

Mennonite Church of Normal

May 28, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life
Ministry Moment
Prelude
Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise *Summoned by the God Who Made Us* VT 1
As the Wind Song through the Trees VT 373

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time *God Welcomes All* VT 32
Scripture Acts 2:1-4; Romans 8:14-39
Sermon *The Language of Creation*

Receiving God's Grace

Response Hymn *Fill Me Anew* VT 739
Sharing Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
Stewardship Affirmation
Offertory Hymn *Spirit of the Living God* VT 740

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* VT 103
Benediction
Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Planner & Leader: Meredith Schroeer
Accompaniment, Prelude, & Postlude: Dorothy Loepf
Song Leader: Barry Weaver
Children's Time: Louise Reeser
Scripture Reader: Lotus Hershberger
Sermon: Kevin Chupp
Pastoral Prayer: Lynette Miller
Tech: Ryan Miller & Glenn Wilson

This Week:

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| Monday 5/29 | All Day | Office Closed |
| Tuesday 5/30 | Morning 3:00pm | Office Open Pastoral Team (Zoom) |
| Wednesday 5/31 | Morning 9:30am 5:30pm | Office Closed Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom) Vision Team (Zoom) |
| Thursday 6/1 | 1:00pm | Community Life Commission |

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:

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| Pre-K – 1 st Grade | Room 11 |
| 2 nd – 5 th 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: Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 9am-11am

And Tuesday-Friday 1:30pm-3pm

Closed: Monday all day & Wednesday morning

Office Administrator: Lydia Hedberg | church@normalmennonite.org
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Custodian Rita Munkakusi

Outreach, Worship Commission, Congregational Care Committee, and Spiritual Gifts Discernment Team Pastor:

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Discipling and Community Life Commissions Pastor:

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Pastoral Team Leader, Vision Team, and Administration Commission

Pastor: Lauren Satchwell | satchwell.lauren@gmail.com | 309-830-6827