

Mennonite Church of Normal

July 23, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Song of Praise

Jesus Calls Us

VT 30

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues

VT 78

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time

Like a Rock

VT 63

Scripture

1 Corinthians 13:4-5 and Hosea 14

Sermon

Strike Root

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

VT 156

Stewardship Affirmation

Offertory Song

Grant Us, God, the Grace

VT 746

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song

You Shall Go Out with Joy

VT 847

Sending Prayer

Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Ben Roeschley

Accompaniment: Dorothy Loepf

Prelude & Postlude: Denise, Lydia, & Charlotte Hedberg

Song Leader: Wayne Hochstetler

Children's Time: Steve Benner

Scripture Reader: Frank Driscoll

Sermon: Kevin Chupp

Pastoral Prayer: Lauren Satchwell

Tech: Ryan Miller & Wesley Hershberger

This Week:

Tuesday 7/25

3:00pm

Pastoral Team (Zoom)

Thursday 7/27

1:00pm

Comforter Top Creation

6:30pm

Administration Commission (Zoom)

Saturday 7/29

9:00am

Worship Commission (Zoom)

Sunday 7/30

5:00pm

Backyard BBQ

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 – 3rd Grades

Room 12 & 9

4th – 7th Grades

Room 8

8th Grade & High School

Room 7 & 5

Adult CE *The Way We Were and*

Room 4

Who We Became: A telling of oral histories

Building Open Hours: Monday, Thursday, & Friday 9am-11am

And Monday-Friday 1:30pm-3pm

Office Administrator: Lydia Hedberg | church@normalmennonite.org

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Custodian Rita Munkakusi

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Pastoral Team Leader, Vision Team, and Administration Commission

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