Hutterthal Mennonite Church

Christ Centered –

Living, Relating, Serving

Sunday, August 24, 2025

9:45 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship & Prayer

***Welcoming One Another**

***Gathering and Praising**

O God beyond All Praising VT #814

Lord, I Am Fondly, Earnestly Longing VT #555

Sharing Time and Prayer

Children's Time

Worship Music *Thank You Lord, For Your Blessings On Me* Redeemed Quartet

Scripture Reading Matt. 7:6 Pew Bible p. 512

Message Jesus's Dream: Avoiding Pigs and Dogs?

Offering Prayer

***Responding and Sending**

O God, who Gives Us Life HWB #483

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say VT #536

Benediction

Postlude

***please stand if you are able**

View today's service here: **www.HMCFreeman.org**

TODAY: August 24, 2025 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader: Cole Hofer
Accompanist: Amy Hofer Vetch
Song Leader: Amanda Mettler
Children's Time: Suzanne Koerner
Worship Music: Reinhardt Hofer
Message: Pastor Randall Koehler
Coffee Time: Priscilla Hofer

All are invited to join one Sunday School gathering in the west end of the fellowship hall after coffee time.
Discussion topic: *Anabaptist Essentials—Conflicts in the World Are Reconciled; Matthew Tschetter*

NEXT SUNDAY: August 31, 2025 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader: Todd Koerner
Accompanist: Paige Hofer
Song Leader: Aprille Birkey
Children's Time: Brigitta Hofer
Worship Music: Sylvia Hofer
Scripture: Matthew 7:7-11
Message: Jesus's Dream: Giving Good Gifts
Pastor Randall Koehler
Coffee Time: Marcia Schrock

All are invited to join one Sunday School gathering in the west end of the Fellowship Hall after coffee time.
Topic: *Giving good gifts sermon conversation led by Pastor Randall Koehler*

Calendar: *(please check the weekly bulletin email for more information and upcoming events)*

Aug. 25: Rural Revival at Freeman Library at 8 PM
Sept. 7: HMC Sunday School Kick-Off
Sept. 10: FNJP at Freeman Library at 1:30 PM
Sept. 11: Serving at The Banquet in Yankton at 5 PM
Sept. 14: MDS Celebration at Fellowship Harvest church - RSVP to Edie Tschetter for meal
Sept. 20-21: CPMC Annual Women's Retreat
Oct. 5: World Communion Sunday

Hutterthal is scheduled to **serve at the Yankton Banquet** on Thursday, September 11. As in the past, we would like donations of pans of bars. We will also need to provide 20 to 25 workers. We need 4 or 5 at 4:00 to help prepare the meal. The rest can come at 5:00. Sign up sheets for both bars and workers are in the foyer. If you need transportation for your bars or have any questions, please contact Todd or Suzanne Koerner.

Come celebrate **the 75th anniversary of Mennonite Disaster Service** on Sunday, September 14, at Fellowship Harvest Church in Freeman. The program will include the MDS annual business meeting 4:30-5:15, catered meal 5:30-6:30, 75th Anniversary Celebration Program 6:30-8:00pm. Please contact Edie Tschetter (605-660-2714) to make reservations for the meal by September 1. Donations will be received to cover costs (meal and celebration event) and the ongoing work of MDS. More details to follow.

Prayer Requests and Praises:

- **Birthdays:** Aprille Birkey on Aug. 24 (TODAY); Alyssa Hofer on Aug. 25
- We pray for our sister churches in Nebraska: Beemer, Milford, Bellwood, Omaha Chin, Bethesda, Wood River, and First of Lincoln Mennonite Churches.
- Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Austin Roberts, who is completing his doctoral dissertation on youth and the church. Pray that he will have the time he needs to prepare to defend his dissertation, while also overseeing the kitchen and mentoring participants with Youth With A Mission (YWAM) in Northern Ireland.
- Additional requests: _____

HMC Congregational Ministry Project for August:

MCC School Kits

Please place completed school kits in container in room adjacent to play room. Pencil sharpeners can

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