



Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered- Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, October 17, 2021

9:45 a.m.

Prelude

Wonderful words of Life
by Philip P. Bliss, arr. Mark Hayes

Call to Worship and Prayer

*Gathering and Praising

For the Healing of the Nations HWB #367
O Breath of Life STJ #35

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Time

Moment in Mission

Scripture Reading

Ruth 2, Pew Bible p.145

Message

"Kindness"

Offering Prayer

Responding and Sending

In the Morning When I Rise STJ #45
Will you let me be your servant HWB #307

*Benediction

STJ #156

Postlude

The Solid Rock
by William B. Bradbury, arr. Mark Hayes

*please stand if you are able

HMC Service may be viewed on our web-page:

www.HMCFreeman.org

TODAY Oct. 17, 9:45 am

Accompanist: Charlene Friesen

Worship Leader: Amanda Mettler

Precentor: Pastor Randall

Children's Time: Brigitta Hofer

Moment in Mission: Roger Tieszen with the Gideons

Message: Pastor Randall

Coffee Time: Cameron and Rina Hofer

10:45: Sunday School for all ages

HMC picnic following Sunday School

NEXT SUNDAY October 24, 9:45 am

Accompanist: Norma Hofer

Worship Leader:

Precentor: Marj Hofer

Special Music: Marj Hofer

Children's Time: Charlene Friesen

Message: Pastor Randall

Coffee Time: Delmer and Shirley Hofer

10:45: Sunday School for all ages

CALENDAR:

TODAY: HMC picnic after Sunday School

October 20: HMC Board meeting

October 31: Harvest Mission Festival

Brian and Maria Paff will be speaking; Meal to follow.

Watch for more information in the coming weeks.

HMC October Project: MCC Relief kits

Fundraising Committee will be taking donations in the HMC Library, for the Freeman Academy, TODAY.

HMC Church Picnic: We will have a church picnic on October 17th after Sunday School at the Pool Park. If the weather is not nice, we will move it to our church basement. We will provide hot dogs, drinks, plates, and silverware. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. After the meal we will play games. Come enjoy an afternoon of fun! If you have any questions, please contact Rina or Kylea.

Community Service Day on October 22, 2021. Freeman Academy students and staff will be loving their neighbors who need help with fall clean up by raking leaves on October 22, 2021. Please call Freeman Academy main office at 925-4237 x221 and provide your name and address. About 20 Freeman residents receive assistance each year.

FREEMAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY FUND DRIVE It is a privilege to have the Freeman Regional Health Services in our community. In the past we have had a fund drive during the month of May and soup day at the Senior Citizen's center in Freeman. Because of Covid we have not had the fund drive and it has been decided not to have Soup Day for the second year in a row. We are having a fund drive in October this year asking for cash donations instead of asking for food, working at soup day, or food for the bake sale. The donations will help to purchase needed equipment for the hospital, nursing home, and clinic. Your participation in this fund drive will be greatly appreciated. There will be boxes at the banks and the grocery stores in Freeman where you may drop your donations, or give them to the designated person in your church, who is Barbie Hofer by October 31, 2021. THANK YOU!

Rural Revival to meet October 25: The Rural Revival monthly meeting will be at 8 pm in the Freeman Public Library, downtown Freeman.

Region 3 MDS Annual Meeting: You are invited to the Region 3 Annual Meeting November 12th and 13th in Hesston Kansas. Throughout the weekend you will have opportunities to meet/greet some of the MDS binational staff and learn about MDS activities. Online registration is at <https://tinyurl.com/2xa9bys9>. There are no registration fees. Meeting in a hybrid fashion (local and virtual) Local -- masks and social distancing
Virtual -- zoom meeting at <https://tinyurl.com/2e4v6ups>

On Oct. 26, Nov. 6, and Nov. 16, Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary and Mennonite Men are co-sponsoring *Knowing Your Narrative: Unpacking Our Stories of Masculinity and Equity*. This three-part series of events, facilitated by Ben Tapper with the Kindred Collective, seeks to unpack narratives around masculinity, faith, and equity. For more info and to register visit ambs.edu/narrative. Early registration ends October 19.



Would you like to use your vocational skills *and* spiritual gifts in your place of employment? Mennonite Mission Network may be the place for you. We will be adding to our team across several departments, with immediate openings and more coming soon. Join us in sharing the good news of Christ across the street and around the world. Visit MennoniteMission.net/Employment or scan the QR code to find all open positions.

Prayer Requests and Praise:

- Mennonite Mission Network's partner, Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission, is meeting with international representatives in Burkina Faso and Congo this month. Pray for wisdom, as church leaders from many countries, including first-time representation from the Angolan Mennonite churches, evaluate their ministries and discern God's direction.
- Pray for the pastors of CPMC who will meet in Omaha next weekend to learn from Scott Peterson about "Following Christ in a Partisan World". May it be a fruitful time of learning and fellowship

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