

MENNO MENNONITE CHURCH

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

February 23, 2020

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Greeters: Marge Dyck

Candlelighter: Zach Claassen

Accompanist: Katherine Swinger

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Announcements

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| Opening Song | <i>What is this Place</i> | HWB 1 |
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| Opening Song | <i>I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say</i> | HWB 493 |
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Offertory

Children's Story

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| Scripture | 2 Kings 2:2-14 | |
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| Message | Transfigured, Transformed | Bryce Miller |
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Matthew 17:1-9

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| Song | <i>The Love of God</i> | STJ 44 |
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Sharing and Response

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| Sending Song | <i>I'm Pressing on the Upward Way</i> | STJ 96 |
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Benediction

Menno Mennonite Church, a Christian Anabaptist Community, equips believers through relevant Worship and Study, and expresses God's love to others through Stewardship and Service.

All are welcome at a potluck next week **March 1** following the service & Sunday School. This will be a "true" potluck; bring what you will. Camrec director **Derrell Ness** will be our guest on a get-to-know you visit.

Menno Women in Mission is no longer collecting Box Tops for Education. Apparently, your receipt can be scanned for the school of your choice. Thank you for your past assistance in this project!

Bryce will be traveling March 5-14, going to Winnipeg for time with Emily and the kids. During this time, know that I remain available via email and phone/text at 509-761-9467. I will receive voicemails from the church line as well. Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Menno Church is requested to help staff the Ritzville Food Bank, 104 W. Main, during the month of February. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the church entry. Volunteers will assist with packaging and distribution of food to clients on site. No additional travel is required once you are on site. Instructions will be provided prior to 9:00 a.m. so plan to arrive about 15' early. Volunteers will be requested to sign in. Each day begins with a group prayer before clients enter. Dress warmly in layers as the facility is on the cool side and drafty. Questions? See **Linda Reimer** or call **660-0103**.

This year's nature retreat at camp CAMREC, Birds, Blossoms, Bikes and Beyond, will be the **weekend of June 5-7**. This is a great time of year at camp to enjoy wildflowers, hiking, biking, sketching, photographing, just relaxing. **All ages welcome.** Questions to Anita Stokes (206-721-1902) or Ric Troyer for bikers (206-706-0529) **Other upcoming camp events: Women's Retreat April 24-26, Spring meetings and work day May 1-3.**

As part of its "Climate Justice: Learn, Pray, Join" Initiative, **Mennonite Church USA is providing a free webinar on “Caring for climate: Beyond denial and despair” on Feb. 27 at 7:30-9:00 p.m. ET.** The panel discussion will explore ways that congregational ministries can help people navigate the myriad emotions they experience related to climate and how they can move from inaction to hopeful engagement.

Register at: <http://mennoniteusa.org/climatejustice/webinar/>

Dr. James Juhnke will be the speaker at the March 8 annual meeting of the Swiss Mennonite Cultural and Historical Association held at 2:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Bethel College Mennonite Church. “Mennonite Museum in Uzbekistan” is the title of the presentation. He will tell about the history of the Mennonite community that lived for fifty years near the city of Khiva, and how that community is now celebrated in a new museum in Khiva. He will address why the Mennonites moved to a Muslim area and why the Muslims there created a museum that remembers the Mennonites. The Handbell Choir of the Bethel College Mennonite Church will provide music. Election of SMCHA officers for 2020 will be held and there will be an opportunity for members to give counsel and ask questions. Refreshments will be served. No reservations are needed.

Next Sunday, March 1, 2020

Greeters: Gene & Dorene Claassen
Candlelighter: Justin Gering
Accompanist: Music Team
Songleader: Music Team