



## Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered- Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, September 12, 2021

9:45 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship and Prayer

\*Gathering and Praising

*Come, Christians Join to Sing* VT #28

all verses; verse 3 in unison

*Thy Word is a Lamp* VT #398

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Story

Special Music

*Whisper a Prayer in the Morning*

*Praise Him Praise Him*

Scripture Reading James 3:13-4:17 , Pew Bible p. 637-638

Message

"Humility"

Offering Prayer

Responding and Sending *God, Grant Us Mercy* VT #142

*O Breath on Me, O Breath of God* STJ #46

\*Benediction

Postlude

\*please stand if you are able

HMC Service may be viewed on our web-page:

[www.HMCFreeman.org](http://www.HMCFreeman.org)

**TODAY Sept. 12, 9:45 am**

**Accompanist:** Amy Hofer Vetch

**Worship Leader:** Donovan Friesen

**Presenter:** Morgan Koehler

**Children's Time:** Sunday School Kick-off

Barbie Hofer and Rebecca Hofer

**Special Music:** pianist, Alyssa Hofer

arranged by Chad and Rebecca Hofer

**Message:** Pastor Randall

**Coffee Time:** Jarrod and Bekka Kramer

**10:45: Sunday School for all ages**

**NEXT SUNDAY September 19, 9:45 am Peace Sunday**

**Accompanist:** Charlene Friesen

**Worship Leader:** Joline and Jaden Thomas

**Presenter:** Pastor Randall

**Moment in Mission:** Lynelle Allison

**Children's Time:** Shalom Awards :

Rebecca Hofer and Charlene Friesen

**Message:** Pastor Randall

**Coffee Time:** Gordon and Sharon Waltner

**10:45: Sunday School for all ages**

**CALENDER:**

TODAY: Sunday School Kick-off

September 16: 8:00 pm. HMC Board Meeting

September 18-19: Central Plains Mennonite Women's Retreat

September 27: Deadline for ordering new hymnal

October 17: HMC picnic after Sunday School

October 31: Harvest Mission Festival

**HMC September Project:** Mennonite Women/Men MCUSA Cash project.

**Interested in owning a new Hymnal?** If you are interested in having your own copy of the new hymnal that we are using on Sunday mornings, please let Kathy know by September 27. Depending on the number of copies ordered, the cost will be no more than \$35 per copy.

**Wellspring Wholistic Care Center** will be hosting their annual business meeting on September 21st, at 7:00 pm at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Freeman. All are invited and welcome to attend.

**Bienvenidos a Brookings Invitation:** Bienvenidos a Brookings has appreciated the support of the Freeman Community of their work in the immigrant community of Flandreau. They would like to express their thanks in person on **Sunday night, Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m.** by serving SDSU ice cream in the Salem-Zion Hall. You are invited to come and hear a recent update of the current happenings in Flandreau.

**Central Plains Mennonite Women's Retreat:** Join together at the annual Mennonite Women's Retreat this **September 18-19** for a time of reflection and leisure. Lodging and meals provided: \$95 for the full weekend, or \$40 for Saturday, \$25 for Sunday. **Register by TOMORROW** at: <https://myslcc.com/register/> or call Judy at the camp (605) 326-5690. See the Central Plains Mennonite Women Facebook page for updates and more information on our speaker Kate Friesen.

**Donations to the Et Cetera Shoppe** have been slow for the past few weeks. We rely on your donations to stock our shelves and to fill our beautiful updated store. As we transition from summer into fall, consider the following: have you cleaned out your kitchen cabinets lately? Have you been storing fall-themed home décor items that you won't be using? Do you have like-new books in your collection that you're done with? Good-condition toys that your kids have outgrown? Do you have a piece of furniture that you're tired of storing? Is it time for a purge of your sewing and crafting supplies? Is there clothing in your closet that you didn't wear once in the past year? Consider bringing us these items as you do your fall housecleaning – your donations are tax-deductible and help us to remain an exciting store that supports an important mission

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### **Prayer Requests and Praise:**

- Lord, we give you thanks for being the Lord of all the seasons of our lives. From birth to death, you hold us in your hands and feed us with the abundance of the earth and the love of your Spirit. Especially in this day, we give you thanks for those who work in the earth you have created—farmers and gardeners, who till the soil, plant the seed, tend the crops, and harvest so others may eat. We give you thanks for those who with hard toil and long hours will fill our tables with the gifts of your gracious hand. Remind us often that every good and perfect gift comes from you and that those who live close to the land we love work with you as co-creators of the crops that feed us.
- Jane and Jerrell Ross Richer's family is together on the North American part of their two-way mission — between Ecuador and the United States — through Mennonite Mission Network. Pray for God's leading, as health issues and logistical problems, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, have caused many changes to their plans.

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