

Intergenerational Adult SS Class

- **TODAY** – Pastor Kent begins leading a study on Christian worship. Topic: “Introducing Christian Worship through the Christian Story”
- **Oct. 2** – Study on Christian worship, led by Pastor Kent

MYF News

- **TODAY** – Bible Study – Dare to Be... 5-7 PM, SC Church
- **Oct. 2** – Progressive Supper, 5-8:30 PM. Meet @SC Church
- **Oct. 8** – Pop can drive, 10 AM-12 PM, Corey Farmer’s shop driveway

JYF News

- **Oct. 5** – Lesson: Doubts? 6:30-8 PM, Wayland Basement
- **Oct. 19** – Cookout/hayride, 6:30-8 PM, Eicher Pavilion



This week please remember in prayer Don Eichelberger, Mary Frances Graber, and Dale Swartzendruber

Pray for those dealing with medical issues: Cindy (Freyenberger) Harms, Pauline Wyse, Thomas Bennett, Tim Detweiler, Jean Letts, Martha Marsh

CPMC Prayer Request Pray for John David Kenney, pastor of West Union Mennonite Church, who was ordained on September 18th. Pray for God's blessing on the ministry that John David and West Union Mennonite share.

MCUSA Prayer Request The Mennonite Church USA Executive Board will be meeting Sept. 29-Oct. 1 in San Antonio, Texas. Pray for God's guidance, wisdom and support in their discussions and decision making.

MMN Prayer Request Praise God for the new partnership program created by Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary (AMBS), *Meserete Kristos* Seminary and Mennonite Mission Network, which offers a master's level curriculum in theology to Ethiopian students. Pray for the students, as well as for Henok Mekonin and Joe Sawatzky, who are jointly supported by AMBS and Mission Network, as they provide leadership.

LAST SUNDAY

Offering: Home Missions \$2,020; General Fund \$730



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September 25, 2022

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

Live Stream: <https://tinyurl.com/SCMLiveStream>
facebook.com/sugarcreekmennonitechurch

Worship Leader: Gerald Freyenberger

Song Leader: Heather & Brian Herschberger

Piano/Organ: Mattias Luitjens

Gathering

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Praising

WB 76 Praise, I will praise you, Lord

WB 540 Strong, righteous man of Galilee

WB 369 Lord, whose love in humble service

Hearing the Word

Epistle reading: 1 Timothy 6:6-19 (p. 164)

Gospel reading: Luke 16:19-31 (p. 61)

Message: Kent McDougal, "Moneylovers"

Responding

Come to the Table of Grace (v. 1-3)

WB 357 O Master, let me walk with thee

Offering: IMS/CCCC / LC (10/2 Conference)

Announcements, Sharing & Prayers

Sending

Benediction

WB 119 Praise God from whom

Thank you to Mark & Linda Boshart for serving as ushers today.

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.

NEXT SUNDAY

● Kent McDougal, Luke 13:10-17

● Communion

SUGAR CREEK NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Adult Sunday School: We will continue an intergenerational Sunday School class this fall. Kent will be leading a study on Christian worship; all adults are invited. However, we value the community that our traditional Sunday School classes provide, and encourage any class that wants to begin meeting again to do so. For any questions, contact Christian Ed or and Elder.

Library: There are quite a few books from Bob Hartzler's library that are in boxes in the church library. Please feel free to help yourself to any and all that you want. In a couple of weeks we will take whatever is left to Crowded Closet.

Pastor Appreciation: October is Pastor Appreciation Month, and we are encouraging the congregation to write notes or give cards to Pastor Kent. They can be put in his church mailbox along the north wall.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

● **6:00 PM:** Light meal, followed by the Annual Business Meeting, Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2

● **9:00 AM:** Matt & Kathy, Parkview Worship

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

● **9:00 AM:** Mennonite Women, Fellowship Hall. Devotions: Pauline Wyse, "Sisterhood by Default"

● **6:30 PM:** JYF begins, Wayland Mennonite Church basement

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

● **10:00 AM:** Worship Planning Meeting, MYF Room