

Mennonite Church of Normal

May 7, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Songs of Praise *Jesus Calls Us* VT 30

Hamba nathi (Come, Walk With Us) VT 23

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time *God Welcomes All* VT 32

Scripture Romans 1:1-17

Sermon *Not Ashamed*

Receiving God's Grace

Response Hymn *Blessed Assurance* VT 435

Stewardship Affirmation

Offertory Hymn *God, We Pause This Moment* VT 756

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song *Guide My Feet* VT 816

Benediction

Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Wayne Hochstetler

Prelude, Postlude, and Accompaniment: Elsa Raab

Song Leader: Wesley Hershberger

Children's Time: David Harnish

Scripture Reader: Heath Brandon

Sermon: Kevin Chupp

Pastoral Prayer: Kevin Chupp

Tech: Clara and Caleb Augspuriger

This Week:

Sunday 5/7	11:00am	CDC Sacred Listening
Tuesday 5/9	6:30pm	Vision Team (Zoom)
Wednesday 5/10	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group (Zoom)
Thursday 5/11	7:00am	Next Man Bible Study
	7:00pm	Discipling Commission (Zoom)

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 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: Monday & Wednesday–Friday 9am-11am
And Monday–Friday 1:30pm-3pm

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