# Zion Mennonite Church

Zion Mennonite Church covenants to grow together as a Christ-centered community, extending our Anabaptist branch into our world, bearing the lasting fruit of discipleship, and planting the seeds for God's reign through hospitality, service, and reconciliation with God and others.

## June 12, 2016

Welcome and Announcements Call to Worship Singing: HWB 51 Let the Whole Creation Cry HWB 16 God is Here Among Us They'll Know We are Christians

Offering

Children's Story

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4:7-16

Message: "Taking the Church Outside of the Church for ... "

Small Group Reports

Song: HWB 420 Heart With Loving Heart Unite

Sharing and Prayer

Sending Song: Bind Us Together

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together

with cords that cannot be broken

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together,

bind us together in love

There is only one God, there is only one King,

there is only one body

That is why we can sing....

Benediction

After the service, an Elder will be available at the front of the sanctuary for sharing and prayer. Today's Elder is Ken Beachy.

Worship Leader: Kiara Yoder Song Leader: Jana Gingerich Children's Story: Mathew Swora

If you are visiting, we invite you to complete a Welcome card and drop it in the offering basket.

	٦	This Morning:
9:00am	Coffee Time	
9:30am	Sunday School for all ages	
10:45am	Worship Service	
This Afternoon/Evening:		
2:00pm	Bridal Shower for Brianne Vredenburg	
6:00pm	MYF at Jana's	
This Week:		
Wednesday	12:15pm	Prayer Meeting
Thursday	9:00am	Quilting

## Worship Schedule:

June 19: (for Father's Day) "From the Files of Dr. Sigmund Schringck: The Prodigal Father" Luke 15:11-32 June 26: Guest Speaker, Chuck Neufeld, musician, story-teller, and retired Conference Minister for the Illinois Mennonite Conference.



## My Coins Count

It's that time a year again! Zion will be collecting change for MCC's My Coins Count. The first collection day will be today, and then the second Sunday in July and August, and finally weekly in September and up to the MCC Fall Festival. Send your coins to the front with the children who go forward for children's story time.



Hannah Yoder graduated June 11 from University of Washington with a Masters degree in Education, with an emphasis in special education. She will be teaching in a grade 3-5 behavior classroom in the Lake Washington School District, outside of Seattle, beginning in the fall. **Congratulations Hannah!** 

Just a note to say "hi" and thank you again for your many years of support of Jubilee Food Pantry. We just passed our six year anniversary (quietly this time) and can't imagine trying to do this without the help of the Body of Christ. Thank you for your efforts, your love and prayer for our family, the ministry of the Good News, and partnership of walking out the Kingdom.

*Let there be light!* 

-Andy, Serenity, the kids, and many, many guests of JFP



PNMC Annual Meeting is only two weeks away! Volunteers are still needed for child care and kitchen help. Check the signup sheet on the bulletin board for times and details or contact Stan Oyer.

Everyone is invited and welcome to join the worship services from 8:30-10:00AM on Friday, June 24 and Saturday, June 25. There will also be a "Bluegrass and Blueberry" concert and pie social featuring blueberry pie and ice cream and the bluegrass band Jericho Road on Friday evening at 7:00pm. Come and enjoy the music and fellowship.

For more information on the annual meeting, including information on delegate sessions, workshops, activities, etc., visit the PNMC website at pnmc.org.

**The Canby Center is offering a Stewards of Children class** on Friday, June 24 from 9AM-noon. This interactive workshop teaches adults how to prevent, recognize, and react responsibly to child sexual abuse. To reserve a spot, contact Kelley VanAcker at Kelley@thecanbycenter.org or 503-263-1125. An information flyer is posted on the bulletin board.



## Jesus: The Upside Down Mission July 24-28, 2016

VBS is coming soon! Sign-up sheets are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Activity leaders, group leaders, drama participants, snack coordinators, registration helpers and more are needed. Please see where you could help and sign up early.

Contact VBS directors Jennifer Gingerich, Mary Masingila, Luanne Berkey, or Ken Beachy with questions or for more information.

Let's make this the best VBS yet!

## Please keep in your prayers:

- Drift Creek Camp, its leaders, staff, campers and programs this summer, that God may use this ministry for everyone's growth in grace.
- 70 Students of the Toba/Qom indigenous people in the Chaco of Argentina, who are studying a new translation of the Old Testament in their language (Mennonite Mission Network)
- Bluffton College students returning this month from their Cross Cultural experiences. May God bless their times of transition back into school and their home settings (Mennonite Education Agency)

A prayer to carry through the week: "As the demands of the school year ease, help us to relax and find delight in inactivity." Kathy Hendricks

### Nursery:

This week: Vonnie Oyer, Judy Gingerich Next Week: Stacy Berkey, Bri Ediger Last Sunday Attendance: 96 Offering: \$6,199

#### Church Staff:

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