

Summit Mennonite Church

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Marilyn Rossiter, Pastor

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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

June 23, 2019

Focus Statement: Instead of viewing the Gerasene demoniac as an object of horror as the townspeople do, Jesus enters into his situation and proclaims the good news of Jubilee: "You're Free!" Who are the people in our communities who are in just as much bondage and agony as this man named Battalion?" How are we setting them free with Jesus' power?

Centering Bell/Gathering Music

Lighting of Peace Lamp

Welcome/Call to Worship

L: We come to you this day, with burdens and cares in our hearts.

P: Lord, take these burdens from us and ease our souls.

L: We come to you this day, with fear and uncertainty about the future.

P: Lord, calm our fears and help us to place our trust in you.

L: Come, let us worship God whose love is abundant.

P: Let us praise the God of our salvation who watches over us always.

AMEN.

Opening Prayer

Songs: STJ #9 Come, Now is the time to worship

STJ #30 Jesus Christ is waiting

Litany/Reading

Children's Time

Mark Gerber

Scripture Reading Luke 8: 26-29

Sermon Legion Jubilee

Response Song: HWB #377 Healer of our Every Ill

Offering

Sharing of Joys (stories of healing) and Concerns

Announcements

Hymn of Blessing: HWB #118 Praise God from whom

Benediction

TODAY

Worship Leader: Stan King

Song Leader: Mark Gerber

Piano: Pam Zook

Nursery: Deb Barry & Rachael Oyer

Greeter: Ethan Horst

Worship Planners: Viv Jaberg & Marilyn Rossiter

LAST WEEK

Attendance: 35

General Offering: \$2,035

\$1,905 needed weekly to meet spending plan

COMING EVENTS

- July 1-6 Mennonite Church USA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri, Marilyn attending
- Friday, July 5: Family Promise Rotation day
- July 7- Dan King preaching on "Words to live By" and Wannee Pikla will tell her spiritual story in Sunday School.
- Sunday, July 7, Evening at Blossom
- Sunday, July 21 Silvercreek Park Picnic and Worship
- Fri, Aug 2 & Sat, Aug 3: Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale & Auction, Wooster
- Saturday, August 10: Pig Roast/Community Meal joint with BACM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Marilyn will be available all next week by phone, text or email.

Summer Sunday school for children - please consider leading SS for one Sunday June through August. We will have one class for all ages and use the book 'Kids can build bridges' or you can lead an activity of your choosing (i.e. going outside, an art project, or something you have a passion for). The book and sign-up sheet are in the kitchen.

Time for your photo update for our bulletin board; please see Deb.

MCC Connections Thrift Shop is currently seeking friendly volunteers to assist with the ongoing day to day activities at the thrift store to continue the support of Mennonite Central Committee. If you enjoy creating and repurposing, or want to learn a new skill, join the **Rug Department** team by weaving or cutting denim squares. Training is provided. The **Quilt Room** is also in need of individuals to sew comforter tops. If you enjoy meeting people, become a **cashier** or assist at the **donation door and pre-sorting** donations. Support and training are provided for these positions. Feel free to stop by and pick up a volunteer application form, or call 330-857-7802 for additional information. Ask to speak with Cindy or Michael.

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.

Central Christian School is currently seeking qualified individuals for the following open positions: Instrumental Music Teacher (winds and percussion), Spanish Teacher (grades preschool - 6), Bus Driver, Substitute Bus Driver, and Volunteer Coordinator. The jobs descriptions and more information may be found on www.ccscomets.org/about/career-opportunities

Central Christian School is looking forward to our second annual Alumni Choir event! We invite all choir alumni from 1962 - 2019 to join us for a time of fellowship and worship through our mutual love of singing! Please forward on this information to all your CCS Choir friends! **Dates** August 3: Rehearsal 6-8pm August 4: Rehearsal 5:30-6:30 pm. Performance at 7:00 pm in the CCS Performing Arts Center (open to the public!) For more information and to receive your packet of music for the concert, contact Meredith Eades at meredith.eades@my.wheaton.edu

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

BACM: Bring Hot **Breakfast Items (oatmeal, pancake mix) & Deodorant** for the month of June. Always accepted are clean plastic grocery bags and travel sized toiletries. **Note – BACM needs plastic bags.**

MENNONITE MISSION NETWORK PRAYER REQUEST: Brian and Noelia Fox of Mennonite Mission Network serve the Anabaptist community in Burgos, Spain. Pray for them as they work with young couples in the church and in the community, and as they model Christian family dynamics in parenting their three daughters.