

# Mennonite Church of Normal

April 28, 2024

## Gather

Welcome and Congregational Life

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymns *To God Be the Glory* \*VT 84  
*Blessed Assurance* VT 435

Gathering Prayer

## Listen

Children's Time *To God Be the Glory* VT 84  
Scripture Acts 18:1-4; I Corinthians 1:10-18  
Sermon *Align and Advance*

## Respond

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon  
Response in Song *A Wonderful Savior Is Jesus* VT 626

Honoring God with Our Gifts

Response in Music

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

## Sent

Sending Song *Praise Him, Praise Him* VT 100

Lord's Prayer

Sending Prayer

Final Response *Praise Him, Praise Him* VT 100

*\*Voices Together Hymnal*

## Assisting in Worship:

**Worship Planner & Leader:** Joe Culpepper

**Accompaniment & Prelude:** Lydia Hedberg

**Song Leader:** Cindy Ropp

**Children's Time:** Shannon Neely

**Scripture Reader:** Sheila Kuria

**Sermon:** Shannon Neely

**Response in Music:** Denise Hedberg

**Pastoral Prayer:** Ron Ropp

**Tech:** Glenn Wilson & Rick Harnish

## This Week:

Sunday 4/28	3:00pm	Cantus Novus Choir Concert
Tuesday 4/29	3:00pm	Pastoral Team (Zoom)
Wednesday 5/1	9:30am	Wednesday Morning Book Group
Thursday 5/2	7:00am	Next Man Bible Study
	9:30am	Brave & Beloved Women's Bible Study

## 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 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> Grades	Room 12 & 19
5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grades	Room 8
High School	Room 7 & 5
Journey Group A (20's-30's)	Conference Room
Journey Group B (40's-50's)	Room 4
Journey Group C (60's and above)	Room 4

**Building Open Hours:** Monday, Wednesday–Friday 9am-11am

& Monday–Friday 1:30pm-3pm

**Office Administrator:** Lydia Hedberg | church@normalmennonite.org  
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