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.

August 8, 2021

Prelude Welcome Announcements Call to Worship:

Leader: Let nothing disturb you Leader: Let nothing affright you

All: All things pass

Leader: God is unchanging

All: Patience obtains all

Leader: Whoever has God

Leader: Needs nothing else

All: God alone Suffices

(from the writings of St. Theresa of Avilaa

VBS Video Singing:

VT 10 Here In This Place VT 91 We Praise Thee O God You Are Lord of Creation

Offering Prayer Children's Story

Scripture Reading: Titus 3:9-15

Sermon—Steve Bomar

Response Song: Lord Lead Me On

Prayers of the People

Sending

Worship Leader: Gina Hansen Song Leader: Stan Oyer Children's Story: Vonnie Oyer Prelude: Rachel Kropf

This Morning:

8:45 am Adult Sunday School Class via Zoom

10:00 am Worship Service in person

or on Zoom https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/

This Afternoon:

No Activities

This Week:

Thursday, 5:30pm Prayer Team meets
Thursday, 1:30pm Teaching Team meeting

(formerly Kerygmatic Team)

6:30pm ZLT meeting

Worship Schedule:

August 15: Steve Bomar— Worship Series 1 August 22: Steve Bomar—Worship Series 2

<u>September 12:</u> Fall Re-Start! We kick off the return of all regular church and worship activities. We will also hear an update from Drift Creek Camp.

Recent CDC and OHA guidance recommends that due to Corona virus variants all persons, vaccinated or not, wear masks while attending indoor large group gatherings. We ask that you please wear a mask while attending ZMC services and gatherings.

Thank you, Zion, for the get well cards and your prayers. I appreciate your concern. My doctor is still doing tests and I'm waiting on results.

—Linda Peters

SATURDAY IN THE PARK with BRIDGING CULTURES

Date and Time: August 14, 2021, from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm Location: Wait Park, 350 N Grant Street, Canby OR 97013 (Corner of N Grant St & NW 3rd Ave)

Enjoy free delicious food and meet new neighbors while enjoying a community resource fair, vaccination event, and entertainment with Son de Cuba.



A "Just Married" Bridal Shower for Courtney Lapp Gengler will be held on Sunday, August 15 at 2:00 pm in the church fellowship hall. You are invited!

Courtney and Jonathan were married on May 15. They are registered at: Crate and Barrel https://www.amazon.com/wedding/share/courtneyandjonathon Target https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift/courtneyandjonathon



Stress: constraining forces or influences that can cause bodily or mental tension---We've all felt it and know what it is. But sometimes the stress level reaches a point where things begin to break. Don't let your stress reach that point. Stephen Ministers are available to help you work through life's difficulties and to give you a safe, confidential place to vent your troubles. For more

information about Stephen Ministry, please contact Pastor Jana- 503-577-9789.

HEY KIDS: Remember the story last week about the caterpillar changing to a butterfly and how God's love can change us like that? To be an influential person, you have to be intentional with and aware of your actions and how they affect others. Titus 3:14 reminds us: "Our people must learn to devote themselves to doing what is good, in order to provide for urgent needs and not live unproductive lives."



You have a purpose, don't let anything get in the way of it! In case you'd like a recap of what Pastor
Steve has been teaching us from the Bible's book of Tutus, watch this video: https://youtu.be/PUEYCVXJM3k

~Stacy and Karen

Vacation Bible School 2021 Recap

Highest Attendance: 73

Campships Earned: 75, including 7

High School volunteers

Total Offering for Drift Creek Camp: \$1305.04

Bibles Gifted: 6

Number of Volunteers: 55+

Again, thank you to everyone who helped with VBS.

What a great year we had!



In Prayer:

Pray for strength and recovery for Linda Peters, as well as for wisdom, clarity, and understanding as she continues testing for a diagnosis.

Pray for those who are being affected by wildfires in the Northwest, for safety for those fighting them, and for protection from the start and spread of more new fires.

May our community and country be guided in the right direction toward a better future, free from the limitations of the pandemic. May we continue to serve one another in love, compassion, and humility.

As part of the outreach of La Prairie Mennonite Church in northeastern France, Kate Widmer works with families who have recently immigrated. Pray for cross-cultural insights that will help her build bridges of understanding (Mennonite Mission Network)

All through this day, O Lord, by the power of thy quickening Spirit, let me touch the lives of others for good, whether through the word I speak, the prayer I speak, or the life I live.

— Anonymous from A Guide to Prayer

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