

# Mennonite Church of Normal

March 12, 2023

## Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

## Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise

*Come Away from Rush and Hurry*

VT 9

*Welcome Here*

Screen

Gathering Prayer

## Hearing God's Word

Children's Time

*Kids of the Kingdom*

Screen

Scripture

Matthew 22:1-14

Sermon

## Receiving God's Grace

Response Hymn

*We Dream of a Turning*

VT 209

Words of Confession

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Hymn

*Santo (Holy)*

VT 136

Stewardship Affirmation

## Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Hymn

*Christ, Be All Around Me*

VT 848

Benediction/Sending Prayer

Postlude

## Assisting in Worship:

**Worship Leader:** Shannon Neely

**Song Leader:** Cindy Ropp

**Children's Time:** Holly Zehr

**Scripture Reader:** JB Ponnou-Delaffon

**Sermon:** Kevin Chupp

**Pastoral Prayer:** Kevin Chupp

**Accompaniment, Prelude, and Postlude:** Dorothy Loepp

**Tech:** Adam Augspurger and Wesley Hershberger

## This Week:

Sunday 3/12

6:00pm

Junior Choir

6:45pm

Youth Choir

7:30pm

Adult Choir

Tuesday 3/14

3:00pm

Pastoral Team (Zoom)

Wednesday 3/15

9:30am

Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)

Thursday 3/16

7:00am

Next Man Bible Study

8:00am

Relief Sale Baking

6:30pm

Administration Commission (Zoom)

Friday 3/17

8:00am

Relief Sale Baking

Saturday 3/18

6:00am

IL Mennonite Relief Sale

## 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 – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

Room 11

2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> 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–Friday 9am-11am

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

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