# **Mennonite Church of Normal**

April 16, 2023

# **Gathering in God's Presence**

Welcome and Congregational Life Prelude

# Call to Worship

# Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise	Come, Christians, Join to Sing	VT 28
	This Joyful Eastertide	VT 352
Prayer		

# Hearing God's Word

Sermon	Receiving God's Grace	
Sermon	Really Divine	
Scripture	Matthew 28:16-20	
Children's Time	Kids of the Kingdom	Screen

Response Hymn	Come What May/Pase lo que pase, jiven!	VT 768
Prayer of Confession		
Sharing Joys and Concerns	S	
Pastoral Prayer		
Offering Hymn	You Are All We Have	VT 701
Stewardship Affirmation		
	Sent in the Spirit's Power	

Sending Song God

# Spirit of the Living

VT 740

Benediction Postlude

#### Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Ben Roeschley Prelude, Postlude, and Accompaniment: Elsa Raab Song Leader: Barry Weaver Children's Time: Nancy Fisher Scripture Reader: Ryan Miller Sermon: Kevin Chupp Pastoral Prayer: Ron Ropp Tech: Adam Augspurger and Rick Harnish

#### This Week: Sunday 4/16 3:00pm Vision Team 6:00pm Junior Choir 6:45pm Youth Choir Fellowship Committee (Zoom) Monday 4/17 7:00pm Tuesday 4/18 3:00pm Pastoral Team (Zoom) Wednesday 4/19 9:30am Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom) Thursday 4/20 Next Man Bible Study 7:00am Family Fun Night Friday 4/21 5:30pm

# 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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