



# Hutterthal Mennonite Church

*Christ-centered - Living, Relating, Serving*

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## **Prelude**

*Now Thank We All Our God/Let All Things Now Living*

*Arranged by Brant Adams*

## **Call To Worship**

## **Opening Prayer**

## **Welcome**

## **Gathering Hymn**

*Jesus Christ is waiting*

STJ #30

## **Children's Time**

## **Worship Music**

*But the Lord is mindful of His own*

*O rest in the Lord*

## **Offering**

*Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* Arranged by Ed Hogan

## **Prayer**

*You are salt for the earth*

HWB #226

## **Sharing Time**

## **Scripture**

**Colossians 1: 3-6 (Page #620 in pew Bible)**

## **Sermon**

**"The Growing Gospel"**

## **Congregational Prayer**

## **Sending Hymn**

*For we are strangers no more*

HWB #322

## **Benediction**

## **Musical Response**

## **Postlude**

*No Not One with No, Not One!* Arranged by Victor Labenske

## Praise & Prayer Concerns

- Anita Watkins (Rebecca Hofer's mother) - Treatment options
- Moses Glanzer - At Oakview Terrace receiving therapy
- Paul and Serena Manickam of Mennonite Mission Network, along with two Colombian missionary families, work with the Iquitos Mennonite Church in Peru to offer a children's ministry, education, and gardening. Pray for grace and wisdom as this cross-cultural team responds to God's call to make earth more like heaven.
- Additional Concerns

### TODAY - August 26

*Greeters:* Todd & Suzanne Koerner

**9:45 am: Sunday School**

*Accompanist:* Amy Hofer Vetch

Audrey Graber— Cello

*Worship Leader:* Amanda Mettler

*Children's Time:* Bekka Kramer

*Worship Music:* Vernon & Norma Hofer

*Message:* Joe Mason

**10:45: Worship Service**

*Coffee Time:* Paige & Preston Zachariasen

### NEXT SUNDAY - September 2

*Greeters:* Vernon J. & Norma Lee Hofer

**9:45 am: Worship Service**

*Accompanist:* Paige Zachariasen

*Worship Leader:* Amanda Mettler

*Children's Time:* Kylea Waltner

*Worship Music:* Men's Quartet arranged by Vernon P. & Twyla Hofer

*Message:* Pastor Jack

*Coffee Time:* Vernon & Norma Hofer

**10:45: Sunday School**

## August Projects

**Congregational Ministries:** School Kits for MCC

**Children's S.S. Department:** MCC School Kits



### **Items needed for School Kits (NEW only):**

- 4 spiral or perforated-pages notebooks (8.5 in x 10.5 in and 70 sheets)
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30 cm; inch markings optional)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 2 new black or blue ballpoint pens

## *Calendar of Events*

**Today, August 26: Sunday School at 9:45, Service at 10:45**

**September 9:** Teacher Recognition Sunday

**Noon:** Pot Luck for Pastor Jack and Cathy's Return

**September 15-16:** Central Plains Mennonite Women's Retreat

**September 20, 8 PM:** Board Meeting

## *Community and Beyond*

There is still time to register for the

### *Central Plains Women's Retreat*

at Swan Lake Christian Camp in Viborg on **September 15 & 16, 2018!**

Heather Coaster Goertzen will speak on the theme  
*"Empowered, Embodied, Beloved".*

Come to listen, reflect, and celebrate each other as

*Women of Faith.*

Cost: \$95 which includes meals, camp fees and women retreat expenses. See poster and registration forms in the foyer. Details of the weekend on the Facebook page **FACEBOOK.COM/PMWOMEN.**

Registration due **September 7.**

**"Because Kids Matter to God",** the **Awana Program** is touching the lives of our community children. It is a non-denominational program held at the **Bethany Church**, but staffed from the community.

Awana takes place during the school year on **Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 8:00 PM.** It features a Bible message, NIV Bible verse memory and game time.

**The Et Cetera Shoppe** is looking for people interested in continuing our tradition of making loom rugs from items that would otherwise be discarded. Weaving is a great job for anyone who enjoys working with

their hands, or being crafty with fabric. A rug can usually be made in 3-4 hours. This is a flexible position, and can be done when other volunteers are around to visit with, or during quiet times when you just want to listen to music! The strips are already cut and sewn together, all we need is someone to weave them! To express interest, call the shop at 925-7098 or stop in and visit with the manager on duty.



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