Mennonite Church of Normal

January 1, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise VT 98

Santo (Holy) VT 136

Candle Lighting Liturgy

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time O Come, All Ye Faithful VT 241

Scripture Matthew 2:13-23

Sermon Fugue

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song Bless the Lord, My Soul VT 127

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Song God, Whose Giving VT 745

Sharing Jovs and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song My Life Flows On VT 605

Sending Prayer

Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Holly & Addy Zehr

Accompaniment, Prelude, & Postlude: Elsa Raab

Sermon: Kevin Chupp

Song Leader: Barry Weaver

Pastoral Prayer: Lauren Satchwell

Candle Lighting: Petri Family

Tech: Wesley Hershberger & Caleb Augspurger

Children's Time: Janet Wilson/Joe Culpepper

This Week:

Monday 1/2 Office Closed

Wednesday 1/4 9:30am Wed Morning Book Group (Zoom)

Thursday 1/5 7:00am Next Man Bible Study

Our Vision:

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: Closed: Monday

Open: Tuesday–Friday 9am-11am

And Tuesday–Wednesday & Friday 1:30pm-3pm

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