

Hope Mennonite Church
June 19, 2022
9:30 am Worship

Gathering to Worship

*As we gather for worship, please silence all electronic devices.
Hearing assistance devices are available from the ushers.*

Prelude

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship

Hear the words of Jesus:

Come to me, all you who are weary

and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.

Jesus calls us here to meet him.

Let us prepare our hearts.

Let us ready our lives to receive.

Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me,

for I am gentle and humble in heart.

You will find rest for your souls.

Jesus calls us to confess him Word of Life and Lord of all.

Jesus shares in our frailness, saving all who fail or fall.

For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light!

Tell the holy human story so that all may hear:

God has heard our cries.

God has come down to dwell in our midst.

God abides. Jesus is here. The Spirit attends.

May praise be our offering this day!

*Songs of Gathering

“We Sing to You, O God”

Voices Together 80

“Summoned by the God Who Make Us”

Voices Together 1

Hearing God’s Word

Scripture reading

Exodus 25:1-2, 8

“Listen, God is Calling”

Voices Together 765

Message “Making Ready: So That God May Dwell” Susan Jantzen

Responding to God's Word

*"Called by Earth and Sky"

Voices Together 806

The Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Greeting our Guests (Please pass the attendance pads)

Seeing and Seeking God

Work of the Church

Sharing our Praises and Concerns

Prayers of God's People

Sending

*"Go, My Friends, in Grace"

Voices Together 810

*Benediction

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A warm welcome to all who have chosen to worship with us this morning in person or on Zoom. The Zoom recording is available Monday-Thursday.

Making Ready: So That God May Dwell Our summer theme comes from the Exodus 25:1-2,8 announcement God makes to Moses on the mountain. Not only does God hear the cries of people in bondage, God "knows their suffering" and "comes down" (Exodus 3:7-8). Thanks be to God!

Three Sundays will focus on God, three Sundays will focus on prayer, then August Sundays will focus on being a multi-age community making ready for God to dwell in our midst.

Voices Together #806 Called by Earth and Sky will be a song we repeat throughout the summer. This is a creation hymn, and captures the idea of God's action toward us, action of providing us a place to live, action of hearing and healing us, leading us on into God's future.

Worship Participants

Worship leader: David Schmidt

Pianist: Amy Bellar

Song leader: Kendrick Weaver

Scripture reader: Joanna Pinkerton

Worship tech: Randy Pinkerton

Zoom host: Lee Schmucker

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Church Office Hours

Susan Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am-4:00 pm
Cynthia Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-1:30 pm
Kim Friday 9:00 am-1:00 pm
Staff meeting Tuesday - 9:30-11 am

Hope on Facebook: Follow the link on our website
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.

June 12

Attendance 78

(Hope 61; Zoom 16; Zoom 1)

Offering \$4,281

Year-to-date \$91,165

Spending plan year-to-date \$117,692

Hope offers an electronic option of giving through **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

June 26	Making Ready: Keeper God; Psalm 121
July 3	Making Ready: God's Loyalty
July 10	Making Ready: Morning & Evening Prayer

MEETINGS THIS WEEK (June 19-25)

Tuesday	-6:30 pm Deacons
Wednesday	-6:30 pm Sanctuary Reserved-Hopeful Blues
Friday	-8:30 am-6:30 pm fellowship hall reserved

Coffee preparation next week: Chris Bellar

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK (June 26-July 2)

Tuesday	-10:00 am Women's Bible study - Joy Together: Spiritual Practices for Your Congregation by Lynne M. Baab led by Brenda Glanzer Lilliston via Zoom
Wednesday	-1:00 pm Discipleship Commission & Library Committee
Thursday	-1:00 pm Discipleship Commission



Mower this week: Grant Bellar

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Guests and visitors last week: Kenzie, Mallory, Silas, Taves Intemann

Please note Susan Jantzen's office hours and contact information are located on the back of the bulletin.

You are invited to donate needed supplies for MCC for Ukraine. Place your items in the basket in the fellowship hall. A list of needed items is listed on the Witness and Outreach bulletin board – take a copy with you when you shop.

Postcard campaign: The recent mass shootings have left many of us saddened, disillusioned and feeling helpless. We offer you the following possibility for an action step post the recent and ongoing mass shootings...a postcard campaign. **There are still 15 postcards (out of 50) available to use.** We will provide the addresses for our senators and representatives.

Family Promise week – June 26-July 2. You are invited to participate in this ministry by volunteering. Look for the Sign-up Genius in your email and also a link for the online training.

Prayers for the wider church

...Give thanks for Western District Conference's Gifts Discernment Committee, and pray for the Holy Spirit to guide their decisions as they prepare nominations for elected leadership positions to bring for delegate action at WDC's annual assembly.

...Pray for Mennonite Mission Network's Japan partners: Japan Mennonite Christian Church Conference Hokkaido (JMCC Hokkaido-19 congregations) and Kyushu (JMCC Kyushu-15 congregations); Menno Village; Tokyo Anabaptist Center; Tokyo Area Fellowship of Mennonite Churches (5 congregations); Tokyo Biblical Seminary/Tokyo Mission Research Institute.