

Faith

# Welcome to Youth Sunday

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## **Credits**

Prelude: "Trust in You" by Lauren Daigle

Skit: "Not So Faithful Heroes" by Rob Courtney

Offering Song: "What Faith Can Do" by Kutless

Postlude: "We Won't Be Shaken" by Building 429

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Church Office Hours

Dave

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Cynthia

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Kim

Friday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Staff meeting Monday- 9:30-11 a.m.

Hope on Facebook: Follow the link on our website

[hopemennonite.org](http://hopemennonite.org) and “like” Hope Mennonite Church to see pictures and receive updates on church life.

First Fruits Giving:

Giving the first and best of what we are given  
as a worship response to God.

February 6

Attendance 91

(Hope 70; Zoom 20; Zoom recorded 1)

Offering \$7,200

Year-to-date \$26,928

Spending plan year-to-date \$29,423

Hope offers the option of giving your tithes and offerings  
electronically through the program **Tithely**.

Contact the church office for instructions.

*Our Purpose:*

*As an Anabaptist community of faith empowered by the Holy Spirit, Hope Mennonite Church is calling and making disciples who bring Christ's love and peace to our world.*

## Upcoming Worship Services

February 20	The Givens family
February 27	Open Road and Woven ensembles
March 2	Ash Wednesday service

### MEETINGS THIS WEEK (February 13-19)

Today	-Dessert Auction for Scholarship Fund
Tuesday	-10:00 am Women's Zoom Study - Gospel of Mark -6:30 pm Music Committee
Wednesday	-7:00 pm Choir
Thursday	-7:00 am Women's Zoom Study – “How to Have An Enemy: Righteous Anger & The Work of Peace”



- \*Pre-1<sup>st</sup>: Room 8/9
- \*Elementary: Room 7
- \*Youth: Post Youth-Sunday gathering
- \*Adults: “Responding to Christian Nationalism” led by Dave Stevens. Part 3 of a 3-part series.

Coffee preparation next week: Mike & Kim Voth

### MEETINGS NEXT WEEK (February 20-26)

Tuesday	-10:00 am Women's Zoom Study - Gospel of Mark -7:00 pm Worship Commission
Wednesday	-6:45 pm Youth group
Thursday	-7:00 am Women's Zoom Study – “How to Have An Enemy: Righteous Anger & The Work of Peace”

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Guests & Visitors last week: Bret Preheim; Tavian & Cruz Graber

Next Sunday we will be hosting the Givens family, Joseph, Rachel, Elijah and Micaiah for Worship and Sunday School. The Givens family are our new mission partners. Please make it a priority to attend and stay for the Sunday School hour as they share about their work at the Maria Skobtsova House in Calais, France. They will serve as hosts, providing sanctuary and hospitality to refugees from all over the world. In preparation for their visit, read more at <http://www.givenscalais.org/>.

Starting this week, the church office will be closed on Fridays through March 11. Cynthia will be gone February 16-March 14 and Kim will work Monday-Thursday.

Next Sunday, you are invited to stay after Sunday School for a fellowship meal. Please sign up on the bulletin board and bring a salad or dessert to share. The meal is free, but Witness and Outreach would like to encourage a donation to the Givens' ministry.

Take a look at the table in our fellowship area for a display of new titles in the library. These are our 2021 acquisitions from Faith and Life bookstore. They include biographies, fiction, Christian living topics and some children's books. They can be checked out right at the display.

First Mennonite Church of Halstead invites you to their drive-thru verenike supper, **February 26**, 4-7 pm. For the cost of a donation, you will pick up verenike, ham gravy, sausage, pickle and cookies. For more information about who the proceeds will benefit, check out the flyer on the bulletin board.

The season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 2. You are invited to sign up for a Lent devotional. "in view of God's Mercy" by David Boyd is this year's selection. In these daily devotions, we take a look at our lives in view of God's mercy toward us in the sacrifice of his Son for us on the cross. Rich reflections by David Boyd help us to set our sights on what is meaningful and holy in our faith walk with God. The deadline to sign up is next Sunday, **February 20**. The children's selection is "My Holy Week Journey" pop-up calendar. Reserve your calendar through the church office.

Witness & Outreach invites you to participate in the Dillons Community Rewards program...all you have to do is shop at Dillons and swipe your rewards card! There is not cost to enroll and enrollment will not affect your fuel points or coupon discounts. Last quarter, October 1-December 31, Hope had 43 households participate and that earned the Witness & Outreach special fund \$196.53. This fund is used for requests outside of their regular budget. Sign up at [www.dillons.com/i/community/community-rewards](http://www.dillons.com/i/community/community-rewards) listing Hope as your preferred organization.



A donor has matched the \$2500 designated within the Witness and Outreach budget for 2022 and be entered in the Working Men of Christ special fund. The same donor has pledged additional matching dollars up to \$2500 for any above-budget donations which members wish to contribute throughout the year to WMOC.

The Hope Working Men of Christ committee invites you to help break the chain of barriers facing men released from jail and prison. The names and houses of all WMOC students are written on links of a paper chain. Please tear off a link and pray for that individual. The chain will hang at the entrance each Sunday and on the Witness & Outreach bulletin board during the week.

### Prayers for the wider church

...Pray for health and strength for Western District Conference pastors, chaplains and other ministers as they continue to offer leadership and compassionate care for others in the midst of the ongoing pandemic.

...Pray for the participants in the Chicago Mennonite Voluntary Service unit: Eden George & Pamela Ortiz. Their host congregation is Chicago Community Mennonite Church.

...Pray for Mennonite Mission Network's Benin Partners: Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission; Benin Bible Institute; United Community of Anabaptists; La Casa Grande Benin; and ONG Bethesda, a community organization with Mennonite Church Canada and Mennonite Church Eastern Canada.