



Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered –

Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, May 19, 2024

Pentecost Sunday

9:45 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship & Prayer

*Welcoming One Another

*Gathering and Praising

Holy Spirit, Come with Power VT #57

Kindle in Us Your Love VT #54

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 12:1-13 Pew Bible p. 607

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Time

Moment in Mission Anabaptist Community Bible Project

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-4 Pew Bible p. 575

Message Enter Holy Spirit

Offering Prayer

*Responding and Sending

New Earth, Heavens New VT #377

Move in Our Midst VT #827

*Benediction

Postlude

*please stand if you are able

HMC Service may be viewed on our web-page:

www.HMCFreeman.org

TODAY May 19, 2024 9:45 a.m. Pentecost

Worship Leader: Jaden Thomas

Accompanist: Paige Hofer

Song Leader: Amanda Mettler

Children's Time: Matthew Tschetter

Moment in Mission: Edie Tschetter, Delmer & Shirley Hofer,
Monica Clem, and Pastor Randall Koehler

Message: Pastor Randall Koehler

Coffee Time: Chad & Rebecca Hofer

**Children's Sunday School following the worship service. Adult
Sunday School following coffee time in the Education Wing.**

NEXT SUNDAY May 26, 2024 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader: John Clem

Accompanist: Paige Hofer

Song Leader: Amy Hofer Vetch

Children's Time: Barbie Hofer

Worship Music: Paige Hofer

Message: Pastor Randall Koehler

Scripture: Ephesians 6:10-20

Coffee Time: Steve Mendel

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Calendar:

Today: Baptism in Scripture SS Series: Baptism in the Holy
Spirit—Acts 2; 1 John 5; John 20

May 26: Baptism in Scripture—Baptism Again? Ps. 106; Ez. 47

May 27-31: HMC VBS Keepers of the Kingdom

June 2: HMC VBS Program and Luncheon @ 10:30 AM

June 16: Communion at HMC and Benevolent Fund Offering

June 20-23: CPMC Annual Meeting in Wayland, IA

June 30: Pastor Randall's Sabbatical begins

July 20: SD MCC Relief Sale in Freeman

Call to Worship:

Leader: The Spirit has gathered us from down the road and across the city.

People: We are not quite ready to settle in and worship.

Leader: The Spirit has arrived to strengthen us.

People: We come with questions, heavy hearts along with gratitude.

Leader: The Spirit is ready to kindle a flame of hope in our hearts.

People: We will open ourselves to receive and hear again God's deeds of power.

All: We invite the Spirit to renew us today.

This morning, we will be hearing about the **Anabaptist Community Bible project**, which is part of the larger Mennonite celebration of Anabaptism's 500 years. We will hear also from those at Hutterthal who contributed notes to the Bible's margins for specific scripture passages. Those participating from HMC were Monica Clem, Delmer Hofer, Shirley Hofer, Pastor Randall (scribe), Edie Tschetter and the late Sharon Waltner. The project, which is managed by Mennomedia, welcomes funds to help with expenses in the production of the Bible. The participants have committed to donate money in memory of Sharon Waltner as one of the group's members. They also invite you, the HMC congregation, to contribute in her honor. An offering basket will be in the narthex today and next Sunday. Checks should be made out to HMC and designated "Anabaptist Bible project".

HMC Congregational Ministry Project for May:

Cash for Swan Lake Christian Camp

Please give donations to Joyce Hofer (treasurer) or place in the Congregational Ministries mailbox.

Central Plains Annual Meeting isn't just for delegates and pastors! Register to attend Annual Meeting where you can worship, fellowship, discern and learn with your brothers and sisters from across CPMC! See our website to learn more and to register, www.centralplainsmc.org

The **Jurassic merchandise** has arrived and is placed on a table in the fellowship hall. Please pick up your order and make your checks out to Ten Thousand Villages. There is a named envelope for your checks. Thank you for your support!

There is a sign-up sheet for the **VBS luncheon** on June 2nd, look for the bright pink paper in the upper foyer. Contact Kathy Pullman, if you have any questions. Thank you!

Freeman Academy is seeking a well-organized self-starter to manage data systems related to student enrollment, faculty certification, and related data. This person also helps organize school meetings and events and assists the Head of School with other tasks as needed. Full benefits, including daycare and tuition discounts, apply.

Freeman Academy is also looking for a highly detailed, well-organized individual to manage the financial operations of the school, including payroll, as well as human resource processes. Full benefits, including daycare and tuition discounts, apply.

For more information on either position or to apply, access the application at <https://freemanacademy.org/about/employment/> or contact Dr. Brad Anderson, Head of School, at banderson@freemanacademy.org / 605.925.4237.

Foster families need other families to choose foster care with them. There are many ways you can **help support a foster family**. Show love in tangible, practical ways to the foster parents and children in your community by coming alongside them to “wrap” them in support and assistance. If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering in any way, you can contact Karen Watson at 605-595-8196 or Shelinda Smith at 605-940-0706. Thank you!

WRAP Around Support

Whether you're 70 and can bake a lasagna or 17 and can mow a lawn, you can serve vulnerable children and families, you can be part of the solution for vulnerable children.

 Meal Train Meal Train	Babysitting Babysitting Babysitting	 Age-appropriate Clothing Age Appropriate Clothing
 Run Errands Run Errands	 Room Prep before Placement Room Prep before a Placement	 Gift Cards for Meals & Outings Gift Cards for Meals & Outings
 House & Yard Work Ongoing House & Yard Work	 A Listening Ear & Support A Listening Ear & Support	 Attend Court Hearings Attend Court Hearings
 Prayers Prayer		

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Prayer Requests and Praises:

- **Birthdays:** Larry Tschetter on May 20 and Leroy Pullman on May 24 ,
- **Anniversary:** Leroy and Kathy Pullman on May 25
- Pray for local graduates of Freeman Academy as they continue on to this next phase in their lives. Pray for a special blessing of wisdom, discernment, and provision as each one moves forward on their own journeys of discovery, learning, and training. In the midst of seasons of busyness and uncertainty, we pray for good endings and even better new beginnings. May the young adults in our midst know that they are loved and supported by the people of Central Plains Mennonite Conference.
- Delicia Bravo Aguilar and Peter Wigginton, of Mennonite Mission Network, request prayer for the Mennonite churches in Ecuador, as they unite in living out Jesus' message of peace, in response to the increasing violence in their country. Pray for protection and courage, as regular peace-building gatherings move Jesus' followers toward Spirit-led action.

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