

## **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**

Worship: 9:30 am

Sunday school: 10:45 am

February 3, 2019

**Focus Statement:** There are all kinds of reasons for giving or taking tests. The main reason is to make an assessment on what is or isn't known. The Bible is not excluded from the practice of examinations. We need to examine ourselves to make sure that we are living in accordance with the biblical view we develop.

### **Gathering Music**

#### **Welcome & Call to Worship**

L: Holy, holy, holy God, we worship and adore you-Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**P: Today in our worship we long for a glimpse of your glory, seen perfectly in Christ, our Lord.**

L: As we worship, may we gain new insight about the mystery and wonder of your love.

**P: And may we sense new ways to mirror that love in our world, through Christ, our Lord.**

#### **Opening Prayer**

**Song** HWB 120 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty

HWB 76 Praise, I will praise you, Lord

**Children's Time** Cindy Larson

**Scripture** 2 Corinthians 13:5-10

**Sermon** Socrates Got it Right Larry Augsburger

**Song** STS 39 Will you come and follow me

#### **Offering**

#### **Sharing of Joys and Concerns**

#### **Congregational Prayer**

### **Introduction of guests; Announcements**

**Song** STS 116 I saw a tree by the riverside

### **Benediction**

May the seed of Christ's word, planted and watered by the Holy Spirit, find root and grow in your hearts.

### **TODAY:**

Worship Leader: Stan King

Song Leader: Hank Rossiter

Piano: Pam Zook

Nursery: Lee & Wanda Ressler

Greeter: Lee Ressler

### **LAST WEEK**

Attendance: 26 General Offering: \$2,515  
\$1,814 needed weekly to meet spending plan

### **THIS WEEK**

- Thursday (a change);** Church council meeting at 6:45

### **COMING EVENTS**

- Sun Feb. 17, 1pm: Loss of Turtle Island with First Mennonite, Wadsworth
- 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.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Marilyn's hours at Summit this week** will be 9am-5pm on Tuesday, the 5th and 12noon - 8p.m, Thursday, the 7th. Please text or call her for a meeting time.

**Central Christian School** invites potential students in grades K - 11 to experience a day at Central on Friday, February 8! Meet teachers and students, experience chapel, and learn about the various opportunities available to you as a Central student. Please RSVP to Christina Lowe by February 6 at [ChristinaL@CentralChristianSchool.org](mailto:ChristinaL@CentralChristianSchool.org) or call 330.857.7311.

**Hannah Troyer has been trained** in an exercise created by MCC Central States called "The Loss of Turtle Island" which tells the story of how colonization affected Native Americans on this land. The exercise will take a little over an hour. Our sister church, First Mennonite of Wadsworth, would like to share this exploration with us and Hannah has agreed. We are looking at **Sunday** after our church service at Summit on **February 17th, 1pm at First Mennonite in Wadsworth** for the Loss of Turtle Island exercise (after pizza or sack lunches). This is an opportunity for us to grow closer to our brothers and sisters in Christ at First and to also take advantage of this excellent opportunity to seek to understand the perspective of First American people of this land. Those who took the Doctrine of Discovery Sunday School class last year under Hannah were moved in powerful ways. Both the fellowship with First AND the subject matter are important.

**BACM:** Bring **Mac and Cheese and Bags of Love** for the month of **February** and drop into the box by our white giving tree. Always accepted are Styrofoam and cardboard egg cartons, clean plastic grocery bags and travel sized toiletries.

**Thank you to all who have sent cards** to Ethan Horst, Ethan Kamp, and Catherine Nissley

**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.

**Would you like to inventory our "copy room"?** This would include documenting all banners and decorations.

**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.