

Mennonite Church of Normal

July 31, 2022

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Hymns *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* VT 421
God Lights a Lamp VT 299

Gathering Prayer

Child Dedication, Aiden Petri

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time *Come On, Children, to the Gospel Feast* VT 511
Scripture Reading Isaiah 25: 1-10a & Luke 15:8-10
Sermon *From Lost to Joy*

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song *God Is Working This Purpose Out* VT 770
Welcoming New Members, Steve Benner and Keith Worley VT 961
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory Hymn *There's Enough for All* VT 757
A General Thanksgiving

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song *You Shall Go Out With Joy* VT 847
Sending Prayer
Postlude
Dismissal

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader & Planner: Steve Benner Pastoral Prayer: Holly Zehr
Sermon: Lois and Wayne Hochstetler Scripture Reader: Keith Worley
Children's Time: Steve Benner Tech: Caleb Augspurger & Jaron Zehr
Song Leader: Wayne Hochstetler
Accompaniment, Postlude, & Prelude: Elsa Raab

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

This Week:

Monday 8/1	7:30pm	Vision Team (Zoom)
Tuesday 8/2	7:00pm	Interim Pastoral Team (Zoom)
Wednesday 8/3	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)
Thursday 8/4	6:30am	Next Man Bible Study (Zoom)
	2:00pm	Women's Book Group (Zoom)
	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
And Monday–Wednesday, Friday 1:30pm-3pm
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