

# MENNO MENNONITE CHURCH

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10:00 a.m. Worship

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| Prelude                                   |   | Sharon Meyer                     |
| Announcements                             |   |                                  |
| Call to Worship                           |   |                                  |
| <b>Praising</b>                           |   |                                  |
| <i>Brethren, We Have Met to Worship</i>   |   | VT 25                            |
| <i>To God Be the Glory</i>                |   | VT 84                            |
| <b>Hearing the Story</b>                  |   |                                  |
| Scripture                                 | Luke 14:1-14                                |                                  |
| Offering                                  |   |                                  |
| <i>This Love</i>                          |   | Prodigal No More<br>Caleb Froese |
| Children's Story                          |   |                                  |
| Sermon                                    | <i>A Seat at the Table</i><br>Luke 14:15-24 | Emily Toews                      |
| <b>Responding</b>                         |   |                                  |
| <i>There is a Wideness in God's Mercy</i> |   | VT 156                           |
| Sharing our Joys and Concerns             |   |                                  |
| Pastoral Prayer                           |   |                                  |
| <b>Sending</b>                            |   |                                  |
| <i>We are Often Tossed and Driven</i>     |   | VT 311                           |
| 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.*

## Announcements and Coming Events:

**The start of the Sunday School year** will kick off with the traditional Sunday School picnic. After the Sunday School hour, make your way to the Fellowship Hall; hamburgers and all the fixings, plus dessert will be provided. **Please bring a side to share with others.** There will be games on the lawn following the picnic. Plan to attend a Sunday School class and stay for a fun afternoon!

**Our lawn maintenance person, Steve Farrow** lost his home and shop this past week in the Lind wildfire. The church board has put a plate on the piano in the back of the sanctuary if you would like to contribute to help Steve during this time. This is a non-deductible contribution.

**Menno's mid-week women's Bible Study** will be starting up again this fall. The group meets every Wednesday via Zoom from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m., beginning September 14. For the fall, the group will be using Beth and Melissa Moore's "Now That Faith Has Come: A Study of Galatians" book and video series. Newcomers are welcome to join; please contact Barb Franz by phone or email if you are interested in participating.

## MCA News

**A MCA Committee meeting will gather following worship today** to check in about plans the preparations for the sale. Please stay for what is anticipated to be a brief meeting

**The Mennonite Country Auction is a couple of weeks away** and we need your help! We are looking for auction items! Hand-crafted items sell extremely well. Other items you might consider are "Vacation get-a-ways," new household item, new outdoor games, tickets to sporting events or the theater. The auction committee would like to know about your items as soon as possible so that we can begin advertising the items! Please contact with your items or questions.

**The Menno Women in Mission ladies are once again organizing the My Coins Count campaign** in support of MCC projects. The collection of coins will begin on Sunday September 11, and continue on September 18 and September 25. Please gather all of your spare change and plan to bring it to church so that you have coins to drop in the buckets of the little coin gatherers. Some "lucky winners" will be drawn to match 10% of that Sunday's collection.

### **This Sunday**

Preacher: Emily Toews

Accompanist: Sharon Meyer

Greeters: Barb and Randy Franz

### **Next Sunday**

Preacher: Bryce Miller

Musician: Tim Schrag

### **Denominational Announcements**

**Jeryl Hollinger, the pastor of Mountain View Mennonite Church in Kalispell, Montana**, participated in the Special Session of the Delegate Assembly in May. In his blog, “A more vibrant garden,” he encourages the members of Mennonite Church USA to keep learning, listening and communicating honestly with one another. Read his encouraging words here: [mennoniteusa.org/more-vibrant-garden](http://mennoniteusa.org/more-vibrant-garden)

**Please pray for those leading and participating** in the Pacific Southwest Mennonite Conference Annual Fall Gathering on Sept. 9 and 10. May God bless their time together.