



Hope Mennonite Church

July 24, 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

Ever-moving God, we see you at work.

Your stream of healing and hope is among us.

I will be with you;

I have heard the people's cry for help.

Here we are, your gathered people.

We sense your strength in our midst.

This shall be the sign

that it is I who send you out;

when you have brought the people out of Egypt,

you shall worship in this place.

We believe.

We trust your goodness and your leading.

We bow down and worship You.

*Songs of Gathering

"Nothing Is Lost on the Breath of God"

Voices Together 653

"The Lord Your God Is with You"

Voices Together 173

Hearing God's Word

Scripture readings

Exodus 3:1-6; Psalm 139:1-14;

Voices Together 989

"Calm Me, Lord"

Voices Together 680

Message

Susan Jantzen

"Making Ready: Standing in the Presence"

Responding to God's Word

* "Shepherd Me, O God"

Voices Together 744

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

"The Lord's Prayer"

Voices Together 989

Sending

* "All Will Be Well"

Voices Together 586

*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.

Today is the last of three Sundays thinking together about prayer. Prayer is one part of Making Ready for God, who wants to dwell with us. Our July 31 service will center around singing, including becoming acquainted with our *Voices Together* hymnal. Come join us!

Worship Participants

Worship leader: Lowell Birkey

Pianist: Cynthia Loganbill

Song Leader: Jared Shetler

Scripture reader: Lori Miller

Worship tech: Scott Luty

Zoom host: Brenda Glanzer Lilliston

Upcoming Worship

July 31	Music Sunday – new songs from <i>Voices Together</i>
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August 7	Fruits & Seeds – life cycles
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August 21	Communion
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Stay in Touch with Hope

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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.

July 17

Attendance 72

(Hope 60; Zoom 10; Recording 2)

Offering \$4,173

Year-to-date \$114,973

Spending plan year-to-date \$142,212

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

MEETINGS THIS WEEK (July 24-30)

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
Friday/Sat -All day: reserved event

Coffee preparation next week: Randy & Joanna Pinkerton

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK (July 31-August 6)

Saturday -Sandwich Saturday



Mower this week: Travis Cox

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Dear Hope Family: Thank you for the donation to Mom's memorial. It's very much appreciated. More than anything we appreciate the love and support we have felt from our Hope family during the last six months as we cared for and spent time with our Mom during her last months on earth. Jerold & Donna Heide

The July 8 issue of *Anabaptist World* is available on the front literature table. The focus articles are on food and lessons of sustenance. Pick up your copy today.

Cynthia Loganbill will be on vacation July 27-August 2. Kim will be the office during that time. The office will be closed July 29.

A new resident directory will be issued in early August. If you have not done so already, please send in any changes from the January issue.

Beginning September 11, we will again offer a staffed nursery for children birth-4. We are still looking for people to help out with this ministry. Please contact the church office if you are willing to serve.

We are looking for people who are willing to be a Sunday School helper for the preschool class. You simply show up and assist the teacher – you have no preparation. Contact the church office if you are willing to help with this ministry.

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

Prayers for the wider church

...Pray for the Western District Conference Annual Assembly next weekend at Camp Copass near Denton, TX, that in this gathering God will encourage and strengthen WDC congregations through the assembly theme, "United in Purpose, Together in Love." Our moderator, Michelle Jantz, will represent Hope and attend virtually.

...Pray for a couple serving in a sensitive ministry in Le Chambon-Sur-Lignon, France since 2006.

...Pray for Mennonite Mission Network's mission partner in Australia – Anabaptist Association of Australia and new Zealand (AANZ).