

Zion Mennonite Church

Zion Mennonite Church covenants to grow together as a Christ-centered community, worshipping God, 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 6, 2021

Prelude—Karen Tro and Kristin Oakes

Welcome and Announcements—Jana Gingerich

Call to Worship—Jana

VT #160 Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Celebrating our Senior High Graduates:

Daphne Kropf, Caleb Chupp, Avery Coulombe and Aden Hall

VT #832 The Lord Lift You Up

Scripture readings: Ezekiel 37:1-14; Acts 2:1-13

Message—Steve Bomar

Table Fellowship—Steve Bomar

VT #716 God of Grace and God of Glory

Benediction

Our service will be held inside the sanctuary. Those who are fully vaccinated and can distance themselves 6 feet from people outside their household can choose not to wear a mask. We will not be asking persons to show proof of vaccination. If you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask. During our times of singing, the preference is that all wear masks. This service will also be accessible by Zoom.

8:45 am
10:00 am

This Morning:
Adult Sunday School Class via Zoom
Worship Service in person
or on Zoom <https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/>

This Afternoon:

No Activities

This Week:

Tuesday 10:00am

Women's Bible Study via Zoom

Thursday 6:30pm

ZLT meeting

Worship Schedule:

June 13: Steve Bomar will be preaching

June 20: Steve Bomar will be preaching

Semi-Annual Business Meeting Sunday, June 13 at 12:30pm via Zoom

Agenda:

- Budget Update
 - Pastor Insurance Update
- Treasurer Position Update
- Congregational Work and Training Update
- Outdoor Meeting Space
 - Play Structure
- Commission Reports
- Affirmation Ballot (see insert)

AFFIRMATION BALLOT
Semi-Annual Member's Meeting—June 2021

Primary Sunday School Superintendent
(1 yr. term, exp. Aug 2022)

Please choose two

- ☐ Stacy Berkey
☐ Karen Kropf

Music Committee (1 yr. term, expires Aug. 2022)

Please choose three

- ☐ Karen Tro
☐ Kristin Oakes
☐ Seth Gingerich

Library Committee (3 yr. term, expires Aug. 2024)

- ☐ Virginia Broderick

Worship Commission (1 yr. term, expires Dec. 2021)

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Adult Sunday School Superintendent
(1 yr. term, expires Aug. 2022)

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MYF Sponsors, (1 yr. term, expires Aug. 2022)

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Junior High Youth Leaders (1 yr. term, expires Aug. 2022)

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MCC/MMN Representative (3 yr. term, expires Dec. 2024)

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Church Treasurer (3 yr. term, expires Dec. 2024)

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From Eastern Mennonite University:

Jared Oyer

From Goshen College:

Harrison Gingerich

From Grand Canyon University

Drew Berkey

From High School:

Avery Coulombe (North Marion)

Daphne Kropf (Canby)

Caleb Chupp (Canby)

Aden Hall (Molalla)

From 8th Grade:

Joshua Chupp

Eva Coulombe

Georgia Boughal

Jordan Peters

Gianna Sokso

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Jeremiah 29:11

Voices Together #160 Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms; what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Chorus: *Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.*

Oh, how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting arms. Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms.

(Chorus)

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, leaning on the everlasting arms? I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, leaning on the everlasting arms.

(Chorus)

Voices Together #832 The Lord lift you up

The Lord lift you up, the Lord take your hand, the Lord lead you forth and cause you stand, secure in God's word, seeking God's face, abounding in love, abiding in grace.

Voices Together #716 God of Grace and God of Glory

God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour thy power. Crown thine ancient church's story, bring its bud to glorious flow'r. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.

Lo! The hosts of evil round us scorn thy Christ, assail his ways! From the fears that long have bound us, free our hearts to faith and praise. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the living of these days, for the living of these days.

Cure thy children's warring madness; bend our pride to thy control; shame our wanton, selfish gladness, rich in things and poor in soul. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, lest we miss thy kingdom's goal, lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.

Save us from weak resignation to the evils we deplore. Let the search for thy salvation be our glory evermore. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, serving thee whom we adore, serving thee, whom we adore.

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HEY KIDS!: While we have finished the in-home Sunday School curriculum, the authors suggest one more thing – a family party! Read the directions here <https://www.godsstorygodssong.com/story-feast.html> This week our new pastor Steve and his family are here with us. He'll be telling a Bible story about Ezekiel and his vision – a kind of dream - about skeletons. You can watch this video <https://youtu.be/P3KF6U0Vi6M>

Could you introduce yourself to their family as soon as you can? Let's make them feel welcome! In your church bags this week you'll find a coloring sheet for you to use to welcome our Pastor and his family to their new church home. Be sure and write your name on it before you give it to them! Here's a link for those of you that can't attend church today – you can drop it off at the church any-time! <https://coloringhome.com/coloring/jix/p68/jixp68g6T.pdf>

Remember this week how much God and your church family love you! ~Karen and Stacy



Recyclers: Thank you for your efforts and enthusiasm for our Terracycle recycling opportunities. A lot of food packaging containers (berry baskets, salad green boxes, bakery clamshells) have been showing up in the dropoff bags--please note: these are NOT recyclable through this program. The Rubbermaid food storage container recycling program offered through Terracycle is intended for containers meant for long-term food storage that have reached the end of their useful life (Tupperware, Rubbermaid, freezer containers, etc). Please do not collect disposable plastic food packaging for this program. It goes in the trash! Other options: avoid buying these pre-packaged items; take #6 containers and styrofoam to Agilyx in Tigard (13240 SW Wall St, Tigard) ; consider purchasing a Zero-waste recycling box from Terracycle: zerowastebboxes.terracycle.com. Clackamas County continues to accept plastic tubs (yogurt, cottage cheese, etc) at least 6oz in volume in curbside recycling--no lids. Contact Kristin at oakeskr@gmail.com or by phone if you still have questions.

In Prayer:

Remember those who are homebound, ill, unable, or still uncomfortable with gathering together. May the holy spirit reach them in ways that nurture and comfort.

Pray for students and families finishing up another school year. Especially remember Zion's graduates, that they would seek holy wisdom and direction in the plans they make and the changes coming in their lives.

Pray for strength for every person serving in church leadership so they do not grow weary in their role. May they recognize their call and find encouragement as they lean not on their own understandings but on seeking God's will.

May God grant us all the insight to meet day-to-day living with grace, courage, joy and eternal hope.

The fellowship of the table teaches Christians that here they still eat the perishable bread of the earthly pilgrimage. But if they share this bread with one another, they shall also one day receive the imperishable bread together in the Father's house.

-Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Life Together (New York: Harper & Brothers, 1954), 66.

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