

Adults Sunday School

Summer Salt & Light: Acts of the Spirit

Session 3: The First Christian Charity Scam, Acts 5:1-11



Remember in prayer this week: Garry Leichty, Clayton Miller, Tim & Michelle Meyer, Dick Yoder, Corey & Dana Oswald, and Ron Miller

Pray for those dealing with medical issues: Keith Zehr, Toni Roth, Deb Roth, Roni Stowers, Paul VonTersch, Sheldon Miller, Erika Leichty Seymore, Dick Yoder, Arlene Wenger, Roxanne Rogers (Kathy Yoder's sister), Cindy Freyenberger Harms, Lois Klopfenstein

Pray for those at Parkview: Anita Swartzendruber, Opal Reschly and Mary Henderson

Pray for our Pastors and the Elders as they seek to lead our congregation in the way and mission of our Lord!

CPMC Prayer Request We pray for the delegates and guests who will gather next Thursday-Sunday in Mountain Lake, MN for our Annual Meeting. May their times of worship, fellowship, table groups, and discernment be fruitful.

MMN Prayer Request Today, as people in the United States celebrate the father figures in their lives, pray that those who do not have a father to celebrate with will find solace in the love and sacrifice that our heavenly parent has freely given to all.

LAST SUNDAY

Offering: General Fund \$4,640; Education \$1,308



June 21, 2026



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We welcome all to this place
for worship of God and for Christian fellowship.
Let us worship God in spirit and truth,
reaching out to one another in Christ's love.

9:15 AM: Sunday School
10:10 AM: Fellowship Time
10:30 AM: Worship Service
Live Stream: <https://tinyurl.com/SCMLiveStream>
facebook.com/sugarcreekmennonitechurch

Prelude/Offertory: Elyssa Graber
Worship Leader: Jeremy Miller
Song Leader: Mattias Luitjens

Gathering

Welcome & Announcements
Preparation for Worship
Call to Worship & Opening Prayer

Praising

Praise Songs

Hearing the Word

Scripture Reading: Luke 11:1-13 (p. 55)
Message: Pam Gerig Unruh, "Seek the Source, Part 3"

Responding

Responding Song
Offering: Home Missions (6/28 Home Missions)
Sharing & Prayers

Sending

Benediction
Sending Song

Thank you to Garry & Lori Leichty for serving as ushers today.

The nursery is available for children two and under.

NEXT SUNDAY

● MYF Service Trip Sharing, Wayland Mennonite at **10AM** (no services at Sugar Creek). Coffee & fellowship at 9:15!

SUGAR CREEK NEWS

Fellowship: To provide cookies for fellowship time, use the link or contact Lori Miller:

signupgenius.com/go/4090E45AEAB2DA0FA7-50902927-sugar#

Nursery: Please sign up if you are able to assist with the nursery!:
signupgenius.com/go/60B0E4FA8AC29A5FB6-62786804-nursery

Office Hours: There will be no regular office hours this summer. Katy may be reached by phone or email. Bulletin deadline is still 9AM on Thursdays unless stated otherwise. Thank you!

Visitation Team: We are planning to form a team of volunteers to assist the Pastors with visiting church members. If interested, please let Pam or an Elder know!

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY

- Father's Day
- **9:00 AM:** Parkview Worship
- **9:15 AM:** Youth Conscientious Objector Discussion, Session 1

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

- **10:00 AM:** MYF Service Trip Sharing, Wayland Mennonite (no services at Sugar Creek). Coffee & fellowship at 9:15!
- **6:00 PM:** Baptism of Levi Bachman and Addison Miller. Refreshments to follow in the Fellowship Hall!

SUNDAY, JULY 5

- Elder Lot Selection

MONDAY, JULY 6

- **3:00 PM:** Worship Planning

SUNDAY, JULY 12

- **9:00 AM:** Parkview Worship

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

- **11:00 AM:** Parkview Devotions
- **11:30 AM:** Lunch Bunch
- **6:00 PM:** Church Council Meeting

JUNE 21, 2026
AREA NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Concert: Bad Angle Events is hosting Honeytown, a group of 4 musicians from Kidron, Ohio, on Saturday, July 11, 7 p.m. at Hillcrest Academy. Honeytown's combination of original compositions, unexpected arrangements and tight harmonies have endeared them to audiences from rural barn parties, downtown theaters to large conferences, festivals, and church functions. Varied instrumentation including fiddle, mandolin, banjo, bass ukulele, accordion and an assortment of percussion makes their music an unpredictable mix of raw, unfiltered, organic acoustic music. Tickets at BadAngleEvents.org.

Cradle of Hope: *Fill a bottle, change a life!* Through Father's Day, pick up a bottle from the foyer, fill it with cash, checks, and/or coins to support our pregnancy resource center. Thank you for helping us change lives! For more information on Cradle of Hope: cradleofhopeiowa.com.

CCCC: *Crooked Creek Christian Camp still needs volunteer kitchen help for summer camp!* Sign up for your preferred date and time: signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45A9A729A3FD8F8-63317954-2026#/ Thanks for your support in this way!

Crowded Closet: *Students: Make your summer count!* Invest in yourself and your community as a Crowded Closet volunteer. You'll gain job skills, build your resume, serve locally and make an impact globally! Plus earn Silver Cord hours. Flexible shifts available. Learn more and apply at crowdedcloset.org/volunteer, or contact the Volunteer Office at 319-800-5574 (text/call) or email crowdedcloset.volunteer@gmail.com.

Hillcrest: *THANK YOU* - As we close out our fiscal year, the entire Hillcrest Academy family would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your continued support. It is the faithful generosity of our community that makes it possible for us to keep fulfilling our mission. We are deeply grateful to everyone who has partnered with us and we do not take that trust lightly. We look forward to welcoming even more partners who share our vision of a bright future for Hillcrest Academy.

Hillcrest Academy Golf Benefit - You're invited to the annual Hillcrest Academy Golf Benefit at Kalona Golf Course on Saturday, July 11. This isn't just a day of friendly competition, it's a great way to invest directly in the mission of Hillcrest Academy. Register your team today and be a part of something truly meaningful. We can't wait to see you there. For more details, to register, or to be a sponsor go to hillcrestravens.org/golfbenefit and contact Jeremy Ours at jours@hillcrestravens.org with questions.

MCC: *MCC Immigration Learning Tour, Nov. 1-6* – Sign up today for this immigration focused learning tour in South Texas and Mexico. This tour will focus on education related to a range of matters surrounding immigration, detention and death at the U.S./Mexico border by giving you the opportunity to engage directly with MCC partners who are leading immigration work in the region. Questions? Contact abrahamdiazalonso@mcc.org and sign up online today at mcc.org/tx-immigration-learning-tour!

MCUSA: For many students, military enlistment can feel like one of the few affordable paths to higher education. But for Connor Kouterick, a freshman at West Virginia University, another path emerged, thanks to the Peaceful Futures Scholarship from Peaceful Options for Training and Careers (POTC), a ministry project of Mennonite Church USA and Mennonite Central Committee. Read more here: mennoniteusa.org/POTC-scholarship

Did you know that the Mennonite Church USA Archives has an online photo collection of more than 13,000 images? It's fun to browse and is a great resource for presentations, sermons and more. Check it out here: flickr.com/photos/mennonitechurchusa-archives/

MMN: *Anchorage needs a Service Adventure leader!* Are you sensing God's call to mentor young adults as they grow in faith, service and community? Want to live in a beautiful place like Anchorage, Alaska? Answer the call and become a Service Adventure unit leader! Unit leaders (age 24+) guide a small group of young adults as they serve and provide some oversight and guidance for the household. Contact: Michael Oyer, [MichaelO@MennoniteMission.net!](mailto:MichaelO@MennoniteMission.net)

Calling all young adults! Service Adventure - 2026-27 term Can a gap year change your life? Only if you're up for adventure! This 10-month volunteer experience for young adults ages 17-20. Live in community with peers and unit leaders, serve with local nonprofit agencies, and grow in your faith with a supporting church congregation! Placements in: Anchorage, Alaska and Colorado Springs, Colorado
Learn more and apply: MennoniteMission.net/ServiceAdventure.