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# Zion Mennonite Church

*A congregation of Mennonite Church USA*

Growing 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

## ORDER OF SERVICE

-June 11, 2023-

### In Prayer:

Pray for those who are going through transitions in their lives, from growing up to growing old; for finishing and preparing to begin; in the waiting and the rejoicing; for the good times and the struggles, recognizing that we are all on a journey from what was through what is into what is yet to be. God of love, show us our place in this world.

Pray for the health of those in our congregation who are recovering from illness or injury: Ken Beachy, Elizabeth Kennedy, Richard Gingerich, Pat Hersberger; and Linda Peters, who had surgery this week for a broken hip. May they and others experience God's love and peace.

A family of church planters in France is reaching out to their neighbors, through a coffee ministry and informal conversation. Pray that Jesus' light will shine through them and draw many seekers into a life of committed discipleship.

(Mennonite Mission Network Prayer Vine)

*You can make prayer concerns known by emailing or calling the Church Office ([zionmc@canby.com](mailto:zionmc@canby.com) or 503-651-2274)*

The Bible: Inspired or inspiring... or both?

Today we are launching a new sermon series that deals with how we engage with the Bible and how it engages us. As we consider the richness and scope of the authoritative Word of God, we will dig in to important concepts like scriptural authority, inspiration, translation, and the benefits of engaging with scripture in a community of faith.

### Prelude

#### GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Prayer for the Offering

Passing the Peace

#### WORD

Congregational Singing

Children's Story

Scripture Presentation: Nehemiah 8:1-12

Sermon

#### RESPONSE

Response Song

Prayers of the People

#### SENDING

Benediction



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Office hours: 9am-noon Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Prelude: Kelsey Sommer  
Worship Leader: Anne Bomar  
Song Leader: Clyde Hockman  
Children's Story: Anna Park

### **Sunday:**

8:30am Pottluck Breakfast Fellowship  
9:00am Sunday School classes for all ages  
10:15am Worship Service (Zoom available)

### **This Week:**

Tuesday 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom  
6:30pm Worship Commission meeting  
6:30pm Solar Task Force meeting

### **Nursery Schedule:**

Today: Karen Kropf

Next week: Wanda Rohrer-Heyerly, Kelsey Sommer

### **Worship Schedule:**

June 18: Steve Bomar

June 25: Frank Howard

**Budget Report:** Offering 6/4/23: 5,485

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The sum of \$30,000 from the Vernon Gahler Trust was set aside into a fund for the purpose of meeting local community needs, which might include medical, food, and/or housing. In addition, a goal of using these funds is also to increase volunteerism among persons at Zion. A grant application form is available in the Church Office. All forms must be submitted by October 1, 2023, at which time Zion Leadership Table will determine which proposal(s) will be granted. If a plan for administration of these funds is not determined by December 31, the money will go to The Canby Center.



## **Hubbard Hop Parade & Festival Saturday, July 15**

Parade: 10am | Hop Festival: 11am-10pm

Help Zion connect with our broader community by joining in with the Hubbard Hop Parade and Festival. More information coming!



Save the date for June 25 for a time of outside fun and food at the homes of Charlie and Sheryl and Seth and Eliza Gingerich.

We will repeat many of the activities we had at last year's picnic that will be available for all ages. It will be a potluck, so bring food, lawn chairs, and, depending on the weather, a jacket. Drinks will be provided. Please feel free to invite friends and guests. We will plan on eating at 5:30pm, so mark your calendars! Hope you can come!