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Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered-Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, October 3, 2021 9:45 a.m.

World Wide Communion Sunday

Prelude

Call to Worship and Prayer

*Gathering and Praising

Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises in English VT #473
Rain Down VT #703

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Time

Special Music It is Well

Scripture Reading Matthew 26: 17-30 Pew Bible p. 525

Message "Our Lord's Supper

Communion

Offering Prayer

Responding and Sending *My Life Goes On* VT #605

Seed, Scattered and Sown VT #477

*Benediction VT #1059

Postlude

*please stand if you are able

HMC Service may be viewed on our web-page:

www.HMCFreeman.org

TODAY Oct. 3 9:45 am

World Wide Communion Sunday

Accompanist: Paige Zachariasen Worship Leader: Brandon Waltner

Precentor: Aprille Birkey

Children's Time: Brandon Waltner

Special Music: performed by Kenny and Aprille Birkey

arranged by Delmer and Shirley Hofer

Message: Pastor Randall

Coffee Time: Steve and Charlene Friesen

Scholarship Committee offering plate in the foyer

10:45: Sunday School for all ages

NEXT SUNDAY October 10, 9:45 am

Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch

Worship Leader:

Precentor: Morgan Koehler

Special Music: Freeman Academy Moment in Mission: Nathan Epp Moment in Mission: Jeff Koller

Message: Pastor Randall Coffee Time: Sylvia Hofer

10:45: Sunday School for all ages

CALENDAR:

October 10: 2:00 pm - SD MDS annual meeting held at HMC

October 17: HMC picnic after Sunday School

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

World Communion Sunday: We will be gathering together at the Lord's table today. Please join us as we remember Jesus's broken body and shed blood during the worship service. A benevolent fund offering will be collected. Please contact the deacons with any financial needs within our church family. This fund is privately administered by the HMC deacons.

Freeman Academy's Fall Concert – October 7th, Pioneer Hall Gym, 7:30 pm The Freeman Academy concert band (grades 7-12) and grades 4-12 choirs present their Fall Concert, Thursday, October 7 at 7:30 p.m. Freeman Academy music department instructors are Donna Ries, Instrumental and Amy Hofer Vetch, Vocal.

 The concert is open to the public. We ask audience members to enter and leave the gym wearing a mask. Audience members are welcome to remove their masks once seated.

SDMDS Annual Meeting: You are invited to attend the annual meeting of the South Dakota Mennonite Disaster Service to be held at the Hutterthal Mennonite Church, Freeman, SD on October 10, 2021 at 2:00 pm. Introduction will be made to the newly elected Region 3 chairman, Tim Schrag. Region 3 Operations Coordinator, Jeff Koller, will share about Pinhook, Pine Ridge and disasters in Region 3. The business meeting will present information and pictures of the Pine Ridge Volunteer/EMS center which Region 3 MDS has been requested to assist building. Social distancing and masks are requested.

Salem Mennonite Home is having a fundraiser at the Huber Holiday Acres, 43480 281st St. Freeman, 4:00-7:00 pm. Check out the poster on the foyer bulletin board for more details.

Rural Revival Education Opportunity: Rural Revival will be hosting a home wind and solar tour at the Jurkovich farm Saturday, October 16 at 2:00 pm. Come and see an active wind and solar system providing electricity to a farm home. Learn the basics of installing solar or wind at your home. Location 44018 269th St., 1/2 mile west of Dolton. Bring a lawn chair.

Take action to advocate for Haitian asylum seekers by urging President Biden to immediately halt deportation flights to Haiti. Following the biblical call to welcome the stranger, MCC is asking that all deportation flights to Haiti be halted immediately and is seeking respect for basic human rights at the U.S./Mexico border.

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Prayer Requests and Praise:

- Today, World Communion Sunday is a celebration of our unity in Christ as experienced in Holy Communion. As we lift bread and cup, Christians around the world do the same. We pray together, asking God to make us one with Christ and with each other.
- Pray for the Constituency Leaders Council of Mennonite Church USA as they meet this week. May the Holy Spirit guide their work together.
- Alisha, Josh and their child Asher (5) Garber of Mennonite Mission Network have moved into the newly renovated Barcelona Anabaptist Center, which now houses 16 residents. Pray that the center will encourage solidarity in their neighborhood and that the Garbers will model servant leadership in Catalonia (a region where allegiance to Spain vies with voices calling for independence).

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