

## Summit Mennonite Church

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Worship: 9:30 am

Sunday school: 10:45 am

*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**

May 12, 2019

**Focus Statement:** "No one will snatch them out of my hand.," Jesus said. Each human being is eligible for eternal union with God in the communion of saints. How can we, in the here and now, support and enhance the God-endowed rights and dignity of all people?

### Centering Bell/Gathering Music

#### Lighting of Peace Lamp

#### Welcome/Call to Worship

Leader: True Shepherd of our souls,

**People: who calls his own by name**

Leader: Help us this hour to hear and to heed your voice.

**ALL: We know no other voice and no other voice will we follow.**

#### Opening Prayer

**Songs** STJ #3 Jesus calls us here to meet him

WHB #430 Holy Spirit, Come with Power

#### Children's Time

Mark Gerber

**Scripture Reading** John 10: 22-30

**Sermon** It's YOU, God! (Recognizing God's Voice) Pastor Marilyn Rossiter

**Response Song** WHB# 493 I heard the voice of Jesus say

#### Offering and Offertory

#### Offertory Prayer

#### Sharing of Joys and Concerns

#### Announcements

**Hymn of Blessing** STJ# 73 The Lord Lift You Up

#### Benediction

#### TODAY

Worship Leader: William Troyer

Song Leader: Pam Zook

Piano: Kathy Gerber

Nursery: Wanda & Lee Ressler

Greeter: Mark Gerber

Worship Planners: Marilyn & Hank Rossiter

#### LAST WEEK

Attendance: 36

General Offering: \$2,020

\$1,905 needed weekly to meet spending plan

#### THIS WEEK

- **May 19:** Fellowship Potluck meal

#### COMING EVENTS

- May 19 Fellowship Potluck meal and interactive sermon on Believing the Voice
- May 29 WEDNESDAY--Joint hot dog/s'more roast with First Mennonite here! Time TBA
- June 9 Pentecost Service at First Mennonite with new MCUSA Women President, Cynethia Milsap. Carpooling available!
- July 1-6 Mennonite Church USA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri, Marilyn attending
- July 21 Silvercreek Park Picnic and Worship

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Marilyn will be available** all next week by phone, text or email, and will be in the office Tuesday, May 14, 4-9pm (including council) and Friday, May 17 10-noon or other by appointment.

Let us continue to **support Ethan** with prayer, meals, and visits. His fifth (and hopefully final) hip surgery is scheduled for May 15. He will still have a lengthy recovery and rehab ahead of him after the surgery. You may sign up for meals at <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/v9v5r8>.

**Thanks to all** who so graciously help with worship at Summit: song leaders, pianists, scripture readers, children's time and children's activity bags, sound, worship leading, greeters, nursery, and visuals. And thanks to Susan for creating the google document. Please remember to change the google document if you trade jobs with someone and also to let the worship planner and the pastor know if there has been a change. Thanks!

There will be a **new hymnal** coming out in 2020! If we preorder books by the end of May with another church, we get a 10 %bargain. First Mennonite would like to do this. Council will be discussing this Tuesday evening, so if you have input, let council members know. Let's consider this!

**Small groups** continue to meet, one monthly the other bi-weekly. Please speak to Stan, Mary or Marilyn if you are interested in either or would like to form a new one.

**Hearing-impaired devises** are available for anyone having problems hearing the service. See Jack or Lee if you would like to try one.

**MCC Connections Thrift Shop in Kidron has a new position for a Staff Assistant.** This person will provide additional support in the processing area and retail store. This is a part-time (3 days/week, including some Saturdays) paid position. The applicant should have good attention to detail, flexibility, strong interpersonal skills and support the mission of MCC. Applications will be accepted through June 1. To receive an application or job description, stop by the store, send an email to Michael@MCCconnections.com or call 330-857-7802.

The pulled pork for the **church/BACM August community meal** is already purchased. (We got a great deal by buying it early!) Now we need freezer space to store it. A box is 18 in. by 12 in. by 8 in, and weighs 40 lbs. Contact Pastor Marilyn if you have extra freezer space. A box is in the church freezer if you'd like to see the size.

**Community gardens** behind the church are available. See William or Hank if you would like one...or two!

**BACM:** Bring **Side dishes (instant potatoes, rice, noodles, helpers & Deodorant** for the month of **May**. Always accepted are clean plastic grocery bags and travel sized toiletries. **Note – BACM no longer needs egg cartons.**

**MENNONITE MISSION NETWORK PRAYER REQUEST:** Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for *La Casa Grande* children's home in Benin as it goes through leadership changes. Pray for Bienvenu and Chimène Kakpo, the new co-directors, and their biological family, as well as the larger family of more than 30 children, the house mothers, and other personnel.