



Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ-centered - Living, Relating, Serving

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August 13, 2017

Prelude

*Come, Thou Almighty King
Holy, Holy, Holy*

Gathering Hymns

*Come, Thou Almighty King
We Praise Thee, O God*

HWB #41
HWB #99

Welcome/Call to Worship

Prayer

Children's Time

Living Water

Sharing Time

Congregational Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Worship Music

Scripture Reading

John 4: 3-42 (Pew Bible p. 562)

Time of Offering

Offering Invitation

Offertory Music

Joy, Joy, Joy

Offertory Prayer

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

STJ #95

Message

A Well of Salvation

Slowly Turning, Ever Turning

STJ #23

Benediction

Musical Response

Postlude

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Jarrod & Rebekka Kramer (wed yesterday)
- Jaime Tschetter (MVS assignment began August 12)
- College Students returning to campus
- Additional Prayers

TODAY - August 13, 2017

Greeters: Lyndon & Barbie Hofer

9:45am: Worship

Accompanist: Charlene Friesen with Peyton McCune

Worship Leader: Todd Koerner

Worship Music: LaVonne Tschetter

Message & Children's Message: Pastor Todd

Coffee Time: Stan & Jill Hofer

11:10 am: Sunday School for all ages

2:00pm: Baby Shower

NEXT SUNDAY - August 20, 2017

Greeters: Cameron & Rina Hofer

9:45am: Worship Service

Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch

Worship Music: Andre & Lillie Eisenbeis

Message & Children's Message: Pastor Todd

Coffee Time: Carrol & Glenda Langeland

11:10 am: Sunday School for all ages

12:00pm: Potluck Fellowship

AUGUST PROJECTS

- Congregational Ministries: MCC School Kits
- Children's S.S. Department MCC School Kits

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 13, 2:00pm: Baby shower for Melissa & baby, Chris Hofer

7:00pm: Movie on Main Street

August 20: Fellowship Potluck

August 23: First Day of School (Freeman Public)

12:00pm: FNJP (Freeman Public Library)

August 24: First Day of School (Freeman Academy)

A **Baby Shower** is being planned for Christopher and Melissa Hofer on *TODAY* at 2:00 here at Hutterthal.

Movie On Main Street: This evening the Jackson Lee Vetch Memorial Fund Board will be sponsoring the movie "Sully" on Main Street in Freeman. This is a free event and a great time for the whole family! Brats, Dogs, and Pulled Pork Sandwiches will be available for sale along with popcorn, ice cream, and candy. So, bring your own chair and join us this evening beginning at 7:00pm.

Students of all ages, teachers, and school staff, please plan on joining us on August 20, 2017 during worship for a "**Backpack Blessing.**" Students are asked to bring their backpacks to church for this special time of prayer.

Celebrating Summer! We will be enjoying a time of **potluck fellowship** on **Sunday, August 20** after Sunday School at noon. Plan to come and enjoy good food and good fellowship. Please bring a dish to share, if you are able. Come to the potluck, even if you don't bring anything. We hope to see you there! --The Deacons

Rural Revival will be holding their monthly (August) meeting at the Freeman Public Library on Monday, Aug 14, at 8:00 pm. Please note that our regular meeting schedule has now changed to the second Monday of each month. Everyone is welcome.

Brenda Yoder of Dove's Nest will present a **Circle of Grace curriculum training workshop** at Salem-Zion Mennonite Church from 7:00-8:30 p.m. on Monday, August 21. Sunday school teachers and those who work with children or youth are especially invited to attend. Dove's Nest's mission is to empower and equip faith communities to keep children and youth safe in their homes, churches, and communities. There is no charge for the training, but please RSVP by Aug. 18 to salemzion@gwtc.net.

The **Salem Mennonite Home** in Freeman, is looking for individuals who would like to volunteer to spend some time with our residents. Volunteer activities could be things such as: reading to a resident with poor eyesight, playing a game, doing a craft project, cooking or baking, or even calling Bingo. The possibilities are endless. Please prayerfully consider sharing a bit of your free time with our residents. To get started please call Denise Peterson at the Salem Mennonite Home at 925-4994.

Searching for an exciting way to serve? MCC is urgently searching for a Canner Operator, with CDL truck driving experience, to travel with the mobile cannery before the season begins in October. Canner Operators travel to 30 different locations in the United States and Canada, canning meat, which is then sent around the world to hungry people. Come serve in this exciting way! Meet new people, and take advantage of experiences you'll never forget. For more information please contact John Hillegass at johnhillegass@mcc.org or (717) 859-1151.

Jordan Penner joins MCC Central States as the new Donor Relations Associate, working from Denver, Colorado! Prior to accepting this position, Jordan, along with his wife Jenny, served with MCC in Bolivia. We are excited to have Jordan join our staff and hope you get to meet him soon!

Registration is now open: Sat., Nov. 18, 4th biennial Worship and the Arts Symposium at Bethel College, “Seasons of the Soul: Enacting the Mystery of Faith,” with special guest presenter and resource person Ted Swartz. Symposium registration includes Swartz’s performance of “Slightly Left of Normal,” Fri., Nov. 17, in Krehbiel Auditorium (admission charge for non-symposium registrants). Registration discount for groups of 3 or more from a single congregation – for a complete schedule and online registration, see bethelks.edu/worshiparts

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