Mennonite Church of Normal

July 24, 2022

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life
Ministry Moment
Prelude
Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Hymns	*Brethren, We Have Met to Worship*	VT 25
	Wonderful Grace of Jesus	VT 170

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time	*Come On, Children, to the Gospel Feast*	VT 511
Scripture Reading	Matthew 25: 31-46	
Sermon	*Matthew 25: Listening to the Overlooked and Ignored*	

Receiving God's Grace

Response		VT 1003
Response Song	*Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*	VT 778
Stewardship Affirmation		
Offertory Song	*What Does the Lord Require of You?*	VT 207
Sharing of Joys and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer		

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song	*Siyahamba (We Are Marching)*	VT 793

Lord's Prayer
Sending Prayer
Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader & Planner: Joe Culpepper — Sermon: Eric Kurtz
Pastoral Prayer: Lynette Miller — Scripture Reader: Marianne Israel
Children's Time: Shannon Neely — Tech: Adam Augspurger & Jaron Zehr
Song Leader: Cindy Ropp — Accompaniment: Dorothy Loepp
Postlude & Prelude: Adam & Caleb Augspurger

Save the Date: Menno Haven Sunday Escape – Sunday, August 14

This Week:

Monday 7/25	1:30pm	Community Life Commission
	7:00pm	Discipling Commission (Zoom)
Tuesday 7/26	7:00pm	Interim Pastoral Team (Zoom)
Wednesday 7/27	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)
Thursday 7/28	6:30am	Next Man Bible Study (Zoom)
	5:30pm	Loss & Grief Group (Off-site)
	6:30pm	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 9am-11am
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