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.

<u>September 12, 2021</u>

Prelude GATHERING Passing the Peace Songs:

> HWB 78 Father God, you are holy HWB 327 Great is thy Faithfulness VT 420 God of the Bible

Offering Prayer
Drift Creek Camp Sharing—Tony and Brenda Kauffman

WORD Children's Story

Scripture Presentation: Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Sermon

RESPONSE Hymn Prayers of the People

SENDING

VT 486 Great God the giver of all Good Benediction

Chicken BBQ Fundraiser Meal

Chicken, Baked Beans, Potato Salad and chocolate chip bar

- Individually packaged for pick up on east side of the building.
- Picnic on the west lawn or take your meal to-go
- Donations to Drift Creek Camp. Cash or check payable to Zion Mennonite Church with "DCC" memo

Worship Leader: Kiara Yoder Song Leader: Lois Yoder Children's Story: Frank Howard

This Morning:

8:30am Coffee Time Fellowship

9:00am Sunday School Classes for all ages

10:00 am Worship Service in person

or on Zoom https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/

This Afternoon:

11:30am Chicken BBQ Fundraiser meal

This Week:

Tuesday 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81190699512? pwd=MnlLR1l1Z1haejZ2NmpETGdRZFVIZz09

Wednesday 5:30pm Prayer Team at Sheryl Mast's

Thursday 9:00am Mennonite Women

Worship Schedule:

September 19: Peace Sunday. Jana Gingerich will be preaching

September 26: Steve Bomar will be preaching

Please continue to practice Covid precautions in conjunction with Oregon Health Authority quidance.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

- -September 14th at 10:00 am
- -We will begin with John 1 and the emotion behind John's letter.
- -Continuing via Zoom to allow distance and home-bound participation https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81190699512?
 pwd=MnlLR1l1Z1haejZ2NmpETGdRZFVIZz09
- -Contact Pat Hershberger with questions. All are welcome!

Healthy Congregations with Bill Blank

In consideration of this important work and our desire to get the most benefit we have decided to postpone the October start date with hopes of gathering together sometime in the new year. While frustrating, we hope you continue to join us in prayer for this upcoming process and that the Spirit of God would guide us as a congregation.



Zion Youth Hang-Out Sunday, September 19

Who: Zion Youth—middle & high schoolers What: Pizza, hang out, Apple Cider pressing

(a fall tradition...yippie)

When: Sept. 19th following the morning service (11:45ish) to 2pm or when the apples are all gone

Where: The Masingila's place— 6460 S. Hwy 211, Hubbard

Please join us on Zion's patio at 2 pm on Sunday, September 19, for a Baby Shower in honor of Brittnay Nofziger. She and Nathan look forward to the arrival of their son, Brittany and baby are registered at babylist.com. Go to the website and search her name or a direct link at: https://www.babylist.com/baby-reg-brittany-nofziger



Time for an Update! A new church directory and phone list will be coming soon. If you have changed any of your contact information (address, email, phone numbers) in the past months, please let the Church Office know.

PNMC: Zion is allowed four Conference delegates and two alternates to the Pacific Northwest Mennonite Conference Annual Meeting which typically takes place in June. Contact the church office if you're interested in becoming a delegate for 2022 and 2023. Couples are welcome.

HEY KIDS: Does God love you? How do you know? Well, I imagine your parents or grandparents have told you so. The Bible tells you so. But do YOU know? Take a quiet minute and listen with your heart! I love the little ways God shows me love. It might be a bright pink flower on a gray day. Kind words from a friend or stranger. The warmth of the sun on my face. The way my fingers work to hold a pencil. Pastor Steve and his wife Anne recently



bought a new house and it came with chickens. Ask her why that made a difference to her! That story really blessed me! Your friends and family don't know these stories unless you tell them, so BE BOLD and share! Read 1 Corinthians 1:9. God loves

EACH one of us, and it's our job to let people know that. We love you too!

—Love, Stacy and Karen

The MDS Oregon Unit has been involved in the Oregon Wildfire recovery efforts since October of 2020. We have the opportunity to install cabinets, interior and exterior doors and trim on a home build in Estacada. Three to four skilled/semi-skilled finish carpenters needed. Tools, equipment, and transportation if needed will be provided. Bring your own lunch and water. Contact John Colvin at 503-753-2060

MCC SALE:

Important COVID update to this year's MCC Sale:

Unfortunately, due to the recent increase in hospitalizations due to the Coronavirus Delta variant, we have reversed our decision to hold an indoor event. Drawing on our experience and memory of the 2020 festival, the board remains enthusiastic about hosting another socially distanced event to raise money for MCC's work around the world.

- We are bringing back the popular, nail-biting **online auction experience October 2-7!** Visit our website for more details and a guide on what you can donate this year or email Stan at over@canby.com.
- Pre-order homemade food, dessert, apple cider, and more online or with Annie (541) 619-6011 by **September 17**.
- Pick up your auction items and edible goodies on **October 9**. Location TBD.
- Even if COVID numbers return to "safe" levels, we will not have an indoor event.
- Regardless of where this event takes place, we always need vaccinated volunteers to help us out with cooking, set-up, and tear-down. Fill out a form on our website or let your board rep know.

For the latest updates, sign up for our e-newsletter on our *NEW* website www.oregonmccsale.org.

MCC: My Coins Count!

Coins add up. Each year, spare change collected by churches, children and families add up to more than \$600,000 for MCC's work around the world.

Bring your spare change, dollars, and checks to put in the My Coins Count bucket, located on the table in the foyer near the offering. Visit MCC online for more information and a video: https://mcc.org/get-involved/my-coins-count

MCC: School Kits

Notebooks and pencils are treasures for families who struggle to afford basic school supplies. School kits often are requested after disasters and help bring normalcy to children whose families have been forced to flee their homes. For the month of September, you are invited to bring school kit supplies to drop off in the foyer. You don't need to put them in individual bags, but can group your entire donation together in one bag or box. More information and related videos can be found here: https://mcc.org/get-involved/kits/school

Contents (NEW items only)

- 4 spiral or perforated-pages notebooks (8.5 in x 10.5in, 70 sheets)
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30 cm; inch markings optional)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 2 new black or blue ballpoint pens
- 1 small **all metal** pencil sharpener, one or two holes

All metal sharpeners can be found online at Amazon.com or Bazic.com or in the art supply section of retail stores like Staples. Plastic case pencil sharpeners are not accepted because these are poor quality and do not last as long. If you cannot find all metal sharpeners please pack the kits without them and the sharpeners will be added.

Fall Sunday School Classes

Beginning 9am on September 12

Middle School Class (6th-8th grade):

Location: Outside on west side lawn Teacher: Jorge Tro/Serenity Coulombe

High School Class:

Location: Upstairs Youth Room Teacher: Seth Ediger/_____

Young Parents Class:

Finishing the Love and Logic series, exploring new topics together.

Location: Outside on west side of church Teachers: Anne and Steve Bomar/____

Bible Study and Singing Class:

Reading through the Bible with discussion and singing.

Location: East porch/Library Teacher: Ken Kauffman

In Person Class:

Topic/Book Discussion.

Location: West Skylight Room

Facilitator: Stan Oyer

Zoom Class:

Study "Peaceful Practices: A guide to healthy communication in conflict" from MCC. Following that, read "The Land is Not Empty: Following Jesus in Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery" by Sarah Augustine.

Class begins at 8:45am.

Zoom Meeting ID: 833 8191 0400

Facilitator: Kiara Yoder

Primary Sunday School (Ages 2—5th Grade)

Classes will take place outside on the west side of the parking lot. Gather for singing in the grass under the first tree to the left of the stairs from the parking lot. Individual classes will be under each of the five trees to the right of the stairs.

Teachers will be using the *Shine* curriculum Kids are encouraged to bring friends!

The offering this year will be for Drift Creek Camp

Students will be dismissed at 10:00am. Parents should meet their children at that time.



In Prayer:

Pray for Sunday School classes and teachers this fall.

Pray for the students, teachers, and administration at 91 School. May our communities connect and support each other and our neighborhood.

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!" Isaiah 6:8 New International Version

Budget Report: Offering 9/5/21: \$7,052

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> Regular Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9am—1pm