Weird!! Needless to say, our vacation was canceled again. Is the Lord trying to tell us something? Blessings PJ

The Interim Team, Angie, Janver, Gregg, Peggy, Kay, and Pastor Jack, will be meeting on June 28th at 7 pm to begin planning our July church conversations. If you have any thoughts, suggestions, or concerns please share your ideas with a team member. Thanks, PJ

Thanks to those who submitted applications for SMC endowment funding. The Endowment Policy states that disbursements are to be based on the investment earnings as of December 31 of the previous year. That amount was approximately \$3,200 which has been distributed among the applications submitted:

- For church operations, the SMC trustees received funds for security cameras and parsonage floor coverings.
- The Et Cetera Shoppe, by request of Kris Carlson, received funds to upgrade their sound system.
- Salem Home, by request of Dawn Stahl, received funds for handicap accessible sidewalk ramp upgrades.

The initial endowment fund investment was \$257,000 in March 2021. The entire fund amount was placed in an Everence Foundation Investment Management Account with a diversified portfolio to minimize the impact of market downturns. Recent market fluctuations have resulted in a current market value of our endowment fund below the initial investment amount. Therefore, we will not be in a position to award any additional grants in 2022.

From the Endowment Team Janver Stucky, chair Barb Yoder, treasurer James Unruh, secretary Craig Miller, trustee representative Chris Eisenbeis, council representative

The Department of Christian Formation is once again offering a camp scholarship for any of our church youth attending Swan Lake Christian Camp this summer. The scholarship amount is half of the camp fee. If you have any questions, please contact Cindi Mutchelknaus, Department of Christian Formation Treasurer.

Worship music scheduling underway: The music team at South Church is now scheduling worship music for the summer months from June through September. This is the time to offer your musical talents and share your gifts with the congregation. It is also an opportunity to have family or friends visiting provide music and be a part of our worship service. If you are willing to provide a solo or organize a small group, either vocal or instrumental music, please contact the music team members responsible for the following months: July-Sharla U/Cal G; Aug- Janet B/Cindy G; Sept-Kathy K/Sharla U. Any music suggestions for the team would be greatly appreciated.

COMMUNITY & BEYOND

The Rural Revival annual meeting will be June 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Freeman Public Library. The June monthly meeting will immediately follows.

SD MCC Relief Sale Reminders:

- There is still time to make a theme basket for the silent auction. No registration needed.
- July 1: Deadline to register for the bike ride/walk; later registrations and walk-ins will be accepted.
- Friday, July 8, 5pm: Relief sale set up time (approx. 1-1/2 hours & includes pizza)
- Friday, July 8, 6:00-8:00 pm: Bring Live & Silent Auction items and booth items (bake sale, craft, etc.) to Pioneer Hall; bring pies Friday 6-8pm or before 9am on Saturday.
- Friday, July 8 7pm: bike ride/arboretum walk (registration at 6:30pm)
- Saturday, July 9: Bring your coins for the MY COINS COUNT food project
- New this year: Only donations will be received for meals and booth purchases. Donations can be made in cash or with the use of a buyer number. Buyer numbers are needed for the auctions. A donation container will be available in each booth but there will be no cash boxes so no change will be available for those paying in cash.
- **DO NOT CALL** Freeman Academy with your questions; contact Edie Tschetter at 660-2714 or 925-7009.

Sunday Morning Worship – 9:30am/ Sunday School – Following Worship
Office Hours – Wednesday - Friday 9:30-12:30; bulletin deadline – 9:30 a.m. Friday
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