

Mennonite Church of Normal

January 23, 2022
Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life
Prelude
Call to Worship

Praising God Together

Songs of Praise *Summoned by the God Who Made Us* VT 1
Come, Ye Thankful People VT 123

Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time *Let the Children Come to Me* VT 512
Offering Recognition
Song *Listen to the Word* VT 405
Scripture Reading Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43
Sermon *The Weeds To Wheat Spectrum*

Receiving God's Grace

Confession and Assurance
Response Song *Sing a New World into Being* VT 809
Sharing Joys and Concerns; Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song *We, Your People, Sing Your Praises* VT 849
Sending Prayer
Postlude

Assisting in Worship

Worship Leader and Planner: Wayne Hochstetler
Sermon: Joe Culpepper
Scripture Reader: Cal Hubbard
Children's Time: Darrel Miller
Accompanist, Prelude, Postlude: Dorothy Loepf
Sharing Joys and Concerns Prayer Leader: Holly Zehr

This Week:

Today	1:30pm	Annual Congregational Meeting (Zoom)
Monday	6:30pm	Congregational Care Committee (Zoom)
Tuesday	7:00pm	Interim Pastoral Team (Zoom)
Wednesday	9:30am	Men's Book Group (Zoom)
Thursday	6:30am	Next Man Bible Study (Zoom)
	2:00pm	Women's Book Group (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.

Building Open Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am-Noon, 1:00pm-4:00pm
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