

Mennonite Church of Normal

September 3, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Song of Praise

*Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing
The Love of God*

VT 7
VT 162

Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time

Jesus Loves Me

VT 516

Scripture

I Corinthians 13:8-13 & I John 4:7-16

Sermon

Love Never Ends

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

VT 638

Words of Confession and Assurance

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

More Than You Know

VT 598

Stewardship Affirmation

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song

May the Face of God Shine on You

VT 844

Benediction

Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Lynn Reha

Accompaniment, Prelude, & Postlude: Dorothy Loepp

Song Leader: Cindy Ropp

Children's Time: Nancy Fisher

Scripture Reader: Chellie Miller

Sermon: Ron Ropp

Pastoral Prayer: Lauren Satchwell

Tech:

This Week:

Monday 9/4

Office/Building Closed for Labor Day

Tuesday 9/5

7:30pm

Pastoral Team Search Committee
& Vision Team joint Meeting

Thursday 9/7

7:00pm

Spiritual Gifts Discernment Team (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

Closed: Monday, September 4th

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Pastoral Team Leader, Vision Team, and Administration Commission

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