

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.

October 8, 2017

Welcome and Greetings

Announcements

Singing

HWB 51 Let the whole creation cry

HWB 117 Fairest Lord Jesus

Lord Lead Me On

Prayers for Peace

Offering

My Coins Count

Children's Story

Bible Reading: Luke 11: 29-32

Message

Response Song: *HWB 392 Heart and mind, possessions Lord*

Moment in Mission—Faye Swartzendruber,

"Good News for Every Cora Village"

Sharing and Prayer

Sending Song: *HWB 546 Guide my feet*

Worship Leader: Tom Brennehan
Song Leader: Jana Gingerich
Children's Story: Wendell Amstutz
Prelude/Offertory: Kelsey Sommer

9:00am
9:30am
9:45am
10:45am

This Morning:
Coffee Time
Sunday School For All Ages
Prayer Team meets (upstairs)
Worship Service

This Afternoon/Evening

5:00pm
5:30pm
MYF and Jr. Hi Gym Night at Zion

This Week:

Tuesday	10:00am	Bible Study in Library
	7:00pm	Christian Education Comm. Mtg.
Wednesday	12:15pm	Prayer Meeting at Zion
	1:00pm	PLT Meeting
Thursday	9:00-2:30	Quilting
Friday		Whoopie Pie Baking Day
Saturday		MCC Festival for World Relief

Worship Schedule:

October 15: Mathew will be preaching "Temporary Gifts; Eternal Value", Luke 16:1-13

October 22: Mathew will be preaching

Second Sunday

TONIGHT, 5:00-6:30pm

Everyone is welcome for a light meal at 5:00pm in the Fellowship Hall, followed by group time and activity for kids in K-5th grade.

Jr. Hi and MYF will meet separately at 5:30pm for Gym Night

The Gifts Discernment Committee requests that you prayerfully consider persons for the Board of Elders. Due to various changes over the past years, the Board of Elders will be made up of 4 members starting in January, 2018; 3 of those members' terms will expire at the end of 2018. To even out the changes in the Board from year to year, we are seeking to add two members with terms that will begin January, 2018. Paper copies of nomination forms are available on the table in the foyer. Please complete a form and place it in the box provided. Electronic copies were also emailed this week and can be completed and returned by email to the church office. **Please submit your suggestions for consideration as soon as possible, but no later than the end of the worship service on October 15th.** If you have any questions, contact a member of the Gifts Discernment Committee: Jeremy Gingerich, Luanne Berkey, or Mary Masingila.

**Semi-Annual Member's Meeting
Sunday, October 29**

Immediately following
Fundraiser Meal at Noon

"Bridging Cultures invites you to a fundraiser meal at Zion after the church service on October 29. We hope you'll be able to join us for some great food including pollo con crema. As always, thanks for your continued support of Bridging Cultures!"

Becky and I thank you for all the prayers, love, care, visits and calls, and the beautiful flowers received during my hospitalization for appendicitis this week. There will still be some recovery time at home. We are blessed in so many ways. God's grace and mercy have been evident in every need.

—Pastor Mathew Swora

**MCC Fall Festival for World Relief
Saturday, October 14, Albany, OR**

Sausage Booth—Thank you so much for volunteering in the sausage dog booth. We have filled all of the time slots and we are so very grateful.

Whoopie Pies—Whoopie Pies are always a big seller and much anticipated at the Festival. If you would like to bake whoopie pies, a list of recipes is available on the table in the foyer or you are welcome to use your own. They can be packaged and sent with Karen Amstutz. A baking day is planned for Friday, October 13 in the church kitchen. Contact Karen if you would like to join for a fun day of fellowship and baking, or if you would like more information about baking whoopie pies.

Baked Goods —A wide assortment of baked goods are needed to sell at the Festival, including breads, pastas, cookies, pies, brownies, rolls, scones, muffins, peppernuts, etc. There are pie tins and instructions on the table in the foyer. Stan Oyer will be able to deliver baked goods to the festival; contact him for more information.



MCC—My Coins Count

Thank you for your generous donations! All of the coins collected will be delivered to the Festival and added to those collected by other churches and organizations.

West Coast MCC Borderlands and Migrant Trail Learning Tour is scheduled for November 11-15, 2017. For information and on-line registration, visit <https://mcc.org/get-involved/events/borderlands-migrant-trail-learning-tour-november-2017>

Please keep in your prayers:

- The our nation and people affected by the tragedy in Las Vegas, including those who experienced the event but whose lives will forever be altered: the victims and their families, the police officers and first responders, the doctors and nurses, the bystanders who offered aid and protection. May God's peace find a place in the brokenness of their hearts.
- Pastor Mathew, who is home recovering, as well as others in our congregation recently recovering from surgery or hospitalization, such as Darlene Kauffman, Marlene Harris and Ken Beachy.

A prayer to carry through the week: *"Father God, Your love as a parent is greater than anything I can imagine. May my confidence rest in You, and may I share Your love with others."*
—Our Daily Bread

Nursery:

This week: Louise Gingerich, Julie Yoder

Next Week: Kara and Daphne Kropf

Last Sunday:

Attendance: 92

Offering: \$5.126

Church Staff:

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