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January 27, 2019

#### **Praise Music** *Heart with loving heart united* HWB #420 *My hope is built on nothing less* HWB #343 Prelude **Call to Worship** Leader: At all times I will bless the Lord. People: God's praise will be in my mouth continually, and I will shout 'Alleluia!' Leader: Celebrate the greatness of the Lord with me. All: Let us exalt God's mighty name together. Prayer Welcome **Gathering Hymn** The King of love my shepherd is HWB #170 Children's Time Worship Music Hush! Somebody's Callin' My Name arr. Brazeal Dennard **Moment in Mission Prayer of Blessing Offering**/Prayer Savior, like a Shepherd lead us HWB #355 **Sharing Time Congregational Prayer** Scripture James 2:1-13(Pg. #637); 1 Samuel 16:7(Pg. #155) Sermon "No Favoritism" Sending Hymn *I heard the voice of Jesus say* HWB #493

#### Benediction Doxology Musical Response Postlude

# Prayer Requests

- Our Church Family– Continue to pray for healing
- LeRoy Hofer- coping with cancer
- Dennis Schrock- Hospitalized with Sepsis
- Additional Requests

# TODAY - January 27

Greeters: Brigitta Hofer & Monica Clem 9:30 am: Praise Music led by Jaden Thomas 9:45 am: Worship Service Accompanists: Amy Hofer Vetch Worship Music: Men's Quartet Worship Leader: Bekka Kramer Moment in Mission: Monica Clem Prayer of Blessing: Children's Time: Pastor Jack Scandrett Scripture Reading: Cameron Hofer Message: Pastor Jack Scandrett Coffee Time: Vernon & Twyla Hofer 10:45 am: Sunday School for all ages

### NEXT SUNDAY - February 3

Greeters: Donovan & Sherryl Friesen 9:30 am: Praise Music led by Bekka Kramer 9:45 am: Worship Service Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch Worship Music: Darnell & Lori Tschetter Worship Leader: Cole Hofer Children's Time: Pastor Jack Scandrett Scripture Reading: John Clem Message: Pastor Jack Scandrett Coffee Time: Cameron & Rina Hofer 10:45 am: Sunday School for all ages Our congregation has been blessed to have Pastor Jack and Cathy ministering among us this past year. The Church Board has invited Pastor Jack to continue in his role as Transitional Pastor through December 31, 2019. We are pleased to announce that he has accepted this invitation.

> A special prayer of blessing for this renewed commitment to serve here at HMC will be offered today during the worship service.

# Calendar of Events

Today, January 27: Soup & Study, child care provided February 11, 1:30pm: 2nd Tuesdays Prayer Shawl Ministry February 20, 7:00pm: Monthly Board Meeting

Websites for sermon series and prayer: LifeWay.com Sermon Series: Pressure Points/Book of James/ Bible Studies for Life.

**Please note:** On your 2019 Congregational Ministries Project List, the date for Work Night is correct as April 10 but that it is Wednesday, not Monday, as printed.

### January Projects

**Congregational Ministries:** Blankets, sheets & towels for MCC **Children's S.S. Department:** Food Pantry

### Community and Beyond

**Rural Revival** will hold its monthly meeting at **8 pm** at the Freeman Public Library on **Monday, January 28th**. Come see what we're all about!

In preparation for **Schmeckfest**, cottage cheese pockets will be made **Jan. 29th**, **Feb. 5th and Feb. 12th**.

We will start at **9 A.M.** in the Pioneer Hall kitchen on the Freeman Academy Campus. Bring your rolling pin and be prepared for a fun time of fellowship. Lunch may be purchased at the school. At the beginning of a new year the South Dakota Mennonite Disaster Service gives thanks to God for blessing our area with only minor disasters in 2018. We did, however, continue to support the National MDS project at Pine Ridge and will again do so in 2019. In October we hosted the Region 3 MDS annual meeting and in early December, 5 SDMDS persons volunteered to finish a remodeling project at the Sacred Shawl Society shelter for abused women and children at Martin, SD.

We are very grateful for the wonderful support that our communities, churches, and individuals have shown to us. We thank you for your support in prayers, very generous donations, and the volunteering of your time. May God Bless you for these many ways you show love and compassion.

-South Dakota Mennonite Disaster Service board of directors.

The Mennonite Central Committee Central States board of directors invites you to their Annual Meeting on February 23 at 10 a.m. at MCC in North Newton, Kansas (121 E. 30th).

MCC welcomes alumni to host reunions at the Welcoming Place in Akron, Pennsylvania, in 2020 as we celebrate our 100th anniversary.

To see if a reunion is already scheduled for the country where you served or to organize a reunion,

contact alumni@mcc.org.

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