Mennonite Church of Normal

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost July 4, 2021

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome/Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship VT 13

Gathering Prayer

Praising God Together

Songs of Praise: Thy Word Is a Lamp VT 398

Put Peace Into Each Other's Hands VT 485

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time Let the children come VT 512

"Friendliness conquers hostility"

Preparation Listen to the Word VT 405

Scripture Luke 19:41-44

Sermon Peace is patriotic

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song This is My Song VT 710
Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness VT 894

Sharing Joys and Concerns/Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow VT 70

Sending Words

Postlude

Assisting in Worship

Song Leader: Cindy Ropp

Worship Plan/Lead/Sermon: Gary Martin Prelude/Postlude: Denise Hedberg Accompanist: Jenell Ulrich

This Week

Today	10:30am	Biblical Foundations: Structure/Pastoral Team
	5-8pm	Picnic on the Church Lawn
Thursday	6:30am	Next Man Bible Study (zoom)
	5:00pm	Outreach Committee (zoom)
Sun., July 11	9:30am	Worship: Letting Go, Exodus 1 & 2

10:30am Rethinking Small Groups

Our Mission:

Mennonite Church of Normal is a nurturing, Christ-centered Anabaptist congregation that welcomes all people. As followers of Jesus, we aspire to transform our communities and world into places of peace, healing, and hope.

All people of any race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, education, or ability who confess faith in Jesus Christ, are welcome to participate in the full life and ministry of the Mennonite Church of Normal. Furthermore, all people of any gender or sexual orientation who confess faith in Jesus Christ, may become members, be married, and are eligible for all volunteer, staff, and pastoral positions at MCN.

Our Vision: By 2024 we will be

- a congregation that is equipping all to learn about, walk with, and live out the teachings of Jesus in daily life;
- a dynamic faith community that nurtures and nourishes relationships, so that our care and understanding of each other is deepened;
- an active faith community, developing significant and meaningful relationships through expanding our care for and understanding about/with those beyond MCN.

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