Mennonite Church of Normal

February 26, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise Come, Now Is the Time to Worship VT 29

Let Us Build a House VT 36

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time Kids of the Kingdom Scripture Matthew 18:15-35

Sermon What Is True Forgiveness

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song God, Give Me Time (vs. 1 & 3 only) VT 144

Words of Confession and Assurance

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer

Hymn Don't Be Afraid VT 596

Stewardship Affirmation

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song The Hand of God Shall Hold You VT 671

Benediction Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Cindy Ropp Song Leader: Cindy Ropp Children's Time: Jessica Hall Scripture Reader: Cal Hubbard

Sermon: Ron Ropp

Pastoral Prayer: Lauren Satchwell

Accompaniment, Prelude, and Postlude: Elsa Raab

Tech: Jaron Zehr and Rick Harnish

		This Week:
Sunday 2/26	6:00pm	Junior Choir
	6:45pm	Youth Choir
	7:30pm	Adult Choir
Tuesday 2/28	3:00pm	Pastoral Team
Wednesday 3	3/1 9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)
	10:00am	Anabaptism at 500 Group 2
	7:00pm	Anabaptism at 500 Group 1
Thursday 3/2	7:00am	Next Man Bible Study
	6:30pm	Administration Commission (Zoom)
Friday 3/3	All Day	Office Closed
Our Vision.		

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.

After Worship Christian Education:

Pre-K – 1st Grade Room 11

2nd – 5th Grade Room 12 & 9

Junior High Room 8

High School Room 7 & 5

Journey Group A (20's-30's) First Office

Journey Group B (40's-50's) Conference Room

Journey Group C (60's and above) Room 4

Building Open Hours: Monday—Thursday 9am-11am

And Monday-Wednesday 1:30pm-3pm

Friday Office Closed

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