



This week please remember the following people in prayer: Tracy, Holly, Roman, Rajan and Reese Roth
Pray for those dealing with from medical issues: Dick Yoder, Oliver Yutzy, LaVonne Friesen (Ardell Kliewer's sister), Gerhard Luitjens (Nathan's dad), Gerry Widmer, and Victor

Barrera (Victoria Perez's father).

Mennonite Mission Network Pray for Arloa Bontrager and Mennonite Mission Network staff as they organize the service projects at MennoCon19, the Mennonite Church USA convention that will be held in Kansas City, Missouri, July 2-6. Pray for a strong witness to God's love as bystanders see faith in action.

Central Plains Mennonite Conference Please pray for the Mennonite Church USA Convention happening July 2-6. That it might be a time of good fellowship, worship and discernment. We pray especially for David Boshart as he closes out his time as the MC USA moderator.

LAST SUNDAY

Attendance: 156

Offering: General Fund: \$250 Home Missions: \$4,800 Missions: \$1,500 Conference: \$2,709.64 Education: \$250 Special Projects: \$1,200 MDS: \$720

Furnace/Air Conditioner Fellowship Hall Project total-to-date:

Furnace/Air Conditioner fund total to date is \$6,885.00. Our goal is to raise \$15,000.00.

Today we offer anointing for:

Healing –

- *Physical, emotional, or spiritual brokenness and pain*

Struggling with something in your life –

- *Longing to be set free from something that seems to have you trapped*
- *Dealing with a difficult decision*
- *Dealing with relationships in your life that are causing you pain*
- *Difficult situation that you don't know how to deal with*

Looking forward to something new in your life –

- *New opportunity or relationship that you are excited about*
- *You feel God is calling you to try something and you need God's strength and wisdom for the task.*

If you would like to be anointed, please go forward after the service.



June 30, 2019

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June 30, 2019

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.

8:45 am: Prayer in the Prayer Room
9:15 am: Sunday School
10:10 am: Fellowship Time
10:30 am: Worship

Worship Leader: Elyssa Graber & Morgan Meyer
Song Leader: Dana Oswald
Piano/Organ: Elyssa Graber & Morgan Meyer

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

STJ9 Come Now is the Time to Worship

STJ44 The Love of God

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 6:12-7:9 (NT p. 129)

Message: Nathan "Human Sexuality: Blessing or Curse?"

WB545 Be Thou My Vision

Offering: Home Missions & Loose Change (7/7 Home Missions)

Announcements, Sharing & Prayers

Benediction

You Shall Go Out with Joy

Thank you to the MYF for serving in the nursery today during Sunday school and church. The nursery is available during Sunday school and church for children 2 years of age and younger.

Mennonite Central Committee is now collecting Immigration detainee care kits. When people who have been placed in immigration detention centers are released, they often have nothing more than the clothes on their backs. Kits containing clothing and hygiene products can help to rebuild their dignity as they are taken to bus stations and airports to reconnect with their families in the U.S. Please visit mcc.org/immigrationkit for all the details of what goes into the kit and how the kits will be distributed. It is one small way we can share Christ's love with our neighbors. All kit supplies should be sent to MCC Central States 121 E. 30th, PO Box 235, North Newton, KS 67117. Questions? Please contact MCC at 316.283.2720.

We express our sympathies to Bill and Marilyn Hershberger and the rest of their family on the passing of Tara on Monday, June 24th. Please continue to keep the Hershberger family in your prayers.

CROOKED CREEK CAMP NEWS

Do you have any used taper candles that you no longer need?

Please consider donating them to Crooked Creek camp for our special night at the pond!

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, July 3: Mennonite Women

Sunday, July 7: MYF Sharing

Sunday, July 7 evening: Tentative Convention and Conference Sharing

Promiseland/Xplore News

July 8: Burlington Bees Game; Meet at church at 5pm and bring money for concessions

July 24: Water Park; Meet at church at 10am, bring \$10

MYF News

The MYF will be meeting at the church, Monday, July 1 at 1:00pm. We will be departing for MennoCon19 KC as soon as the vans are packed. There are 21 youth and 4 sponsors and the Luitjens family all traveling together. The groups will return to the church on Saturday, July 6 around 5-6 pm.

A Facebook page: Sugar Creek MYF MennoCon19 has been created. Please follow the page if you would like to see the exciting things the youth will be experiencing in KC. Please keep the youth group in your prayers during the upcoming week.

SUGAR CREEK NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Mennonite Women July 3. Project: soap, fabric, and towels. Towels: NEW bath and hand towels. Fabric: 2 yards (washable twill, cotton, cotton blends, polyester, corduroy) Lunch: Salad Luncheon Devotions: An offering to God, Romans 12:1-8

Office Manager –If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested in a part-time position as office manager, please have them submit a resume to Bob Meyer. A position description is available in the church office. Carly Voth Unruh will be helping out in the church office.

Mission Trip 2020 - We have an opportunity to go to Guatemala with Bethel Ministries from March 13-21. If this is something you would be interested in doing please talk to Nathan as soon as possible. This will let us know if there is enough interest to do this trip. Also, the earlier we book tickets the better the deal we can get.

Extension opportunity for July: Lori purchases food for the Backpacks that go to 14 families each week. Currently, she is purchasing items and using CROP money. If you want to contribute, you may bring food items to church. Please just leave them in the foyer. Items in need would be canned fruit, vegetables, granola bars, peanut butter, cereal, or pasta. Thank you – Extension Committee

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

Join Kalona Mennonite Church's Youth today, June 30th at noon for a delicious summer meal of grilled pork burgers on homemade buns with fixings, calico beans, potato salad, coleslaw, chips, fresh fruit salad, and brownie/ice cream bar. Proceeds of this meal will help fund our youth going to MCUSA Convention in Kansas City and a mission trip to Pennsylvania.

SUPPORT the Wayland Discount Grocery! We are very grateful for the store being in Wayland. Word Alive Ministries and many local churches have really appreciated the partnership we have had in assisting individuals with needs. Word Alive and the Wayland Discount Store have increased that partnership - and now need your help. Volunteers are needed on various afternoons to help in the stores success. If you want to help insure the store remains, stop by the Word Alive Office and see Larry Roth (Volunteer Coordinator for the store) on Tuesdays from 2-6pm or call him at (319)640-5554.

The Men's Transitional House, The Refuge, is scheduled to open on September 1. Requests are already being made to submit applications. Your support and prayers are requested. If you, your church, your Sunday School or business would be willing to invest in the healing of broken men, tax deductible donations are being received now. While monthly support is vital, one-time seed gifts are also greatly appreciated. Mail to Word Alive Ministries, PO Box 236, Wayland, IA 52654. Please earmark the check "The Refuge."

J-POG (Just Peace Outreach Group) invites you to hear Joel Koerner address the topic "The Morality of Money: An Overview of Socially Responsible Investing," including an exploration of how financial investment can both encourage positive social change and also discourage the negative effects of alcohol, tobacco, and military expenditures. Join us at Kalona Mennonite Church, 902 6th Street, Kalona, Iowa on Sunday, July 7, 2019, at 6 pm for a finger food potluck (please bring your own table service) and conversation, or at 7 pm for Joel's presentation. For more information, contact Roger Farmer at 319-653-2547 or Jane Yoder-Short at wilmajane17@gmail.com.