

FAITH MENNONITE CHURCH

“Testifying to the Spirit”

June 10, 2018

***Gathering Songs:** “Morning has broken” #648 HWB

Musical Interlude

***Welcome and Call to Worship**

Leader: Our God,

we gather to worship you, the One who creates all things.

People: For the gift of creation, we give thanks.

Leader: We gather to worship you,

the One who brings salvation through Jesus Christ.

People: For the gift of redemption, we give thanks.

Leader: We gather to worship you,

the One who sustains us by the Spirit.

People: For the gift of your presence, we give thanks.

Leader: We bring to you our offerings of thanks and praise
for all your gifts.

ALL: We worship you – our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. AMEN

***Hymn:** “Awake, awake, fling off the night” #448 HWB

Children’s Gathering Song: “Come and see” #20 HWB

Children’s Time ~ Barb Beers

Hymn: “This little light of mine” #401 HWB

Scripture reading: 1 John 1:5-2:2

Sermon: “Light, Truth, Sin, and Redemption”

I want to be in the Light

As You are in the Light

I want to shine like the stars in the heavens

Oh, Lord be my Light and be my salvation

Cause all I want is to be in the Light

All I want is to be in the Light

Hymn: “Christ whose glory fills the skies” #216 HWB

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns (*It is a joy to welcome guests; this can be a time for guest introductions.*)

Congregational Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Our Father/Mother in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread. (*cont. on next page*)

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and forever. *AMEN*

Offering and Offertory

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***Sung benediction:** “For mornings bright” #113 STJ

Postlude

Community Time

10:40: Fellowship Time

No Education classes until fall

After church, Join Luz Lopez, a new FMCer and an organizer with Asamblea de Derechos Civiles, for a training on voter registration and engagement, downstairs in the FMC Library.

TODAY: Walking in the Light

Worship Leader: Ry Siggelkow

Sharing: Leslie Minkler

Song leader: Gregg Richardson

Piano: Melissa Falb

Ushers: Dan Gerber, Shelly Hendricks

Nursery: Wendy Brunner, Andi Kuenning

Fellowship: Minke Sundseth, Kristi & Tyler Zabriskie

NEXT SUNDAY: Discerning the Spirit (1 John 4:1-6)

Worship Leader: Ry Siggelkow

Sharing: Dan Leisen

Song leader: Karen Wiebe

Piano: Sandra Westby

Ushers: Dan Gerber, Stew Thornley

Nursery: Gregg Richardson

Fellowship: Candace Lutt & Phil Stoltzfus, Scott Ziemer

June 3: Attendance: 89

Offering – Local Budget: \$2,803

Thanksgivings:

Concerns:



Pastor: Ry Siggelkow
Deacons: Dan Leisen, Heather Wengerd,
Shawn Englund-Helmeke, Donna Stucky,
Hermann Weinlick, Kristin Green

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FMC office hours: June 11-15

Ry: Available by appointment Tuesday-Friday

Office Staff: Aimee Weigle: M-Th 9:30-12:30, Friday afternoon

Email bulletin items by Wed afternoon. Bulletin printed Thurs morning.

Prayer Request from Mennonite Mission Network: Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Service Adventure participants who are ending their assignments in Albuquerque (New Mexico), Anchorage (Alaska), Colorado Springs (Colorado), Jackson (Mississippi), and Johnstown (Pennsylvania). Praise God for all they gave and received during the past 10 months. Pray for them as they integrate this year's learnings into their life choices.

Would you like someone to pray with you or discuss a matter of concern? Look for persons with the purple "deacon" ribbon or the green "prayer" ribbon on their name tag. They are glad to meet with you.

Church Meetings and Events (online calendar: www.faithmennonite.org)

Jun 12 – No Sunday Text discussion

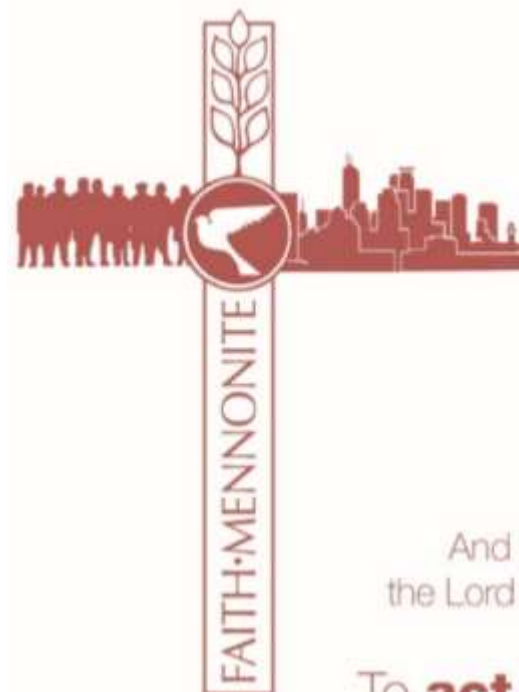
Jun 13 - No Church Council meeting in June

Jun 15 – 70's & Beyond Group, Minnehaha Park, 5 p.m.

Jun 21-24 - CPMC Annual Meeting, Lincoln, NE

Jun 25 – July Newsletter items to church office by noon

Jun 28 – FMC Men's Breakfast, 7 a.m., Curran's Restaurant, S. Mpls.



And what does
the Lord require of you?

To **act justly** and
to **love mercy**
and to **walk humbly**
with your God.

Micah 6:8

**Come,
walk with us.**

1 John 1:5-2:2

⁵This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all. ⁶If we say that we have fellowship with him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; ⁷but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

⁸If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. ⁹If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

²My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; ²and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Leader: For the word of God in Scripture,
For the word of God within us,
For the word of God among us,

All: Thanks be to God.

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FMC 70's & Beyond Group - June 15th, Sea Salt & Music at Minnehaha Falls Park. Biking together from FMC @ 4:30 or meet at Sea Salt @ 5:00.

As many of you know, Darrell Martin and Cynthia Miller have been travelling to Haiti once or twice a year since 2012 with a group that provides basic healthcare services in three rural communities there. The organization, Haiti Companions, now supports a staff of Haitian medical providers to offer monthly clinics in these three communities. **Haiti Companions is hosting a fundraiser at Surly Brewery on Monday, July 2nd.** If you'd like more information, please feel free to contact Cynthia. We hope you'll consider attending!!

Rummage Sale! Church of St. Albert the Great on the corner of E. 29th Street & 32nd Ave. S in Mpls. **Thursday & Friday June 21st & 22nd, 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Saturday, June 23 Bargain Bag Day from 9 a.m. to noon** - tall kitchen bag \$3 Trash bag size \$5 (does not include items ingym, jewelry booth, or Oval Room). Large Items located in the school gym. Bars, snacks and beverages also available. Rich tradition, open minds, and warm hearts. 612-724-3643 / www.SaintAlbertTheGreat.org

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Hello We Are Growing Hope growers and supporters!

We want to make sure you all **save the date for our WAGH Strawberry Festival and FUNdraiser coming up on Saturday, July 7 at the Falcon Heights Community Center, afternoon time tbd.** There will be strawberry shortcakes, games, live music, and possibly an auction. Plans are still forming and volunteer helpers are needed. **Please let Kim Becker, Chris Becker, or Jim Kielsmeier know if you can help in any way on that day!** We're looking for help with food service, games, and music. We appreciate all of your support — prayer, financial, organizational, etc! In some way, shape, or form by supporting We Are Growing Hope YOU help to feed those who would not normally have access to healthy organic produce. So thank you all! Please continue to join us in praying for the mission and vision of We Are Growing Hope. We are praying for a productive and prosperous year in spite of our late start. May the needs of many be met. Peace to you all. – Pastor Kim Becker, Emmanuel Mennonite Church

The Gandhian Iceberg : A workshop with Chris Moore-Backman at East Side Freedom Library (1105 Greenbrier St, St Paul, 55106) on Sunday, July 8th. **A day-long interactive exploration of Gandhi's theory and practice of nonviolence, highlighting its holistic balance of personal transformation, constructive program (the work of social uplift and renewal), and direct, bold resistance to empire.** Through small group work, personal reflection and inquiry, mini-lectures, video segments, and readings, participants will wrestle with the radical nature of Gandhi's social change vision, and consider what it has to teach us about the living of our lives, and the building up of principled-strategic movements in the present day United States. The workshop will be limited to 40 participants, and Chris would like to work with serious nonviolence practitioners who are committed to love for all. For more information, contact Jean Fagerstrom: jenaluna123@gmail.com / 612-423-2926.

World Refugee Day is June 20, 2018. In the Twin Cities, we'll celebrate this day on **Sunday, July 15th**, from noon to 6 p.m., in Loring Park. Visit <http://tcworldrefugeeday.org/> for more information.

You can still register online or by mail for Central Plains Annual Meeting June 21-24 in Lincoln, Nebraska. Hear speaker Rachel Springer Gerber, visit with your conference sisters and brothers, and learn how our covenant of spiritual practices is shaping congregations. Find registration at www.centralplainsmc.org.