

## Summit Mennonite Church

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*Welcome to all visitors! May you feel at ease with us and sense the presence of God.*

**We follow Christ, offering healing and hope as we serve our neighbors in need**

February 10, 2019

Worship: 9:30 am

Sunday school: 10:45 am

**Focus Statement:** Jesus clearly stated his mission when he read Isaiah's prophecy in his home synagogue. He used metaphors and stories, as well as direct communication. We see the foreshadowing of the cross. What is our mission and who are the "Gentiles" God asks us to help? What is our response when there is a cross involved?

### Centering Bell/ Gathering Music Welcome & Call to Worship

**L: The Spirit of God is upon us.**

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**A: Come let us worship God, who binds us together in love and service.**

### Opening Prayer

**Song** HWB 567 How firm a foundation  
HWB 306 In Christ there is no East or West

**Children's Time** Jason Moyer

**Scripture** Luke 4: 21-30

**Sermon** Cross Fit Marilyn Rossiter

**Song** HWB 499 Lord, speak to me

### Offering

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Congregational Prayer

Introduction of guests; Announcements

**Song** HWB 366 God of grace and God of glory

### Benediction

Worship Leader: Hank Rossiter

Song Leader: Susan Moyer

Piano: Susan Moyer

Nursery: Karen Steiner & Roberta Wright

Greeter: Ruth Amstutz

### LAST WEEK

Attendance: 25 General Offering:  
\$1,814 needed weekly to meet spending plan

### COMING EVENTS

- **Sun Feb. 17, 1pm: "The Loss of Turtle Island"** with First Mennonite, Wadsworth. Hannah Troyer has been trained in this exercise created by MCC Central States which tells the story of how colonization affected Native Americans on this land. The exercise will take a little over an hour.
- **The leaders of the Akron Swahili Community Church** would like to invite us to worship with them on **February 24th**. Rollin, translator, suggested that we arrive at the worship service at 1:30pm and to plan on being there until 5:00pm.
- **Here are dates for an upcoming series of classes on Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery.** They will be held at First Mennonite, Wadsworth at 7-8pm on the following Wednesdays: **Feb.20, 27, March 13, 20, 27 and April 3rd**. This is a six-week course, with sessions building on each other, so a six-week commitment is helpful.
- **March 6, 7pm: Joint Ash Wednesday service** with First, at Summit
- **March 9 – 10, Missional Conference:** From Jerusalem to Antioch All are invited to this event, 6:30pm the 9th through noon on Friday, the 10th. Consider attending! Scholarships available. (\$45 for visitors, \$25 for delegates). Registration required at Salem Mennonite Church, Kidron.
- **We are looking for a date** to have a "musical bonfire", complete with an organ burning and several camp songs. It will also include escorting the old Baldwin organ to the bonfire to make room for a smaller synthesizer by our library in the sanctuary.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Marilyn will be available** all next week by phone, text or email, but will be in the Summit office Wednesday, Feb.13<sup>th</sup> 9-1, and Thursday, the 14<sup>th</sup> 3-7.

**Interested in a church mission project this summer?** There is a clipboard at the entrance to the sanctuary to gauge interest in volunteering with SWAP in Kentucky OR Habitat for Humanity in Summit county, along with a short description of each project. Check it out!

**BACM:** Bring **Mac and Cheese and Bags of Love** for the month of **February**. Please put 'Bags of Love' items for BACM by the organ. Our children will be decorating the bags the last Sunday of February. Always accepted are Styrofoam and cardboard egg cartons, clean plastic grocery bags and travel sized toiletries.

**GIFTS:** There are many ways to give to Summit. If you are looking for something new to try, how about helping plan Worship Services? We are looking for individuals/couples who might want to give this a try! Please let Susan Moyer know if you would have interest. Thank you.

**The Everence Sharing Fund Grants** provided \$2,250 in matching funds to support special needs in our church last year. Stan serves as the Everence advocate in our congregation. Please contact him for more information