

Mennonite Church of Normal

November 26, 2023

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Singing Praise to God

Song of Praise *All Creatures, Worship God Most High* VT* 81

Great Is Thy Faithfulness VT 419

Gathering Prayer

Hearing God's Word

Children's Time *God Welcomes All* VT 32

Scripture 2 Kings 22:1-10; 23:1-3

Sermon *Corvid Theology*

Receiving God's Grace

Response Song *Longing for Light* VT 715

Stewardship Affirmation

Offertory Hymn *Seek Ye First* VT 417

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Sent in the Spirit's Power

Sending Song *Fill Me Anew* VT 739

Sending Prayer

Postlude

**Voices Together Hymnal*

Assisting in Worship:

Worship Leader: Holly Zehr

Prelude, Postlude, & Accompaniment: Denise Hedberg

Song Leader: Barry Weaver

Children's Time: Nancy Fisher

Scripture Reader: Melika Hershberger

Sermon: Kevin Chupp

Pastoral Prayer: Lynette Miller

Tech: Glenn Wilson & Rick Harnish

This Week:

Sunday 11/26	6:00pm	Junior Choir
	7:00pm	Advent Choir
Tuesday 11/28	3:00pm	Pastoral Team (Zoom)
	5:00pm	Community Life Commission
Wednesday 11/29	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group
Thursday 11/30	7:00am	Next Man Bible Study
	9:00am	Brave and Beloved: Women's Bible Study
Saturday 12/2	9:00am	Worship Commission (Zoom)
	3:00pm	Advent Ensemble Rehearsal
Sunday 12/3	11:00am	Blood Pressure Readings
	6:00pm	Junior Choir
	7:00pm	Advent Choir

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
2 nd – 4 th Grades	Room 12 & 19
5 th – 8 th 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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