

# MENNO MENNONITE CHURCH

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10:00 a.m. Worship; 11:00 a.m. Sunday School

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Greeters: Don Kagele

Candlelighter: Benjamin Claassen

9:45am: Prelude

Liberty Quartet

**GATHERING:** Welcome

**COMMUNION SERVICE with Scriptural Meditation**

**Liberty Quartet will sing “Break Thou the Bread of Life”**

**Music Liberty Quartet**

Note: They will be leading some congregational songs. See insert.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS, JOYS, AND CONCERNS, PRAYER**

**OFFERING to support God’s Ministry by the Liberty Quartet**

**MCC Kurt Hildebrand,                      What MCC does with your \$”**

**Liberty Quartet**

**GO IN PEACE, JOY, AND GRATITUDE**

**There will be no Sunday School today**

All are invited to a Baked Potato Bar following the Service

## October 15

Greeters: Dorothy Franz

Candle Lighter: Zane Swinger

Accompanist: Music Team

Song Leader: Music Team

### **LOOKING FORWARD in the Worship Service:**

These will be scripturally based teachings on various aspects of our life towards becoming the person we were created to be.

10/15 Healthy Living: Physically—Pastor Lyn

10/22 Healthy Families—Healthy Church

10/29 Harvest Festival Ervin Stutzman speaking

11/12 Todd Haworth will be here regarding MDS opportunities

**HARVEST FEST—October 29—Erv Stutzman will be our speaker for the weekend. Sunday Service will be followed by a meal. Volunteers are needed for decorations, table set up, clean up, and Food Prep.**

**MDS—we will have a guest speaker here on November 12<sup>th</sup> to make us aware of MDS opportunities, a way to share our Christian love and message.**

**My Coins Count update:** The coins collected last Sunday October 1 set an all-time record -- \$403.26! With the 10% match added, the total for last Sunday will be \$766.14, which brings the grand total so far to \$1,418.05. The coins collected during the sale will be added to that total and sent to MCC to fund water projects, including projects to bring safe and clean drinking water to people as well as to deliver water for irrigating crops. Thanks to all who so generously supported this project; you truly are WINNERS!

The Christian Story based movie All Saints will be showing in the Ritzville Theatre Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm, Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm, and on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 3pm.

“Living a Life of Gratitude ”Washington Mennonite Fellowship  
Women’s Retreat November 3-5, 2017

Seattle Mennonite Women invite you to join us at beautiful Camp  
CAMREC. Living a Life of Gratitude: The praises and petitions of  
our lives rise and fall with the tides of “good” news and “bad”  
news. How do we anchor the highs and bolster the lows in order to  
find a steadiness of gratitude in our lives with God, neighbor, and  
self? We will explore: gratitude abundant, gratitude grounded,  
gratitude wrestled, and gratitude begotten.

Pastor Megan Ramer, of Seattle Mennonite Church, will be our  
leader. Megan joined the ministry team of Seattle Mennonite  
Church as Lead Pastor in September 2015, after a decade of  
pastoral ministry in Chicago. She is a graduate of Iliff School of  
Theology in Denver CO and Goshen College before that, as well as  
an alum of the Intermento Trainee Program in Germany and  
Switzerland. Somewhere in there, Megan made her home in Seattle  
for a few glorious years of exploring all that the city and  
surrounding gorgeous landscape have to offer. She is excited to be  
back in the Pacific Northwest, and eager to bring her passion for  
ministry to the SMC pastoral team. Reading and hiking are some  
of her favorite restorative activities. She also enjoys making baby  
quilts, going to concerts, frequenting the theatre to see her actor  
husband, Jon Stutzman, perform, and going on traveling  
adventures both large and small.

#### Tentative Schedule

**Friday:** Arrive anytime after 5:00, (dinner on your own), register  
and get settled. Evening games and ice-breakers, snacks.

**Saturday:** Morning session on gratitude after breakfast; free time  
and creative and active options after lunch; after  
nnergames/entertainment.

**Sunday:** Worship and session on gratitude after continental  
breakfast; brunch; clean up and leave by 1:00 ish.

#### What to Bring

Bedding, pillow, towel, flash light, weather appropriate shoes,  
clothing. Bible, plus any journal, book, craft projects, bicycle, or  
games you feel might be relaxing.

#### Directions to Camp CAMREC:

from Seattle: Go east on hwy 2 over Stevens Pass, then left onto  
hwy 207 at the Lake Wenatchee sign. Turn right at 209 toward

Plain. Go through Plain and up the curvy hill to Little Chumstick  
Creek Rd. where you turn left . Camp is 1.25 miles up the gravel  
road.

Or, take hwy 90 over Snoqualmie Pass to Cle Elum, where you  
exit north on hwy 97 toward Wenatchee. At the T , turn toward  
Leavenworth and use the following...

from Wenatchee: Take hwy 2 into Leavenworth, turning right on  
hwy 209/Chumstick hwy for about 12 miles. Turn right onto Little  
Chumstick Creek Rd., then 1.25 to camp.

Retreat cost will be \$75, covering food and lodging. . Registration  
can be done online at [camrec.org](http://camrec.org), or mailed to Hannah Haag,  
Seattle Mennonite Church, 3120 125th St., Seattle, Wa, 98125,  
using the lower part of this age.. Checks can be made to Seattle  
Mennonite Church. Deadline is Oct. 27. Questions ? Contact  
Anita Stokes 206-721-1902, [ajshowme@gmail.com](mailto:ajshowme@gmail.com).

Babes in arms and teenage daughters are welcome, as well as any  
friends you feel may enjoy the retreat.

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REGISTRATION

name\_\_\_\_\_church\_\_\_\_\_

address\_\_\_\_\_

phone\_\_\_\_\_

e-mail\_\_\_\_\_

I need a scholarship in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to contribute toward scholarships in the amount of  
\$\_\_\_\_\_

I have special request(s): (lodging, dietary,  
etc)\_\_\_\_\_

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