

Mennonite Church of Normal

November 14, 2021

Twenty Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* VT 28
Hallelujah! Fairest Morning VT 497

Hearing God's Word

Ministry Moment Mennonite Disaster Service Experience
Wayne and Lois Hochstetler

Children's Time *Let the Children Come to Me* VT 512
Invitation to Listen *Listen to the Word* VT 405
Scripture Reading Lev. 25 1-14, 20-25, 35-38 Luke 12:13-21
Sermon *The Resistance of Rest*

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song *Come Away from Rush and Hurry* VT 9
Sharing Joys and Concerns; Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Closing Song *Go Now in Peace, Worship Continues* VT 829
Sending Prayer
Postlude

Assisting in Worship

Song Leader: Wayne Hochstetler Worship Leader: Ben Roeschley
Sermon: Joe Culpepper Scripture: Janelle Friesen
Children's Time: Louise Reeser Worship Planner: Ben Roeschley
Accompanist/Prelude/Postlude: Elsa Raab
Sharing Joys and Concerns Prayer Leader: Holly Zehr

This Week:

Today	1:30pm	Spending Plan Hearing (Zoom)
Monday	11:00am	Ken Shoemaker Funeral
	1:30pm	Community Life Commission
Wednesday	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)
	9:30am	Men's Bible Discussion (Zoom)
	7:00pm	Pastoral Team Search Committee
Thursday	6:30am	Next Man Bible Study (Zoom)
	2:00pm	Women's Book Club (Zoom)
	6:00pm	Administration Commission (Zoom)

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.

Our Welcome:

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.

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