

Hope Mennonite Church  
June 9, 2024  
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

Open our ears

**to hear your word.**

Open our eyes

**to see your presence.**

Open our arms

**to the embrace of community.**

Open our minds

**to the beauty of truth.**

Open our hearts

**to the joy of new life.**

\*Songs of Gathering

“Summoned by the God Who Make Us’

#1

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns”

#101

Hearing God’s Word

Children’s Time

Heidi K Greenwood Doell

Scripture Reading

Mark 3:20-35

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

#133

Message

“Bound & Unbound”

Heidi K Greenwood Doell

Responding to God’s Word

\*“We Are One in the Spirit”

#387

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

\*"The Lord Lift You Up"

#832

\*Benediction

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\*Stand as you are able

A warm welcome to all who have chosen to worship with this morning in person or on Zoom. A special welcome to Heidi K Greenwood Doell for sharing with us this morning. The YouTube recording will go out on Monday.

#### Worship Participants

Worship leader: Ron Headings  
Pianist: Cynthia Loganbill  
Song leader: Lowell Birkey  
Scripture reader: Delaine Stolzle  
Worship tech: Mike Voth  
Zoom host: Kendal & Marjie Warkentine

#### Upcoming Worship Services

June 16 Preaching text: I Samuel 15:34-16:13  
June 23 Preaching text: I Samuel 3:1-10  
June 30 Preaching text: 2 Samuel 1: 1,17-27  
Randy Quinn's final Sunday

## Stay in Touch with Hope

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### Interim Pastor

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### Secretaries

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### Church Office Hours

Randy Tuesday-Wednesday 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Monday, Thursday – work from home

Cynthia Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-1:30 pm

Kim Friday 9:00 am-1:00 pm

Staff meeting Tuesday 9:30 am

Hope on Facebook: Follow the link at [hopemennonite.org](http://hopemennonite.org) and “like” Hope Mennonite Church to see pictures & updates on church life.

### First Fruits Giving

Giving the first and best of what we are given.

June 2

Attendance-100(Hope 90; zoom 10)

Offering \$5,906

Year to date \$86,545

Spending plan year to date \$110,000

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*

### **Hope Mennonite Church Statement of Welcome and Inclusion**

We believe all people are created in God's image and we covenant to accept, respect, and love one another as we seek to follow Jesus. We gather around God's table as an open and affirming congregation, embracing all people to full participation in the life and ministry of our church regardless of age, race, marital status, sexual orientation, economic status, gender identity, citizenship, ability, ethnicity, or any other factor subject to discrimination or exclusion in our world. We recognize and give thanks for the diverse opinions among us and are united as we strive to model a community of faith offering justice, peace, love, and compassion in the name of Christ.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK (June 9-15)

Tuesday -7:00 pm Music Committee  
-7:00 pm Worship Commission

Coffee preparation next Sunday- Mike & Kim Voth



Mower this week: Grant Bellar



NURSERY (birth through age 4)

Today: Val & Mike Mayta

Next Sunday: Greg & Leah Shelly-Unruh

June 23: Clinton & Katie Chlumsky

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK (June 16-22)

Nothing scheduled

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Guests & visitors last Sunday: Leah & Landon Birkey

You are invited to sign the Hope scrapbook that was made for Randy Quinn in honor of his time with us. Please sign anywhere there is blank space. There is also a basket for cards and notes to Pastor Randy and Ronda. Both are located by the library. On June 30, Randy's last Sunday, there will be an extended fellowship time followed by a brunch hosted by the Care & Nurture Commission. Please bring bread to share. Cuppa of Hope will be serving prior to worship and during our fellowship time.

The TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY will meet on Wednesday, **June 12** for lunch at noon at Donna Bradbury, 1329 N. Forestview Ct., Wichita, KS 67235. You are welcome if you are a current attendee, a past attendee, or a possible future attendee! Wendy Wiens will provide Sloppy Joes and Donna will supply the dessert. Please bring a salad and RSVP to Donna by June 9.

The June issue of *Anabaptist World* is now available on the front table. The lead articles look at how we interpret the scriptures and our relationship with the Bible.

Check your summer schedules. Are you free to help with Sandwich Saturday on either July 6 or August 3? We need coordinators.

I'm lost-please find me! Please check out the items on the lost and found table. You might not even know you lost something. There are several coats there that were left on the coat rack which has been put away for the summer.

Embrace project – If you took a baby bottle, please return it no later than next Sunday, June 16 to the church office and cross your name off of the sign-out list. Thanks.

Justice Together will host the Justice Ministry Celebration and Investment Drive at Chapel Hill UMC on **Thursday, June 20**, at 6 pm. People who stood up for justice in our community will be recognized. We will receive updates on the official commitments made by city and county officials. This meeting will also allow us to invest financially in the justice ministry. Justice Together isn't just the Nehemiah Assembly or a one-time project on Mental Health and Homelessness. Justice Together is a permanent justice organization that will keep uniting the faith community in Sedgwick County to "do justice" on our most pressing issues.

Summer Story Days are BACK! Stop by the Western District Conference Resource library, 2517 N. Main in North Newton, KS on **Saturdays June 29 and July 27 between 10:00am and 7:00pm** for Read Alouds; self-guided, come-and-go activities; and opportunities to learn and grow together! Activities are geared for ages 3-8 and their families, but open to all ages.

Looking ahead. Our annual Western District Conference Assembly will be held **August 2-4** at First Mennonite in Beatrice, NE. The theme is "In Community We Transform"/ "Nos Transformamos en Comunidad." We are entitled to send 9 delegates and the church helps cover most expenses. If you are interested, please contact the church office. Check out <https://mennowdc.org/2024-annual-assembly/>. Pray for the planning team as they work on details.

Save the Date! Western District Women in Mission's annual Women's & Girls' Retreat will be Saturday/Sunday **September 7-8** at Camp Mennoscah. The keynote speaker will be Kristine Regehr on the topic of Peaceful Practices. More information will follow in July. Activities will be available for girls age 5th grade - high school and women of all ages! Come for a time of relaxation, peace, and friendship! Questions? Email [westerndistrictwomen@gmail.com](mailto:westerndistrictwomen@gmail.com).

## Prayers for the wider church

... Pray for God's guidance and wisdom for Western District Conferences pastors and congregations who are concluding ministry relationships or beginning a new season of ministry together.

...The Colorado Springs (Colorado) Service Adventure unit begins their end-of-assignment trip to Bisbee, Arizona, to reflect on their time of living and serving together. Pray for them as they spend this week processing what they have learned and how they will integrate discipleship into their daily lives.

...Pray for all mission workers, and their partners, who work in settings in which following Jesus brings persecution. May God protect them and give them wisdom in all they say and do.