

Mennonite Church of Normal

September 24, 2023

Peace Sunday

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Song of Praise

God of Grace and God of Glory
Siyahamba (We Are Marching)

VT* 716

VT 793

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time

Jesus Loves Me

VT 516

Scripture

Genesis 32:22-30

Sermon

Striven

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song

Come, O Thou Traveler Unknown

VT 191

Honoring God with our Gifts

Offertory Song

Seeds

VT 777

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Special Music

He Touched Me

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

VT 989

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song

The Lord Lift You Up

VT 832

Sending Prayer

Postlude

**Voices Together Hymnal*

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Joe Culpepper

Children's Time: Louise Reeser

Accompaniment: Glenn Wilson

Scripture Reader: Liz Imhoff

Prelude & Postlude: Lydia Hedberg

Sermon: Kevin Chupp

Song Leader: Cindy Ropp

Pastoral Prayer: Kevin Chupp

This Week:

Sunday 9/24

12:00am

Q & A with Vision Team

Thursday 9/28

6:30pm

Administration Commission (Zoom)

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 – K Grades

Room 11

2nd – 4th Grades

Room 12 & 19

5th – 8th Grades

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

& Monday–Friday 1:30pm-3pm

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