



Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered – Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, August 14, 2022

9:45 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship and Prayer

***Gathering and Praising**

We Praise Thee, O God - VT #91

God the Sculptor of the Mountains - VT #423

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:41-52 Pew Bible p. 541

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Time

Special Music

Sov'reign Lord, Creator, Righteous One

Scripture Reading

Luke 18:15-17 Pew Bible p. 554

Message

Summer of Stories: The Young Messiah

Offering Prayer

Responding and Sending

Let the Children Come to Me - VT #512

**O Little Children, Gather - VT #515*

***Benediction**

Postlude

***please stand if you are able**

HMC Service may be viewed on our web-page:

www.HMCFreeman.org

TODAY August 14th, 9:45 am

Worship Leader: John Clem

Accompanist: Paige Hofer

Song Leader: Aprille Birkey

Children's Time: Pastor Randall

Special Music: Men's Quartet

Message: Pastor Randall

Coffee Time: Rodney & Amanda Mettler

No Children's Sunday School until September

Adult Sunday School at 11:15 am—west end of fellowship hall

NEXT SUNDAY August 21st, 9:45 am

Worship Leader: Barbie Hofer

Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch

Song Leader: Les Rensink

Children's Time: Brigitta Hofer

Message: Pastor Randall

Coffee Time: Paul & Priscilla Hofer

No Children's Sunday School until September

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Calendar:

TODAY: Backpack Blessing during worship service

August 21: Matt Tschetter sharing during Sunday School
about his work with Caminando Juntos (Walking
Together)

August 28: Maria Paff sharing during Sunday School about her
experiences being adopted and thoughts on identity.

- Shalom Readers' Records Due

- **HMC Ice Cream Social** at 6:30PM

September 10: **HMC Church Picnic** at 5:30pm at Swimming
Pool Park in Freeman

September 11: Sunday School kick-off

Congregational Ministries Project for August:

School Kit Project

Supplies for 50 school kits have been ordered and will be assembled by the children next month. If you have already made your kit(s), that is no problem. MCC needs lots of kits so bring them to church. We would appreciate if you would make a donation toward the project to cover the expense. Cost per kit is \$5.75. If you would like to make your own kit, Sharon Waltner has pencil sharpeners free of charge.

You are invited to attend the **South Dakota Mennonite Disaster Service annual meeting** on September 11, 2022 at 2:00 pm at the Salem-Zion Mennonite church. MDS Region 3 personnel will be sharing project stories.

Prayer Requests and Praises:

- Pray for them on their anniversary: Eric and Michelle Neuharth today; Norman and Darlene Hofer's 65th anniversary on August 18
- Pray for Central Plains Mennonite Conference leaders and committees: for Nathan, Amanda, and Susan, our Conference Ministers and Ramiro, our Hispanic Ministries Coordinator.
- From CPMC: We pray for students, teachers and staff who are preparing for school. May God bless their learning and may they both receive and reflect the love of God in their school settings. We pray also for our church-related schools, Freeman Academy and Hillcrest Academy.
- Pray for MC-USA leaders and committees.
- Join Naomi Leary, Mennonite Mission Network's regional co-administrator for North America, as she praises God for renewed vigor in service programs across the United States. Pray for 16 MVS participants and 19 Service Adventure participants — 12 youth and seven unit leaders.

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