



Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ-centered - Living, Relating, Serving

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PEACE SUNDAY September 24, 2017

Prelude	~ <i>Martin His Eye is on the Sparrow</i>
Gathering Hymn	
<i>O Breath of Life</i>	STJ #35
Welcome/Call to Worship	
Prayer	
Moment in Mission	
Children's Time	Shalom Reward Books
Sharing Time	
Congregational Prayer	
Lord's Prayer	
Worship Music	
<i>Let There Be Light, Lord God</i>	HWB #371
Time of Offering	
Offering Invitation	
Offertory Music	<i>Change My Heart, O God ~ Espinosa</i>
Offertory Prayer	
Scripture Reading	Matthew 20: 1-16 (Pew Bible p 520)
Message	The Basic Unfairness of God
Sending Hymn	
<i>In Christ There is No East or West</i>	HWB #306
Benediction	
Musical Response	
Postlude	

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Jones family during this time of transition
- Rina's parents, brother and extended family in St Croix have been hit the second time by hurricanes in 2 weeks. They have suffered severe wind and water damage. Rina has not been able to make contacts because of down cell towers. Pray that this can happen soon.
- Those affected by the hurricanes, fires & earthquake
- Additional Prayers

TODAY - September 24, 2017

Greeters: John & Monica Clem

9:45 am: Worship Service

Accompanist: Edie Tschetter

Song Leader: Les Rensink

Worship Leader: Monica Clem

Children's Message: Mary Rensink

Worship Music: Steve & Charlene Friesen

Moment in Mission: Library Committee

Message: Eric Deckert

Coffee Time: Dennis & Marcia Schrock

11:10 am: Sunday School for all ages

NEXT SUNDAY - October 1, 2017

Greeters: Larry & Nicolle Timmerman

9:45 am: Worship Service

Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch

Worship Leader:

Children's Message:

Message:

Coffee Time: Merlin & Sylvia Hofer

SEPTEMBER PROJECTS

Congregational Ministries: Cash – Mennonite Women and Mennonite Men, Mennonite Church USA

WOMEN: \$24 supports the International Women's Fund, the annual Bible Study guide and the Mennonite Women Board of Directors and Human Resources

MEN: MC USA Mennonite Men's JOIN HANDS Program - Mennonite Church Building Program

Children's S.S. Department: Bethany Food Pantry

Send info for the following to hutterthal@goldenwest.net

- **Church bulletin** - deadline is Thursday noon.
- **Connection!** - deadline is Wednesday noon, September 27.
- **Church calendar schedule.**

Remember to inform Dennis Schrock, Todd Koerner or Monica Clem about any hospitalizations, serious illness or other visitation needs. Dennis is in Indiana this weekend at a reunion but will be back Monday.

The first Central Plains **Bible Study Webinar** is coming soon! Join us at **7:30 pm on Tuesday, September 26**, for Don't Mourn or Weep: Goals and Problems. We'll start with how leaders can contribute to a good study and move on to addressing the biggest challenges leaders encounter. These free webinars are especially for Sunday School teachers of youth and adults or facilitators of small groups, but anyone is welcome. **RSVP** on the Bible Study Webinars 2017 page at www.centralplainsmc.org by **Thursday, September 21**.

CONNECTING TO THE COMMUNITY

The **Freeman Junior College and Freeman Academy Corporation** will hold its **annual meeting** on **September 25** in the Pioneer Hall Dining Hall. The business meeting will begin at **7:30 pm** with reports from the 2016-17 fiscal year. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. All constituents are encouraged to attend.

The Freeman Academy Dorm has often been blessed by members of the community with meat donations. These donations are the basis of many great meals and they help us stay within our food budget. As the new school year gets underway, we are hoping to stock the freezer with a variety of meats, and while there is plenty of ground beef, we could use any other type or cut. Talk to Andre or Lillie Eisenbeis or call the dorm at 925-4289 if you feel led to help us meet this need. Thank you for your ongoing support!

The **2017 SD MCC Sale** was a success! More than 70 volunteers along with many more donors came together in community to net over \$43,000 for the mission of MCC. Thank you. The board met on Sept. 18 to discuss the future of the sale. In order to successfully plan for a sale event next summer, the board set a deadline of Oct 29 to fill three empty positions (of six) on our board. If those positions cannot be filled, support for MCC will fall to individuals and churches in the future; **without a full board, the SD MCC Sale will cease to exist**. Please talk to Edie if you are interested, or know of anyone who might be interested, in serving on the board.

For more information on Hutterthal Mennonite Church happenings visit www.HMCFreeman.org